

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Richard L. Aaron

TITLES: Professor of Music (Strings), School of Music,
Theatre & Dance

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Richard L. Aaron as professor of music (strings), with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD:

Professor Aaron has spent an extraordinarily successful teaching career at one of the most distinguished conservatories in the nation, the Cleveland Institute of Music. The profile of his pedagogical record is such that, for example, six of the finalists this year for the coveted position of principal cellist in the Philadelphia Orchestra have been students of Professor Aaron. He is considered by many to be the dominant cello teacher of his generation. His performance background is broad and substantial, but not the basis for his international stature. Rather, his reputation as one of his generation's finest teachers of cello and his ability to attract the top cello students is spectacular. In the most recent admissions season at the Cleveland Institute of Music, 92 students representing the most talented young cellists competed for space in his teaching studio. The number of students from his studio who have attained the extraordinary distinction of appointments in major orchestras is unprecedented. Some of these include principal cellist of the St. Louis Symphony, the associate principal cellist of the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, the assistant principal cellist of the Chicago Symphony, and many others. In the past 15 years at the Cleveland Institute of Music, he has placed at least one student each year in a significant orchestral position. Many others have found successful careers as teachers, recording artists, chamber musicians, and leading free-lancers. This is a record of success in attracting and teaching almost unprecedented in the field. It is partly attributable to Professor Aaron's own pedigree, having studied with such prominent musicians such as Mary Lou Rylands, David Wells, Raya Garbosova, Andre Navarra, and Pierre Fournier. But in Professor Aaron's case, his creative and unconventional approach to teaching is truly distinctive and original; in these qualities and in his stratospheric standards, we like to think Richard Aaron's appointment is particularly appropriate to the excellence and innovative profile of Michigan's performing arts programs.

SUMMARY OF EVALUTION:

Richard Aaron is recognized as one of the nation's most accomplished cellists. The unifying and strongest thread among reviewers, however, is Professor Aaron's extraordinary ability to teach. The quality of his pedagogy is spectacular, causing him to draw unprecedented numbers of talented cellists. He is considered by the majority of reviewers to be the dominant cello teacher of his generation. Professor Aaron is devoted to the art of teaching; he is a considerate but demanding teacher who supplements his own background, steeped in the great traditions of cello performance and teaching, with an intellectual curiosity and restless determination to grow musically and pedagogically that comprise in themselves an exemplary model for students. His recruitment to the School of Music, after having been approached by Eastman, Indiana, Curtis and the other leading Schools, is a coup.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS:

Reviewer (A) –

“I have not the slightest doubt in my mind that Richard counts among the very few prime cello teachers in the country. He is knowledgeable, imaginative, articulate. He is motivated and is a great motivator. In his many years of teaching he had left a trail of noted success with his students, who upon finishing their studies, populate the national and international music scene as soloists, orchestra players, chamber musicians and teachers. A wonderful musician himself, Richard has a sharp sense of style, a good flair for the stage and a sound technical know-how. Interacting with him in a chamber music situation is pleasurable and inspiring – he is a good listener as much as he is a good leader. He is an excellent colleague”

Reviewer (B) –

“Although he says that he doesn't perform, he is clearly a brilliant cellist and a tremendous musician, and a performer who knows how to communicate powerful emotions and structural clarity. In rehearsal he displays the enthusiasm, intelligence, passion and sympathy for the collaborating musicians that account for his legendary success as a teacher.”

Reviewer (C) –

“Richard Aaron is an extraordinary cello teacher who is known throughout the world. His students play beautifully, make great progress, and are very successful in the music world. He cares deeply about his students, and he works very hard to help them.”

Reviewer (D) –

“Mr. Aaron is one of the foremost cello teachers in this country and has a fantastic class. His students speak highly of him as a teacher and say that he is supportive of them.”

Reviewer (E) –

“I call Richard the Pied Piper of the cello. Wherever he goes, cellists follow, and for all the right reasons. He is a devoted teacher, patient, demanding, and extremely knowledgeable. Richard has an amazing abundance of energy which he channels into his teaching, his meeting and recruiting new students, his own performances, and his curiosity to whatever new topics interested him at the time. As you can see, in my opinion, Richard is a gem. He is in a class with very few other cello teachers in this country. In addition, he is a supportive, understanding, and contributing colleague.”

Reviewer (F) –

“I personally consider Mr. Aaron to be one of the top cello teachers in the United States. The countless successes of his students on the national and international scene and the quality and level at which they perform speaks for itself.”

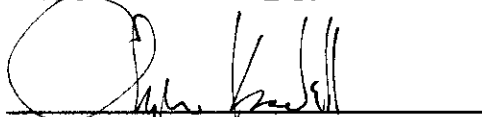
SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY:

- Elysian Trio, Baldwin-Wallace College; 1993 – present
- Tre Voce Piano Trio; 1988-1992
- Pacific Northwest Ballet, Seattle; 1987-1992
- Moore Cello Quartet; 1986-1992
- Northwest Chamber Orchestra, Seattle; 1986-1992
- Seattle Opera; 1986-1991
- Sienna Music Festival, Italy; 1984
- Basel Chamber Orchestra, Switzerland; 1983-1985
- Jerusalem Symphony Orchestra, Israel; 1979-1983

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION:

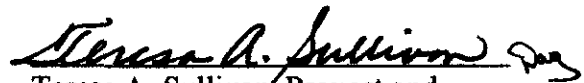
Richard Aaron’s appointment is a major event for the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and an instantly recognizable signal to the entire field of our vitality and commitment to excellence. Aaron’s appointment not only secures the School’s place as a world leader in the string field, but also elevates the level and position of all our instrumental performance programs. This is an enormously important appointment for us as we develop our profile as an innovative, interdisciplinary program with great strengths in the core performing arts disciplines. It is with the greatest enthusiasm that we recommend the appointment of Richard L. Aaron as professor of music (strings), with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Christopher W. Kendall
Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

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July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Promotion Approval

NAME: Arul M. Chinnaiyan, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Pathology, with tenure; Associate Professor of Urology, without tenure; and S.P. Hicks Professor of Pathology

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Pathology, with tenure; Professor of Urology, without tenure; and S. P. Hicks Professor of Pathology

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

On the recommendation of Jay L. Hess, M.D., Ph.D., the Carl V. Weller Professor and Chair of the Department of Pathology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the promotion of Arul M. Chinnaiyan, M.D., Ph.D., to Professor of Pathology, with tenure, and Professor of Urology, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Dr. Chinnaiyan received the M.D. and Ph.D. degrees in 1999 through the Medical Scientist Training Program at the University of Michigan. That same year, he was appointed as a Research Investigator in the Department of Pathology and joined the Instructional faculty in 2001 as Assistant Professor of Pathology and Assistant Professor of Urology. He was promoted to the rank of Associate Professor of Pathology, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Urology, without tenure, in 2004. Dr. Chinnaiyan was named the S.P. Hicks Professor of Pathology in 2004.

Dr. Chinnaiyan has made significant contributions to the Medical School's educational mission. He is regarded as an effective and inspirational teacher especially in the laboratory setting. He has been a mentor for numerous undergraduate and graduate students, residents in pathology and other disciplines, postdoctoral fellows, and medical students, as well as high school students. He has served on preliminary thesis committees for numerous graduate students. His students have been first author on several influential publications and have won a number of important national and international awards. In addition, he has lectured in cancer biology, integrated genomics, and cancer bioinformatics in several graduate courses at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Chinnaiyan has been a pioneer in the study of biomarkers of prostate cancer and has identified a number of important genes and proteins associated with metastases. His laboratory has identified recurrent gene fusions of TMPRSS2 to ETS family transcription factors in prostate cancer. Such discoveries are likely to redefine the molecular basis of these cancers, as well as other common carcinomas, including breast carcinoma. His research has been consistently funded, and he is currently the principal investigator on grants from the NIH, American Cancer Society, PEW Charitable Trust and the Department of Defense. His work has earned him a number of national awards, including the Young Investigator Award of the Society of Basic Urological Research in 2004, the AMGEN Outstanding Investigator Award of the American Society for Investigative Pathology in 2005, the Medical School Basic Science Research Award in 2005, and the Benjamin Castleman Award of the United States and Canadian Academy of Pathology for the most outstanding paper in the field of human pathology published in English during 2005.

Recent and Significant Publications

Rhodes DR, Chinnaiyan AM: Integrative Analysis of the Cancer Transcriptome. *Nature Genetics* 37 Suppl: S31- S37, 2005.

Rhodes DR, Tomlins SA, Varambally S, Kalyana-Sundaram S, Ghosh D, Pandey A and Chinnaiyan AM: Probabilistic model of the human protein-protein interaction network. *Nature Biotechnology* 23(8):951-9, 2005.

Wang X, Yu J, Sreekumar A, Varambally S, Ghosh D, Shen R, Giacherio D, Mehra R, Montie JE, Pienta KJ, Sanda MG, Kantoff PW, Rubin MA, Wei JT, Chinnaiyan AM: Autoantibody Signatures in Prostate Cancer. *New England Journal of Medicine* 353:1224-35, 2005.

Tomlins SA, Rhodes DR, Perner S, Dhanasekaran SM, Mehra R, Sun X-W, Varambally S, Cao X, Tchinda J, Kuefer, R, Lee C, Montie JE, Shah RB, Pienta KL, Rubin MA, Chinnaiyan AM: Recurrent Fusion of TMPRSS2 and ETS Transcription Factor Genes in Prostate Cancer. *Science* 310(5748):644-648, 2005.

Varambally S, Yu J, Laxman B, Rhodes DR, Mehra R, Tomlins SA, Shah RB, Chandran U, Monzon FA, Becich MJ, Wei JT, Pienta KG, Ghosh D, Rubin MA, Chinnaiyan AM: Integrative Genomic and Proteomic Analysis of Prostate Cancer Reveals Signatures of Metastatic Progression. *Cancer Cell* 8(5):393-406 2005.

Dr. Chinnaiyan has served as the Director of the Tissue/Informatics Core of the University of Michigan Prostate SPORE, the Director of the Pathology Microarray Laboratory, the Director of the Cancer Bioinformatics of the Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center, and Co-Director of the Division of Pathology Informatics of the Department of Pathology. Nationally, he is a member of the editorial boards of *Cancer*

Research, Cancer Informatics, and Cancer Genomics and Proteomics, as well as an ad hoc reviewer for a number of other prestigious journals. He has been on the scientific review board for the American Cancer Society, the Department of Defense, and Genome Canada. He is an ad-hoc member of the Cancer Genetics Study Section of the NIH and the Canary Fund Peer Review Committee of the American Cancer Society. Dr. Chinnaiyan has established a bioinformatics infrastructure for cancer genomics research which consists of a large cancer core microarray compendium combined with an integrated data-mining platform called OncoPrint. This system has its own website with a total registered user base of over 4,000 investigators throughout the world. He was also instrumental in developing Profiler, a web-based pathology biomarker analysis and tissue microarray evaluation-visualization system which is being considered for use in the SPORC-MBN biomarker trial. These computer-based platforms have been an invaluable service to the investigator community dealing with genomics and proteomics of cancer throughout the world.

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

Reviewer A: "...he is without a doubt one of the major leaders in molecular biology within the field of pathology. His accomplishments have been amazing."

Reviewer B: "I judge him to be one of the most talented investigators working in the cancer field today. There is no doubt that his work will lead cancer research in important new directions over the next decade. His work is brilliant and inspirational to others in the field."

Reviewer C: "It would not be an exaggeration to state that his research has been groundbreaking and met the highest standards of excellence. . . . He is recognized as one of the most talented investigators, both in the basic and in translational research focused on cancer."

Reviewer D: "...There is no question that he is a visionary master, wonderfully adept at expanding existing technology platforms into previously uncharted territory with spectacular results."

Reviewer E: "...His work is defining in a new sub area in molecular pathology and providing a new reference point of academic excellence for a physician-scientist in the post-genomic era. . . . He is a conscientious, exacting and patient scientist who has published prolifically in highest possible scientific journals."

Dr. Arul Chinnaiyan has made impressive contributions in genomic and proteomic studies of cancer, especially prostate cancer. He is well recognized for his work and has been invited to present at numerous national and international venues. He has also developed several web-based data sets to aid cancer researchers in genomics and

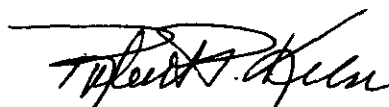
proteomics. Dr. Chinnaiyan has a firm commitment to medical education and he has significant administrative responsibilities in research informatics and pathology informatics. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the promotion of Arul M. Chinnaiyan, M.D., Ph.D., to Professor of Pathology, with tenure, and Professor of Urology, without tenure.

Recommended by



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by



Robert P. Kelch, M.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents
July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Lucy Hartley

TITLES: Associate Professor of English Language and Literature,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of English Language and Literature and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Lucy Hartley as associate professor of English language and literature, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Lucy Hartley attended the University of Oxford where she received her Bachelor of Arts in 1992 and Master of Arts in 1995. She received her Doctorate from the University of York in 1996.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Hartley began her teaching career as a lecturer at the University of Southampton in 1995 and was promoted to senior lecturer in 2002.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Hartley has earned an outstanding reputation through her work in the history of ideas and her first book, *Physiognomy and the Meaning of Expression*, is a remarkable achievement. The Modern Language Association nominated it for the Best First Book award of 2002 and she received honorable mention. The originality of the first book is only deepened by the nearly-completed second book, entitled *The Democracy of the Beautiful*. She is widely expected to be placed as a leading figure in the current revaluation of British nineteenth-century prose.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

“Lucy Hartley is an outstanding scholar [of her generation] whose intellectual brilliance and energy would be a wonderful asset to any Department of English. I am eager to see how her work evolves. Her achievement is already distinguished. Her future is bound to be exciting.”

Reviewer (B)

“Dr. Hartley is a highly impressive intellectual in every sense. She is engaged in innovative and challenging research, she has proven herself to be a dedicated and inspiring teacher and a meticulous and successful administrator.”

Reviewer (C)

“Hartley’s work makes an important intervention in the study of 19th-century science and culture. ... I would certainly list Hartley’s book among the most significant books in Victorian science and culture published in the last 15 years... ..this is very useful original work...done by a scholar who clearly has a long productive career ahead of her.”

Reviewer (D)

“She has many of the strengths of first rate historians of ideas... There is no question that she would be a very solid member of your department”

Reviewer (E)

“Her lengthy lists of conference presentations and also of service assignments suggest an active scholar and effective colleague who is likely to serve your department well in years to come.”

Reviewer (F)

“One aspect of her work that I particularly value is her ability to integrate a very wide range of sources into a coherent scholarly account – far harder to do than it seems. ...Lucy has a wonderful track record in all respects – her administrative experience is quite as impressive as her research and teaching... ..she is a rare creature, whose commitment, like her achievements, is quite extraordinary.”

PUBLICATIONS

“Constructing the Common Type: Physiognomic Norms and the Notion of ‘Civic Usefulness’ from Lavater to Galton,” in *A Social History of the Normal and the Abnormal: Historical and Cultural Perspectives on Norms and Deviations*, W. Ernst (ed.), Routledge Social History of Medicine Series, 2006.

“A Science for One or a Science for All? Physiognomy, Self-Help and the Practical Benefits of Science,” in *Sidelined Sciences?: Shifting Centres in Nineteenth-Century Scientific Thinking*, D. Clifford, et al. (eds.), Anthem Press, 2006.

"A Dramatic Art of Everyday Life: The Pre-Raphaelite Brotherhood and a Very Ordinary Aesthetic," *Journal of Victorian Culture*, 7(2), 2002, pp. 173-195.

Physiognomy and the Meaning of Expression in Nineteenth-Century Culture, Cambridge University Press, 2001.

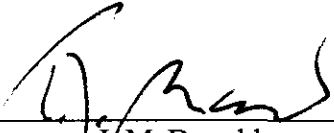
"A Science of Beauty? Femininity, Fitness, and the Physiognomic Tradition in Mid-Nineteenth Century Britain," *Women: A Cultural Review*, special issue on *Gender and Science*, I. Armstrong and L. Marcus (eds.), 12, 2001, pp. 19-31.

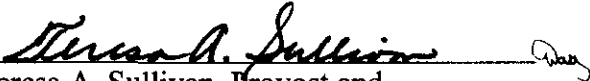
SUMMARY

Professor Hartley is expected to become a leader in her field. She is also an excellent instructor and a good citizen. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Lucy Hartley as associate professor of English language and literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


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

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Petra Kuppers

TITLES: Associate Professor of English Language and Literature,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of English Language and Literature and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Petra Kuppers as associate professor of English language and literature, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Petra Kuppers received a Master of Arts from the University of Warwick in 1993 and a Master of Arts from the University of Cologne in 1994. She was awarded a Doctorate from the University of Plymouth in 1999.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Following a three-year appointment as research fellow at Manchester Metropolitan University, Professor Kuppers began her teaching career as assistant professor at Bryant University in 2001.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Kuppers is a cutting-edge scholar who works in the fields of disability studies and performance studies. Her work brings the insights of the two fields into conversation with each other. Through that conversation, she critiques, complicates, and qualifies our understanding of cultural institutions and practices across the board. Her work is seen as being theoretically complex, having an interdisciplinary range, and an international reach. She has one book in print with two forthcoming, two edited books with a third under contract, and has published a number of articles in refereed journals.

Professor Kupperts is an excellent classroom instructor who uses a student-centered approach that is dynamic in its pace and imaginative in its design. Peers evaluate her as a compelling instructor who inspires students through her deeply intellectual understanding of historical discourses.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

“She has a remarkable critical intelligence and a rich and broad intellectual formation. ... I see Kupperts’s work as crucial to the converging fields of performance studies and disability studies precisely because of the strength of its theoretical grasp.”

Reviewer (B)

“Kupperts’ writing engages with a variety of political, disciplinary, and theoretical conversations in the fields of gender studies, visual culture, new media, and dance. ... However, her work as a disability studies scholar of performance is certainly the most widely acknowledged element of her profile. ... She has my unconditional support.”

Reviewer (C)

“Her work has been recommended to me frequently by others in disability studies, where Kupperts is regarded as a leader in the field. ...I find the body of work represented in the file of Petra Kupperts to be evident of a scholar who deserves tenure on the basis of her essays, creative performance, and media production.”

Reviewer (D)

“In my experience hearing Professor Kupperts present her research and facilitate at various panels on disability and performance I have been impressed with both her scholarship and her accessibility and warmth as an educator. Despite her considerable expertise on the subject, she often acts as a framing presence, encouraging others to come forward rather than showcasing herself.”

Reviewer (E)

“I...have found her ideas creative, engaging, and insightful. She carries her own beliefs and analyses with great enthusiasm and she’s an earnest participant in scholarly and social debates. ... She sees performance as a bridge that links the academy to the wider public... This ability to straddle theoretical and public theaters makes Professor Kupperts an asset to the field.”

Reviewer (F)

“...on the basis of the confidence a tenured post would allow this candidate, her work in research and teaching will rapidly mature. Her manifest concern for issues relating to established ways of seeing...signals a very strong and deeply embedded humanist engagement on Petra Kupperts’ part.”

Reviewer (G)

"Kuppers is a scholar of substantial achievement, and her appointment...will make Michigan the pre-eminent disability studies center in the country. ... This will be a brilliant hire."

PUBLICATIONS

Community Performance: An Introduction, Routledge Press, under contract, expected publication date 2007.

Bodily Fantasies: Medical Visions/Medical Performances, University of Minnesota Press, in press, forthcoming 2006.

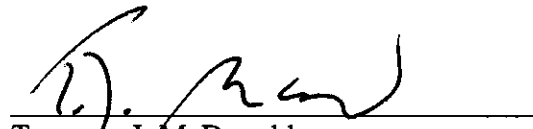
Disability and Contemporary Performance: Bodies on Edge, Routledge Press, 2003.

SUMMARY

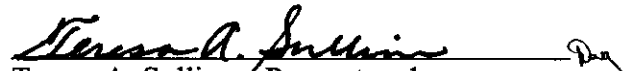
Professor Kuppers is clearly one of the leaders in both of her fields of research. She is an imaginative instructor who is responsive to her students needs. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Petra Kuppers as associate professor of English language and literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Jeffrey G. Lyman

TITLES: Associate Professor of Music (Winds and Percussion),
School of Music, Theatre & Dance

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jeffrey G. Lyman as associate professor of music (winds and percussion), with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES:

Dr. Lyman received his B.M. *summa cum laude* from Temple University in 1983, M.M. in Bassoon Performance *summa cum laude* from the University of Michigan in 1992, and D.M.A. in Bassoon Performance from the University of Michigan in 1994.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD:

From 1993 through 1996, Dr. Lyman was an assistant professor of bassoon at Bowling Green State University. He joined the faculty at Arizona State University in 1996 as associate professor of music. He has served as principal bassoonist with the Savannah Symphony and has played with the Grand Rapids Symphony, Toledo Symphony, Michigan Opera Theater, Opera Company of Philadelphia, Colorado Music Festival, Peninsula Music Festival, and St. Bart's Chamber Orchestra in the French West Indies. At the 1996 Moscow Autumn Festival, he gave the world premiere of a new bassoon concerto composed for him by Yuri Kasparov. He can be heard on recordings issued by New World Records, Koch International, and Braswell. In the summer, Professor Lyman teaches at the Académie Européenne d'Été de Musique in Tournon-sur-Rhône, France.

SUMMARY OF EVALUTION:

External reviewers provide uniform praise in their assessment of Professor Lyman. He is a consummate musician, a scholar and a dedicated teacher. He easily communicates his insight and skill in a variety of musical styles, working with the individual student to help clarify his or her own goals while conveying a deep understanding of the historical continuum from earlier periods to the most contemporary. He collaborates with a wide

range of noted composers and musicians worldwide. In sum, he is the model of what we expect the studio instructor to be at an institution that attracts highly talented and also intellectually curious and engaged students.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS:

Reviewer (A) –

“While other players have emphasized a certain area of repertoire or have specialized in a certain school of bassoon playing, Lyman understands that the university professor has to have a broad base of knowledge to serve a broad range of students. Lyman is not only that type of teacher but he is also the rare bassoonist who can offer that range of knowledge and still remain a top-level performer.”

Reviewer (B) –

“He is an invaluable soloist, chamber musician, and orchestral player. Many times we have relied on him to be responsible for coordinating entire programs. He is extremely proficient and reliable. Mr. Lyman is a leader and deals extremely well with people. He is a gentleman at all times and possesses great integrity.”

Reviewer (C) –

“I have always been impressed with how easily he communicates his talent in a variety of musical styles and genres. Jeff is also one of the most important advocates of new music for the bassoon today, and he is constantly collaborating with composers, performers and even computer engineers in the pursuit of exciting new works for the bassoon repertoire. He is highly regarded by his peers as a first rate performer and a devoted and caring teacher.”

Reviewer (D) –

“Jeff was my primary bassoon teacher during my middle and high school years in Albuquerque. He is an exceptional teacher. He was dedicated to helping me meet my goal of being a professional musician, and was always a supportive and encouraging mentor. He always conducted himself with the utmost level of professionalism during the rehearsals, radio interview, pre-concert lecture, and performances. He inspires me in all aspects of life. He is rational, thoughtful, knowledgeable, and considerate.”

Reviewer (E) –

“At a time when music careers are becoming ever more diverse, the students seemed to have a variety of goals in mind for themselves. It appeared to me that Prof. Lyman has found ways to help each student clarify his or her own goals and work fruitfully toward them. He is a thoughtful, accomplished, and soulful musical artist. His students develop technically and artistically to a high level.”

Reviewer (F) –

“I have been impressed with the activity of [Lyman’s] very accomplished bassoon class, and the devotion the students show their teacher. It is obvious that the students –

graduate and undergrad alike – are flourishing in Dr. Lyman’s care. I think Jeffrey Lyman is an outstanding performer, teacher, scholar and colleague.”


SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY:

- Faculty Artist Recital: “Celebrity” Music for bassoon by André Previn, Thomas Oboe Lee, Paul Moravec, Ray Pizzi, Geraldo Silva and others. The concert will include two new works, “Andy Warhol Sez” by Paul Moravec and “Yo Picasso” by Thomas Oboe Lee.
- ASU Mozart Celebration Events: Host of an “Afternoon at a Viennese Coffee House” at the ASU School of Music, January 27, 2006 as part of a celebration of Mozart’s 250th anniversary. Also participated in three programs featuring wind serenades, including KV 240, 375, 381, and 388.
- Soloist and Studio Performance: the International Double Reed Society conference at the University of Texas at Austin. A group performance by the entire studio of several works by Bill Douglas, with the composer as pianist. Also included the second performance by Lyman of Douglas’ *Partita for bassoon and piano*, commissioned by 29 bassoonists and premiered by Lyman at Bill Douglas’ guest artist recital at ASU, February 14, 2005.
- Principal bassoon and soloist: The 2005 Festival de Musique de St. Barthélemy, St. Bart’s, French West Indies. Solo bassoon in Haydn’s *Sinfonia Concertante* for oboe, bassoon, violin, cello and orchestra. (Member of this orchestra since 1992).
- Valade Fellow in Bassoon, the Interlochen Arts Camp, summer 2005.
- Acting Principal Bassoon, ProMusica Chamber Orchestra, Columbus, Ohio, 2002-2003.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION:

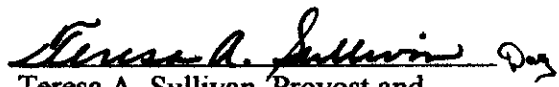
Dr. Lyman’s distinctive combination of scholarship and artistry is truly formidable. He is well known in his discipline and has established himself as a recognized pedagogue in the woodwind field. Dr. Jeffrey Lyman will be a valuable and much needed addition to our faculty, contributing engagement in both historically informed and contemporary performance practice. He holds further promise as a leader and outstanding colleague. It is with great enthusiasm that we recommend the appointment of Jeffrey G. Lyman as associate professor of music (winds and percussion), with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Christopher W. Kendall
Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

July 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Marie McCarthy

TITLES: Professor of Music (Music Education), and Chair
Department of Music Education, School of Music,
Theatre & Dance

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATES: Professor, September 1, 2006
Chair, September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Marie McCarthy as professor of music (music education), with tenure, effective September 1, 2006, and chair of the Department of Music Education from September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

ACADEMIC DEGREES:

Dr. McCarthy began her formal training at Mary Immaculate College of Education in Limerick, Ireland; she received her National Teaching Diploma in Elementary Education from that institution in 1975. She then attended University College in Dublin, Ireland and received a B.A. in Music in 1983 and a Higher Diploma in Education in 1984. From 1985 through 1990, Dr. McCarthy attended the University of Michigan and achieved a M.M. in Music Education in 1986, and a Ph.D. in Music Education in 1990, with minors in Ethnomusicology and Higher Education.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD:

After coming to the United States, Dr. McCarthy was employed as a teaching assistant at the University of Michigan, School of Music from 1986-1988. From 1987-1990, she was Instructor in Music at Eastern Michigan University. Dr. McCarthy then joined the faculty at the University of Maryland as Assistant Professor in 1990, and was promoted to associate professor in 1996, and professor in 2005. Dr. McCarthy has been Chair of the Music Education Division at the University of Maryland since 2001.

SUMMARY OF EVALUTION:

There was overwhelming consensus among the external reviewers for Dr. McCarthy that she is an internationally regarded scholar, whose research and publication is at a level of

substance and stature rare in the field. She has an outstanding profile as a rigorous a deeply knowledgeable teacher, whose national/international reputation serves her pedagogical perspective and the welfare of her students. She is capable of attracting the brightest and most promising graduate students in her areas of study. The Eastman School of Music, arguably the leading institution in the country for music education, has attempted to recruit Professor McCarthy. She is recognized for her definitive work in the sociology of music education and is published extensively in most of the major music education journals. Her work on various important editorial boards and in a leadership position in the International Society for Music Education has established Professor McCarthy as a powerful presence in her field.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS:

Reviewer (A) –

“Professor McCarthy is a voice for a field that so desperately needs one. Music education shifts between theory and practice, and Marie McCarthy’s unique role is as one who understands both realms and the multiple perspectives active within the world of musician-teachers, children and youth, and the society which defines music and frames its functions and values within school and community. Dr. Marie McCarthy has made her indelible mark in the field as an exceptional scholar, with rare depth and enormous breadth of ideas, an endless well of creative energy, and a keen ability to articulate to her readers. She has practically no comparable peers, in fact, in that her scholarship is unique and thorough, deeply analytical and interpretive.”

Reviewer (B) –

“Dr. McCarthy is one of the most outstanding international researchers in our field. Her global reputation is due to her deeply intelligent writings and her ability to express herself with utmost clarity and elegance on a wide range of complex issues. She has made a huge contribution to our field’s understandings of many related issues in several areas. The quality and quantity of her achievements have established her as a cutting-edge leader in our profession and a world authority in her chosen areas. In addition to being a superb scholar, Dr. McCarthy is an exceptional musician, teacher, and colleague.”

Reviewer (C) –

“I admire the depth of intellect and inquiry in her publications, and marvel at the breadth of preparation in her presentations. She’s a poet in her writing, and a gentle, artistic performer in her presentations. Perhaps the strongest indicator of my support for Marie’s scholarship and leadership potential can be found in my steadfast attempt to hire her in my own department here at Eastman.”

Reviewer (D) –

“Dr. McCarthy’s scholarly work is truly outstanding in quantity and quality. Her books have received numerous favorable reviews, formally and informally, and she is known and widely respected for her contributions as editor of various books and symposia proceedings. She has contributed significantly to the field of music education in the realms of history, sociology, and philosophy, often bringing the three together in new and

important ways. This alone makes her a unique figure in music education scholarship today.”

Reviewer (E) –

“She is a superb scholar who is well respected in the higher education community. Dr. McCarthy has an outstanding record of research and scholarship. She has published in all the major national and international journals in the profession, both research journals and practitioner journals. When I think of the top researchers in historical and sociological perspectives in music education I first think of Marie McCarthy. She is truly at the top of her field.”

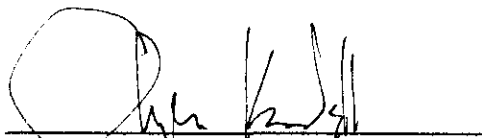
PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY:

Dr. McCarthy a well-known lecturer and presenter at national and international venues and has an extensive publication record in many of the major music education journals. Her publications include several books and book chapters in important edited works. She is a recognized scholar in music education philosophy and sociology, as well as the nation’s leading expert in the transmission of music in Irish culture. She has served on the editorial boards of the *International Journal of Community Music*, *Research Studies in Music Education*, *The British Journal of Music Education*, *the International Journal of Education and the Arts*, *the Bulletin of the Council for Research in Music Education*, *The Bulletin of Historical Research in Music Education*, and *the Journal of Research in Music Education*. Dr. McCarthy has chaired numerous dissertations and mentored many students.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION:

Dr. Marie McCarthy will bring an extraordinary range and depth of experience, tested leadership, and a sense of continuity to the Department of Music Education. She is a highly respected national and international leader in her field, and we believe she will be a tremendous asset to the University. It is with great enthusiasm that we recommend the appointment of Marie McCarthy as professor of music (music education), with tenure, effective September 1, 2006, and chair of the Department of Music Education from September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Christopher W. Kendall
Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of a Faculty and Administrative Appointment

NAME: Kathleen M. Potempa

TITLES: Dean and Professor of Nursing, with tenure
School of Nursing

TERM: Deanship; 5-year, renewable

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

I am pleased to recommend for Regental approval the appointment of Kathleen M. Potempa as Dean of the School of Nursing, for a five-year renewable term, effective October 1, 2006. Dr. Potempa will also hold the position of Professor of Nursing, with tenure. This recommendation follows a national search conducted by a search advisory committee.

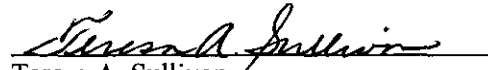
Dr. Potempa received her Diploma in Nursing from Providence Hospital School of Nursing (Detroit) in 1970, her BA degree in Psychology from the University of Detroit in 1974, and her MA and DNSc degrees from Rush University in 1978 and 1986, respectively. She has held faculty and administrative appointments in nursing at Rush University in Chicago and the University of Illinois at Chicago. Since 1996 she has been Dean of the School of Nursing at Oregon Health and Science University (OHSU) where she has developed and expanded academic programs in research through recruitment of new faculty and establishment of centers of excellence; she has supported considerable growth of the clinical mission of the School of Nursing and led a statewide effort to transform undergraduate nursing education. In 2002 she was appointed Vice President and Dean in recognition of her expanded responsibilities for the research, practice and educational mission on all four OHSU campuses. She has also provided leadership in the OHSU health system, including oversight of the professional development of nursing, and she has had responsibility for all nursing educational outreach programs in the state of Oregon.

Continuously funded since 1984, Dr. Potempa's research program has focused on fatigue, exercise and cardiovascular fitness. Her most current project, Transforming Primary Care: The Healthy Aging Project, is funded by the Department of Health and Human Services. She has published widely in professional journals and has presented over 70 papers around the world, including completing a visiting professorship in Beijing, China. In addition, she has served on expert panels and committees including, NIH review panels. She currently serves on the editorial board of the *Journal of Professional Nursing*.

As a nursing leader, Dr. Potempa has served on American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) Task Forces and Committees consistently since 1997 including Chair, the Task Force on Distance Education and Nursing (1997-1999); Member, the Doctoral Conference Planning Committee (1997-1998 and 2000-2002); Member, Task Force on Hallmarks of Professional Practice (2000-2002); and Member, Nominating Committee (1999-2000). She has served as a member of the American Academy of Nursing Finance Committee (2001-2004), and in 2001 was appointed to the National Advisory Council on Nurse Education and Practice for a five-year term. Dr. Potempa is a Fellow of the American Academy of Nursing. She received the Distinguished Alumni Award from Rush University in 2003 and the Oregon Medical Research Foundation Mentor Award in 2002.

Kathleen Potempa's accomplishments within health systems, academic nursing, interdisciplinary research teams and university executive management are widely recognized. I am confident that Dr. Potempa will provide impressive leadership for the School of Nursing at a time of great challenge for nursing professionals in the health care environment. I recommend her appointment with enthusiasm, effective October 1, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Teresa A. Sullivan", is written over a horizontal line.

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

July 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Vicki Ellingrod Ringold

TITLE: Associate Professor of Pharmacy, College of Pharmacy,
and Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Medical School

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure, College of Pharmacy
Without Tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12-Month

On the recommendation of the Departments of Clinical Sciences and Psychiatry and with the endorsement of the Executive Committees of the College of Pharmacy and Medical School, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Vicki Ellingrod Ringold as associate professor of pharmacy, with tenure, in the College of Pharmacy, and associate professor of psychiatry, without tenure, in the Medical School, effective July 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Ringold received her Bachelor of Science and Doctor of Pharmacy degrees both from the University of Minnesota in 1992 and 1994, respectively. In 1996 she completed a two-year clinical research fellowship in psychopharmacology at the University of Iowa College of Pharmacy, and she received board certification in psychiatric pharmacy in 1997.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Ringold was appointed as director of the Pharmacogenetics Laboratory at the University of Iowa College of Pharmacy in 1998, a position she continues to hold. She became assistant professor in 1999 and received a promotion to associate professor, with tenure, in 2004. She also became chair of the Clinical Pharmaceutical Sciences Graduate Program in 2004.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Ringold's research focuses on psychiatric pharmacogenomics. Not only is this area of study considered to be cutting edge, but the way Professor Ringold conducts her studies in both the hospital and in the laboratory also makes her a rare stand-out in the world of academic clinical pharmacy. Very few faculty members have the background to be able to serve as

translational researchers, incorporating both psychopharmacology laboratory and clinical applications to their research. Professor Ringold, however, has had a good deal of success with this research approach. She has received federal funding for her work, and she has published numerous papers in leading scientific journals that are significant in her area of expertise. Professor Ringold is also a very effective teacher, having been highly rated by students on a consistent basis while carrying a significant teaching load. She not only provides didactic teaching, but she also provides experiential training for pharmacy students, and she mentors research fellows and graduate students. In the Department of Psychiatry, Professor Ringold will teach medical students and residents and collaborate in research with faculty colleagues. She has established herself as a leader in the field of psychopharmacology and is nationally recognized for her work. She is a founding member of the College of Psychiatric and Neurologic Pharmacists, which was established in 1998, and is a current member of several professional organizations, having served on various state and national committees and in various offices.

EXERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

"I believe that Dr. Ellingrod's [Ringold's] performance relative to grantsmanship and publication of her work in peer-reviewed journals is strong. Her history of grantsmanship would rival any candidate for appointment with tenure within the Department of Pharmacy Practice at [my institution]. Not only has she been consistently productive, her existing and pending NIMH awards reflect the promise of future success."

Reviewer (B)

"Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] clearly excels in the scholarship area."

"Her quality of research is truly remarkable, and exceeds most faculty members I have observed at this stage in their career."

"I can think of very few other faculty members in psychopharmacology who have been as productive as Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] at this stage of her career, and I would place her at 9 on a 1 to 10 scale on scholarly activity."

"Her contribution to the field of psychopharmacology is "cutting edge" and is properly directed toward pharmacogenetics, the future of our field."

Reviewer (C)

"She is an outstanding clinical pharmaceutical scientist and a credit to her profession."

"Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] is one of only a handful of professionals originally trained as a clinical pharmacist who is a competent genetic scientist and is in an even smaller minority of such people who have specialized in pharmacy in psychiatry."

Reviewer (D)

"The quality of Dr. Ellingrod's [Ringold's] scholarly accomplishments is excellent."

"Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] is one of the best faculty members [of her cohort] in the field of psychiatric pharmacy research and clinical practice."

"Dr. Ellingrod's [Ringold's] research and scholarship is excellent. This is firmly established by her ability to obtain federal extramural funding support."

Reviewer (E)

“[The journals in which she has published] are of high quality, and in many instances (e.g. American Journal of Psychiatry) they are considered first-tier journals. She has contributed to pharmacy and medical journals that reach broad audiences. Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] has also clearly established a focus in psychopharmacological research, and that is pharmacogenomics. I believe she is recognized for this at a national level.”

“...Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] has a clear record of scholarly work in our field. I think most all of us involved in psychopharmacy know of her work and that she is one of the thought leaders.”

Reviewer (F)

“My opinion is that Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] has established herself as an outstanding researcher [of her cohort], with very high potential for continued success in the field.”

“Clearly she has contributed significantly to the field of pharmacy and psychiatry with her efforts.”

“...I would consider the honors—the ACCP Young Investigator Award and The Future Leaders in Psychiatry to be examples of peer recognition at the national level—further attesting to her promise as a researcher in pharmacy and psychiatry. At this stage in her career, I would consider Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] to be beyond that of where I would expect in achieving national recognition for her work.”

Reviewer (G)

“In her relatively brief career as an Assistant and Associate Professor at Iowa, Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] has established herself as a successful and respected clinical scholar among psychiatric pharmacy faculty members nationally.”

“Dr. Ellingrod [Ringold] is among the top in her field in securing federal funding (NIMH) for her research, and has focused her research on clinically important issues.”

PUBLICATIONS

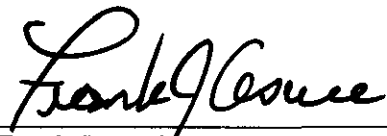
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SUMMARY


Professor Ringold is an outstanding researcher and educator. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Vicki Ellingrod Ringold as associate professor of pharmacy, with tenure, in the College of Pharmacy, and associate professor of psychiatry, without tenure, in the Medical School, effective July 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Frank J. Ascione, Dean
College of Pharmacy



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



Allen S. Lichter, M.D., Dean
Medical School

July 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents
July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Julie A. Skadsem
TITLES: Associate Professor of Music (Music Education/Choral Conducting), School of Music, Theatre & Dance
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Julie A. Skadsem as associate professor of music (music education/choral conducting), with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES:

Dr. Skadsem received her B.A. degree from St. Olaf College in Northfield, Minnesota, an institution with a distinguished choral tradition, in 1987, M.M. in Music Education/Choral Music from Florida State University in 1992, and a Ph.D. in Music Education from the University of Minnesota in 1995.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD:

Dr. Skadsem holds certification in Orff-Schulwerk Level I and II, Kodaly Level I, and certificate and license in Dalcroze technique. From 1990 to 1992, Dr. Skadsem was a graduate assistant in Musical Education at Florida State University. She joined the faculty at the UMKC-Conservatory of Music in Kansas City, Missouri from 1992 to 1995 as a research fellow. In 1995, Dr. Skadsem was appointed associate professor of Choral Music Education at the University of Alabama. Dr. Skadsem served as Conductor of the University of Alabama University Chorus and the Capstone Girls Choir. She is conductor of a variety of school-based and community-based choirs, and She has three years of public school teaching in a choral domain. Dr. Skadsem is a music specialist in choral elementary and secondary schools, and has extensive graduate and undergraduate teaching experiences. Her curriculum vita reflects publications in state and national journals, and she has presented academic work at state and national conferences. Dr. Skadsem is widely involved in clinical work and has guest conducting credits at the local, state, and national levels.

SUMMARY OF EVALUTION:

Dr. Skadsem possesses a unique depth of education and experience in both the music education and choral conducting arenas. She has studied under some of the finest choral conductors in university settings in the country, conducted university choirs, taught undergraduate and graduate music education and choral conducting courses, made contributions to the research community, and served as a clinician at the national level. Her extensive specialized work in all three of the innovative 20th-century music education European approaches created by, respectively, composers Karl Orff, Zoltan Kodaly and Emile-Jacques Dalcroze, represents an extraordinary and comprehensive resource to music education and applied music students. Dr. Skadsem's contributions to the education and musical environment and the choral world at the state and national levels have been significant. Her vision, guidance, and leadership skills will be well utilized at the University.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS:

Reviewer (A) –

“She has a beautiful voice and a graceful and elegant way of allowing the musical flow and feeling to be communicated to her students through her bodily gestures. Dr. Skadsem's interest in gesture is captured not only in her applied conducting of university students and children in community choirs, but also in her scholarly writing. She is one of very few writers in the field who has done so well to articulate the behavior and nuance of the conducting art, and to frame questions that bring forward a clarification of the relationship between transmitter-conductor and recipient-responder singers.”

Reviewer (B) –

“Julie demonstrated many excellent and desirable qualities as a faculty member, and her record indicates a willingness to go the extra mile in all of her responsibilities. As a faculty member at the University of Alabama, Julie has become recognized throughout the region through her research, her work in the schools and her work with choirs. She has developed a significant presence as a choral clinician, and has conducted numerous honor choirs and led numerous clinics and workshops.”

Reviewer (C) –

“She has reached out to the teaching community and has brought her wisdom and training to many educators in the southern states. In addition, she has presented at organizations important to her field of music education.”

Reviewer (D) –

“My direct observation of her work has led me to believe that she is the music making, energetic pedagogue with strong musical values that you are seeking. Her entire career represents a strong and continuing commitment to music making.”

Reviewer (E) –

“In general, I am impressed with her professionalism and depth of experience. I must say I was not aware of the extent of her scholarly pursuits until reading her *Vitae*. I have found her to be a congenial and reliable colleague.”

Reviewer (F) –

“Dr. Skadsem has numerous attributes but I would say that her attention to detail heads the list. This mind-set crosses all areas of her work. She sets very clear goals and objectives for her students. Dr. Skadsem has such outstanding organization skills that she is frequently asked to head important committees. Beyond Dr. Skadsem’s profession qualities, she is an outstanding individual who you would enjoy having on your faculty. She is a team player and will work toward the common goals of your program.”

Reviewer (G) -

“She is a master teacher, and I say this without hesitation. She is a consummate professional and has had a strong impact on the Music Education Department and School of Music. She is a pleasure to work with and has a clear grasp of the global perspectives required to make and to contribute to a comprehensive school of music.”

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY:

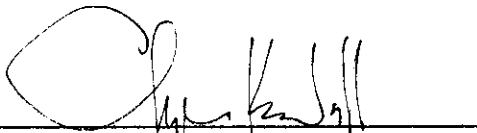
Dr. Skadsem is an active clinician, guest conductor and adjudicator at state, regional and national levels. She provides sessions for teachers on music methods, rehearsal techniques, conducting, choral literature and Dalcroze Eurhythmics. To date, she has offered 34 clinics, performed as guest conductor for 16 honor choirs and adjudicated 17 vocal/choral festivals. Noteworthy appearances include an invited presentation at the National American Orff-Schulwerk Association Conference, conducting the Missouri All-State Middle School Chorus, and six divisional presentations for the American Choral Directors Association and the Music Educators National Conference. In addition, Dr. Skadsem routinely visits public school music programs to observe teacher interns, consult with teachers, and work with choral ensembles. She is a member of 10 professional organizations and attends local, state, regional and national conferences in her field annually.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION:

Dr. Skadsem’s contributions to the education and musical environment and the choral world at the state and national levels make her the ideal candidate for a position in the Department of Music Education/Choral Conduction in the School of Music, Theatre & Dance.

We believe that Dr. Skadsem will be a valuable and essential addition to our faculty. It is with great enthusiasm that we recommend the appointment of Julie A. Skadsem as associate professor of music (music education/choral conducting), with tenure effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Christopher W. Kendall
Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

July 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Alexander Tsodikov
TITLE: Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Biostatistics, and with the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Alexander Tsodikov as professor of biostatistics, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Academic Degrees

Professor Tsodikov received his master's degree in applied mathematics in 1988 and his Ph.D. in mathematics/computing in 1991, both from Saint Petersburg State Technical University.

Professional Record

Professor Tsodikov was appointed research associate professor in the Department of Oncology at the University of Utah School of Medicine in 2002. He joined the faculty at the University of California at Davis School of Medicine as associate professor of biostatistics in 2003, and was promoted to the rank of professor with tenure, effective July 1, 2006.

Summary of Evaluation

Dr. Tsodikov has shown exceptional productivity in statistical methodology and applied research. He has made fundamental contributions to the theory of biostatistics, particularly in the areas of disease modeling, survival analysis, and the analysis of gene expression data. He has also contributed to the mathematical modeling of prostate cancer, which has profound implications for the use of prostate specific antigen (PSA) as a marker for prostate cancer and its progression. His research has important applications for addressing many problems in public health, biology, and medicine, particularly with reference to cancer epidemiology and interventions. In addition, he has published on new methodology for microarray data analysis and its applications to clinical problems. Dr. Tsodikov's contribution has won him national and international recognition in biostatistical methods in cancer research. He has a steadily increasing record of publications in excellent journals, grant funding, and collaborative accomplishment.

Professor Tsodikov is a talented and very versatile teacher who will be able to teach across a broad spectrum of the curriculum and who will add to our offerings at the senior graduate level. He has strong mathematical training and is able to contribute to the theoretical fabric of biostatistics. At the same time, his breadth of experience in collaborative and clinical research will make him a very valuable teacher in the on job/on campus program in clinical research.

Excerpts from External Review

Reviewer A: "Professor Tsodikov has a substantial publication record in both statistical methodology and collaborative research. He has made some important contributions in the area of cure rate estimation and semiparametric inference."

Reviewer B: "Dr. Tsodikov is an outstanding statistician; he is certainly among the best of his cohort." "[He] has published widely on both theoretical and applied aspects of statistics. His recent work on semi-parametric models....and on population models for prostate cancer....are good examples of the breadth of his interests." "I believe that Dr. Tsodikov will be a strong asset to your department. Appoint him."

Reviewer C: "...I followed his work [in mathematical modeling of early detection strategies in cancer] closely, and I consider it of very high standard, both in terms of technical level of mathematical developments, and in terms of care taken in linking the mathematical developments to their biological and clinical underpinnings." "Dr. Tsodikov is a very well trained, productive, and proficient interdisciplinary researcher and would be a great strength for any Biostatistics group."

Reviewer D: "Dr. Tsodikov is an accomplished biostatistician....is a scholar of exceptional strength, breadth, and promise....he represents a very good matching of mathematical ability with substantial experience in collaboration with physicians and biologists." "His contributions to modern biostatistics are nationally and internationally recognized....Of special note is his discovery of a general class of non-linear transformation survival models and associated methods of semiparametric inference. This research endeavor represents a real theoretical breakthrough in one of the most important and rapidly developing fields of survival analysis." "He has my very strong recommendation."

Reviewer E: "Alex is a man 'for all seasons'." "The culmination of his recent work is a paper....[which] has very important implications for the screening of prostate cancer using the PSA marker....I regard this paper as one of the important statistical papers which model the early detection of chronic diseases." "I would rank him as being in the top group of his generation of biostatistical scientists....I think he is an outstanding appointment."

Reviewer F: "...Dr. Tsodikov is a solid citizen in the biostatistical community in terms of his membership on numerous review panels, service as a referee, and his role as biostatistician on numerous grants. Similarly, his teaching, course development and committee work show a great deal of scholarly activity." "Dr. Tsodikov's numerous collaborative papers attest to his desire and proven ability to contribute to biomedical research and public health. The broad array of different journals in which he has published also is impressive." "I support his appointment as Professor with tenure."

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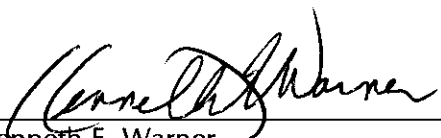
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Summary of Recommendation

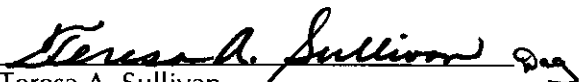
Professor Tsodikov is a highly productive and innovative researcher who will make important contributions to our activities in methodological research, graduate teaching and supervision, and in our important role in collaborative research. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Alexander Tsodikov as professor of biostatistics, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Kenneth E. Warner
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

July 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Pan Zheng, M.D., Ph.D.

TITLE: Associate Professor of Surgery, and
Associate Professor of Pathology

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure (Surgery)
Without Tenure (Pathology)

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 21, 2006

APPOINTMENT TERM: 12 Months

On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Collier Distinguished Professor and Chair of the Department of Surgery, and Jay L. Hess, M.D., Ph.D., the Carl V. Weller Professor and Chair of the Department of Pathology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Pan Zheng, M.D., Ph.D., as Associate Professor of Surgery, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Pathology, without tenure, effective July 21, 2006.

Dr. Zheng received the Ph.D. degree in immunobiology from Yale University and the M.D. degree from Peking Union Medical College. She pursued her residency training in anatomic and clinical pathology at New York University from 1994-98. In 1998, Dr. Zheng joined the faculty at Ohio State University as Assistant Professor of Pathology and of Medical Virology, Immunology and Human Genetics. She was promoted to the rank of Associate Professor, with tenure, in 2003.

Dr. Zheng's research interests include molecular mechanisms of tumor evasion of host immunity, function of proto-oncogene PML, transcription regulation of antigen presentation genes, immune recognition and immune regulation in prostate cancer, and phosphatase and tumor suppressor. She is the principal investigator on two active grants and has additional grant applications pending in which she is the principal investigator. Dr. Zheng's bibliography reflects 46 publications in peer-reviewed journals, such as *Nature*, *Journal of Immunology*, and *Cancer Research*. Dr. Zheng currently is a manuscript reviewer for the publications *Cancer Research*, *Tissue Antigens*, and the *International Journal of Cancer* and grant reviews for NIH study sections. At the University of Michigan, Dr. Zheng will build a program based upon clinical results,

surgical outcomes, and research analysis. In addition to pursuit of her own personal research interest, Dr. Zheng will serve as a catalyst for other departmental colleagues. In this regard, she will team with faculty colleagues in the Section of General Surgery on collaborative research projects.

Recent and Significant Publications

Xincheng Zheng, Jian-Xin Gao, Huiming Zhang, Terrence Geiger, Yang Liu and Pan Zheng: Clonal deletion of SV40 large T antigen-specific T cells in the TRAMP mice: an important role for negative selection in shaping the repertoire of T cells specific for antigens over-expressed in solid tumors. *J Immunol* 169: 4761-4769, 2002.

Xincheng Zheng, Jian-Xin Gao, Xing Chang, Yin Wang, Yan Liu, Jing Wen, Jian Zhang, Yang Liu and Pan Zheng: B7-CD28 Interaction Promotes Proliferation and Survival but Suppresses Differentiation of CD4⁺CD8⁻ T Cells in the Thymus. *J Immunol*. 173:2253-61, 2004.

Xincheng Zheng, Lijie Yin, Yang Liu and Pan Zheng: Expression of tissue-specific autoantigens in the hematopoietic cells leads to activation-induced cell death of autoreactive T cells in the secondary lymphoid organs. *Eur J Immunol* 34:3126-34, 2004.

Tianyu Yang, Philip E. Lapinski, Haotian Zhao, Qunmin Zhou, Huiming Zhang, Malini Raghavan, Yang Liu, Pan Zheng: A rare transporter associated with antigen processing polymorphism overpresented in HLA^{low} colon cancer reveals the functional significance of the signature domain in antigen processing. *Clin Cancer Res* 11(10):3614-23, 2005.

Tianyu Yang, Beth McNally, Soldano Ferrone, Yang Liu and Pan Zheng: A single nucleotide deletion leads to rapid degradation of *TAP-1* mRNA in a melanoma cell line. *J Biol Chem* 278:15291-6, 2003.

Dr. Zheng is an experience and effective teacher. At her current institution, she teaches residents, fellows, and medical students in various lectures, seminars, laboratory instructor and journal club readings as course director. She is on the Graduate Student Advisory Committee as a mentor for six graduate students. At the University of Michigan, Dr. Zheng's teaching responsibilities will include medical students and house officer education in a variety of settings, including but not limited to scheduled didactic sessions, teaching rounds and conferences. She will participate in the broad range of divisional, sectional, and departmental education efforts, including conferences such as Death and Complications, Grand Rounds, and the Annual Faculty Retreat. Dr. Zheng also will have a special role in the department's translational research curriculum.

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

Reviewer A: “Over the last decade, this husband and wife team [Dr. Yang Liu and Dr. Zheng] has established one of the most creative and productive laboratories in cellular immunology, molecular biology and tumor immunology in this country. Her publication record is just outstanding, with manuscripts appearing in some of the most selective journals in the world, such as Science and Nature.”

Reviewer B: “Pan is highly productive. Her work is consistently of high quality and her papers are published in top journals. There is every expectation that this trend will continue to progress.”

Reviewer C: “The promise of cancer immunotherapy is dependent on a thorough understanding of lymphocyte-tumor cell interaction. Dr. Zheng has established a leading role and an outstanding record in this area of research. With the systems that she has developed over the years, she is poised to continue to make significant contributions in this important field, as illustrated by the recent research progress in her laboratory.”

Reviewer D: “...I think Dr. Zheng an ideal colleague, one that I would welcome in my own department and feel that she will contribute significantly to both the tumor immunology and basic immunology research programs at the University of Michigan.”

Reviewer E: “Dr. Zheng is truly an outstanding Physician Scientist who has extensive expertise in molecular biology and immunology, as well as clinical experiences and knowledge on human diseases.”

Reviewer F: “Dr. Zheng has done most exciting work in the mechanism of tumor evasion of host immunity. A unique approach that she has taken is to analyze the phenotypes of recurrent tumors in mouse tumors. She has published several first-authored papers in leading journals such as *Nature*, *Journal of Experimental Medicine*, and *Cancer Research*. She has also extended the mouse data into human samples as shown by her publication in *Clinical Cancer Research*, *Journal of Biological Chemistry* and *Cancer Immunity*.”

Dr. Zheng is a board certified clinical pathologist whose service responsibilities in the Department of Pathology will include diagnostic activities in the Clinical Immunopathology Laboratory and the Flow Cytometry Section of the Hematopathology Laboratory. This will include case sign out, quality control and assurance and participation in new assay development. In addition, she will participate in the training of house officers rotating through these laboratory services.

Dr. Zheng is nationally recognized in the field of tumor immunology and tumor biology. She has developed a strong independent research program and provides valuable expertise as a scientific collaborator. Dr. Zheng is an outstanding investigator,

an excellent role model to students and residents, and a superb diagnostician. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Pan Zheng, M.D., Ph.D., as Associate Professor of Surgery, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Pathology, without tenure.

Recommended by

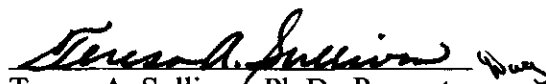
Recommendation endorsed by



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School



Robert P. Kelch, M.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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

July 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Paul Conway
TITLE: Associate Professor of Information
TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the faculty of the School of Information, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Paul Conway as associate professor of information, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Dr. Conway received a B.A. (History) in 1975 from Indiana University, a M.A. (History: Administration of Archives) in 1980 from the University of Michigan, and a Ph.D. (Information and Library Studies) in 1991 from the University of Michigan.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Dr. Conway has served as Faculty Director for Curriculum Development, Director of Digital Asset Initiatives, and as an Adjunct Associate Professor of Public Policy Studies at Duke University since June 2005. Prior to these roles, he was the Director of Information Technology Services from 2001-2005 at Duke University. Before arriving at Duke, Dr. Conway was at Yale University Library where he held various titles for many years. He was the Coordinator of Special Projects, Head of the Preservation Department, and Acting Head of the Acquisitions Department. Prior to his work with Yale, Dr. Conway was at the National Archives of Records Administration, the Society of American Archivists, and the Gerald R. Ford Presidential Library working in various roles such as archives specialist and preservation program officer.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Dr. Conway brings a wealth of experience in archival and library practice and has long been regarded by the archival profession as one of the leading implementers and innovators in his field. His cross-disciplinary approach positions him well to do research and teaching projects with SI faculty members in a variety of areas. He is a master teacher who has had successful experience including undergraduate, graduate, and practitioner audiences. The School of Information Promotion/Tenure committee voted unanimously in favor of offering Conway an associate professor position without tenure. This was in turn endorsed overwhelmingly by the SI governing faculty.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A: “If Paul was a candidate for a faculty position at the University of Pittsburgh, there is no question we would hire him, probably at the Associate level with a fast track for tenure (and perhaps even promotion to Full Professor). ...I am nothing but enthusiastic (and envious) for the possibility of Michigan hiring Paul Conway.”

Reviewer B: “...Paul is one of only two or three practitioners in the country who work at the nexus of archival and library preservation and information technology. ...I believe that he would be an exciting hire. I give him my strongest recommendation.”

Reviewer C: “...wherever I have traveled, I have found scholars who admire his work. He clearly has established a reputation for himself as a scholar as well as for someone willing to roll up his sleeves and get the work done. That combination of vision and skill is rare.”

Reviewer D: “Paul’s addition to the faculty will send a message to the library community that Michigan is once again out in front, thinking about the future and populating the faculty with thoughtful thinkers and scholars who will help create that future.”

Reviewer E: “His depth of professional expertise and his innate research orientation...when coupled with his interdisciplinary expertise...are unique. ...I believe that Paul would be an excellent choice for a faculty position at the School of Information, as well as being a valuable addition to the ranks of faculty in these fields nationally and internationally.”

Reviewer F: “I commend Paul Conway for his perceptiveness to dealing with the challenges of preservation and access in the digital age in innovative research. ...His work and scholarly standing would certainly meet the requirements for someone being considered for an appointment of full professor and tenure at the University of Amsterdam.”

Reviewer G: “...I see Paul’s deep knowledge of digital library technology and strategies for creating useful archival and documentary resources for future scholarship dependent on digital sources as a tremendous asset. ...I think he would be a tremendous asset to your program.”

Reviewer H: “Paul Conway is considered by practitioners as one of the few real experts in the digital library field. His statements emerge from research and deep consideration. . . I can tell you that if we had an opportunity to hire Paul for a senior-level position at the Library of Congress, I would do so in an instant.”

Reviewer I: “He is grounded in the practice of archival administration, but his interests as a faculty member are to push the boundaries of archival theory and also to seek innovative ways to apply archival theory in a variety of information technology domains.”

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

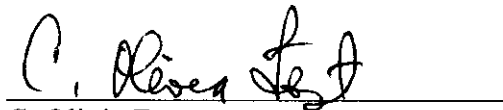
Throughout his career Dr. Conway has broken new ground in the worlds of practice, research and teaching. His dissertation offered a path-breaking conceptual model for studying users of archives. He almost single-handedly launched the research field of user studies in archives, which other researchers have subsequently developed. As Head of the Preservation Department at Yale University, Dr. Conway led numerous digital preservation projects that placed Yale as one of the leading research libraries in digital preservation. He has generalized the findings of these projects into numerous technical reports, books chapters and manuals that have had broad impact on digital library practice. He left Yale to assume the position of Director of Information Technology Services at Duke University Libraries. At Duke, Dr. Conway is one of the core faculty who launched the new "Information Science + Information Studies (ISIS)" program and is Faculty Director of Curriculum Development for the inter-disciplinary program and the lead design and co-instructor for a new under-graduate course "which explores the history of interactive simulation and video games.

Dr. Conway has a strong publication record, and School of Information faculty teaching in Dr. Conway's area assign at least one of Dr. Conway's articles in almost every course they teach. He also has an impressive track record of attracting funding from the Mellon Foundation, the National Historical Publications and Records Commission, and the National Endowment for the Humanities.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Dr. Conway brings a rare combination of solid experience in the world of practice and the skills to bring that experience into the academic teaching and research. His research interests are cross-cutting and have the potential to engage faculty across a wide range of SI disciplines. He is a skilled administrator in his area of digital preservation and is also a visionary and innovator who has gained respect and support from major funding sources. He is a highly successful teacher with experience which will add to our growing strength in digital archiving. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Dr. Paul Conway as associate professor of information, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



C. Olivia Frost
Interim Dean, School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

July 2006

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Regents Communication

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Recommendations for approval of reappointments
of regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Reappointment
for a Faculty Member

NAME: Rosina M. Bierbaum

CURRENT TITLE: Dean and Professor of Natural Resources and
Environmental Policy, with tenure
School of Natural Resources and Environment

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Dean, School of Natural Resources and Environment

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009

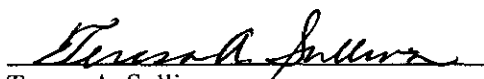
Rosina M. Bierbaum was appointed Dean of the School of Natural Resources and Environment from October 1, 2001 through September 30, 2006. President Coleman and I have invited her to stay for a second term in order to continue many important initiatives, including the expansion of the mission of the School to include global change. This recommendation follows an extensive reappointment review process.

Dean Bierbaum received her B.S. degree in Biology and B.A. degree in English from Boston College in 1974, and her Ph.D. degree in Ecology and Evolution from the State University of New York, Stony Brook, in 1985. Prior to joining the School of Natural Resources and Environment in October 2001, she held numerous positions in the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy, including that of acting director from January 2001. She served as the Administration's senior scientific advisor on environmental research and development, with responsibilities for scientific input and guidance on a wide range of national and international environmental issues.

Dean Bierbaum currently serves as the Vice Chair of the United Nations Scientific Expert Group on Climate Change; as a trustee of the University Corporation for Atmospheric Research; and as a board member for the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the Federation of American Scientists, The Energy Foundation, and the Environmental and Energy Study Institute. On campus, she co-chairs the University of Michigan's Sustainability Task Force, Chairs the Deans' Council of the Graham Environmental Sustainability Institute, and is part of the oversight committee developing a certificate program in Science, Technology and Public Policy.

The national reputation of the School of Natural Resources and Environment has advanced under Dean Bierbaum's leadership. She has guided the School through a successful strategic review and planning process that included a rethinking of the curriculum in the graduate programs; she has hired a number of excellent new faculty and encouraged the considerable growth of research funding. I am pleased to recommend Rosina M. Bierbaum for a second term as Dean the School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective October 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,



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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment
for a faculty member

NAME: George W. Furnas

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Information, with tenure, and Associate Dean for
Academic Strategy, School of Information, Professor of
Electrical and Computer Science, without tenure, College of
Engineering, and Professor of Psychology, without tenure,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Academic Strategy, School of Information

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2008

The Dean and the faculty of the School of Information recommend the reappointment of George W. Furnas as associate dean for academic strategy in the School of Information, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2008.

George W. Furnas earned his A.B. *summa cum laude* from Harvard University in 1974. He received his Ph.D. from Stanford University in 1980. Before coming to the University of Michigan in 1995, Professor Furnas served as the Director of Computer Graphic and Interactive Media Research for the prestigious AT&T Bell Laboratories in New Jersey.

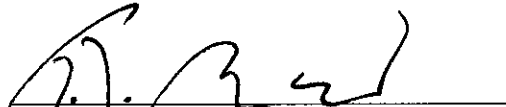
Professor Furnas has continued his leadership by engaging faculty in various school-wide issues (e.g. curricular change, space issues that impact the sense of community, re-thinking our specializations) through weekly Intellectual Integration and Direction Finding (IIDF) meetings and once-a-semester retreats. Professor Furnas is often called upon to give an overview of how the school's research and teaching are an integrated whole, the result of his work in the Strategic Assessment Self-Statement document that was sent to the Provost's Office and the internal and external review committees a few years ago. This is always an enthusiastic reaffirmation of our shared mission, something that *all* faculty can now articulate.

Professor Furnas has earned the respect of his colleagues for his leadership, research, and teaching. He will continue to provide strong and effective leadership for the School. We therefore recommend his reappointment as Associate Dean for Academic Strategy, School of Information, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2008.

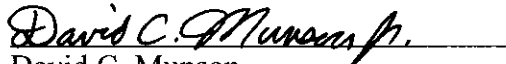
RECOMMENDED BY:



C. Olivia Frost
Interim Dean, School of Information



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



David C. Munson
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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July 2006

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

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

NAME: Steven L. Kunkel

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Biological Sciences and Life Sciences
Initiatives, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate
Studies; Pathology Research Endowed Professor, Professor
of Pathology, with tenure, and Co-Director, Division of
General Pathology, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Biological Sciences and Life Sciences
Initiatives, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006 through July 31, 2008

To support of the Graduate School's efforts to enhance graduate education and interdisciplinarity in the biological and life sciences, I am delighted to recommend the reappointment of Steven L. Kunkel as associate dean for biological sciences and life sciences initiatives in the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies for a two-year period, effective August 1, 2006 through July 31, 2008.


Professor Kunkel earned his B.S. degree in 1973 and M.S. degree in 1974 from North Dakota State University, and Ph.D. degree in 1978 from the University of Kansas. He has worked in the University of Michigan's Medical School since 1980, serving both in the Department of Microbiology and Immunology and the Department of Pathology. In 1997, the Department of Pathology named Professor Kunkel the recipient of the first Pathology Research Endowed Professorship and Co-Director of the Division of General Pathology. In 1996 he received the University of Michigan's Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award and the University of Michigan Medical School Distinguished Faculty Lectureship Award in Biomedical Research in 2001. An active researcher and prolific writer of reviewed scholarly papers, he holds editorial roles in the leading national journals related to his fields of scholarship. In addition to his academic achievements, Professor Kunkel has been active in the University of Michigan community, most notably through his service as Acting Associate Vice President for Research during 1994-95 and as Interim Dean of the Rackham Graduate School and Interim Vice Provost for Academic Affairs, Graduate Studies from June 2004 through July 2005.

Professor Kunkel has earned the respect of his colleagues in the Medical School and throughout the University community for his leadership, research and teaching as well as his service as

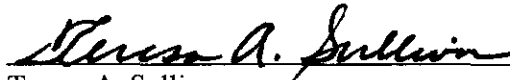
Acting Vice President for Research, Interim Dean of the Rackham Graduate School, and Interim Vice Provost for Academic Affairs, Graduate Studies. The breadth of perspective he gained from and connections he formed while serving in those University-wide capacities make his contributions to the Graduate School and its various constituencies invaluable. He will continue to provide strong and effective leadership in the biological sciences and life sciences initiatives for the Graduate School. I am therefore pleased to recommend the reappointment of Steven L. Kunkel as associate dean for biological sciences and life sciences initiatives in the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, effective August 1, 2006 through July 31, 2008.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Janet A. Weiss
Vice Provost for Academic Affairs,
Graduate Studies and Dean, Horace H. Rackham
School of Graduate Studies



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



Allen S. Lichter
Dean, Medical School

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Renewal of Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Richard L. Lewis

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Psychology, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Linguistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Professor of Linguistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Richard L. Lewis as associate professor of linguistics, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

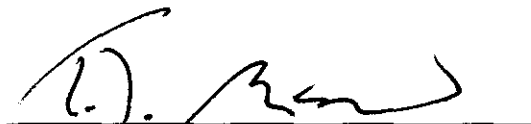
Richard Lewis earned his Bachelor of Science, *summa cum laude*, at the University of Central Florida in 1987 and Doctorate at Carnegie Mellon University in 1993. Upon completion of a postdoctoral appointment at Princeton University, Professor Lewis began his teaching career as assistant professor at the Ohio State University in 1995. He joined our faculty in 2000 and was appointed associate professor, without tenure, in the College of Engineering from 2001 to 2003.

For the past six years, Professor Lewis has demonstrated a deep commitment to the Department of Linguistics by co-teaching courses, serving on dissertation committees, meeting with faculty and students, presenting colloquia talks, and working to establish an interdisciplinary psycholinguistics program at both the undergraduate and graduate levels.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Richard L. Lewis as associate professor of linguistics, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

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

NAME: Matthew D. Shapiro

CURRENT TITLES: Lawrence R. Klein Collegiate Professor of Economics, Chair and Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: One Year

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the reappointment of Matthew D. Shapiro as Chair of the Department of Economics for a one-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

Matthew Shapiro attended Yale University where he received both his Bachelor of Arts and his Master of Arts in 1979. He was awarded a Doctorate at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1984. Professor Shapiro began his teaching career as assistant professor at Yale in 1984. He joined our faculty as associate professor, with tenure, in 1989 and was promoted to professor in 1995. He has served as chair of his department since 2003.

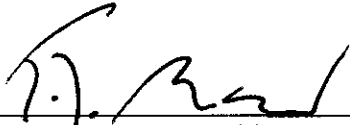
Professor Shapiro's general area of research is macroeconomics. He has carried out projects on investment and capital utilization, business-cycle fluctuations, consumption and saving, financial markets, fiscal policy, monetary policy, time-series econometrics, and survey research. Current research interests include modeling how recent changes in tax policy affect investment, employment, and output and using surveys to address questions in macroeconomics, among others. He served as Senior Economist at the Council of Economic Advisers (1993-1994) with responsibilities for macroeconomic analysis and the weekly economic briefing of the President. He was also co-editor of the *American Economic Review* (1997-2000).

Professor Shapiro is a member of the Academic Advisory Panel of the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago and the Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee. He has been a member of the National Academy of Science's Committee on National Statistics and its Panel on Non-Market Accounts.


We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Matthew D. Shapiro as Chair of the Department of Economics for a one-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

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

NAME: Steven Moore Whiting

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Graduate Studies, and
Associate Professor of Music (Musicology), with tenure,
School of Music, Theatre & Dance

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Graduate Studies,
School of Music, Theatre & Dance

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009

With the support of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Steven Moore Whiting as the Associate Dean for Graduate Studies, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

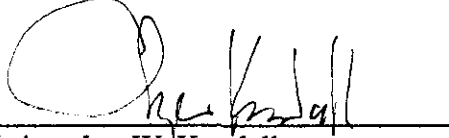
Steven Whiting received a B.A. in 1975 from Macalester College, and the M.M. (1984) and Ph.D. (1991) from the University of Illinois. From 1975 through 1977, he attended the Christian-Albrechts-Universität in Kiel, Germany. He joined the University of Michigan in 1992 as assistant professor, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1999.

Since joining the University of Michigan, Professor Whiting has served as director of the Center for European Studies from 1998 through 2002, and as associate director of the International Institute from 2000 through 2002. Professor Whiting's responsibilities within the School of Music, Theatre and Dance include the administration of doctoral and masters degree programs authorized through the Rackham School of Graduate Studies, oversight of instructional assignments of faculty in the departments of Music History/Musicology, Music Theory, and Music Composition, and administration of the GSI program. In addition, he will also serve as executive secretary to the Faculty Council on Graduate Studies and ex officio on the Executive Committee.

Steven Whiting is an invaluable member of the administrative staff in the School. He is a thoughtful, wise and articulate colleague who continues to provide exemplary council, judgment and leadership. Professor Whiting is a witty and deeply knowledgeable communicator in public on behalf of the School, and is able to enthusiastically represent the research and scholarly interests of the faculty.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Steven Moore Whiting as the Associate Dean for Graduate Studies, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Christopher W. Kendall
Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

July 2006

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Regents Communication

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

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: David H. Garabrant

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Occupational Medicine, with tenure, School of Public Health, and Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine, without tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

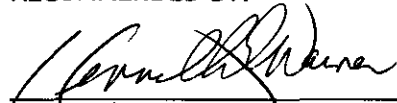
On the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of David H. Garabrant as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, in the School of Public Health, effective August 1, 2006.

Dr. Garabrant received his undergraduate degree in chemical engineering from Tufts College in 1972 and his M.D. degree from Tufts University School of Medicine in 1976. Upon completion of his residency training at Harvard School of Public Health and Boston University Medical Center, Dr. Garabrant continued his studies at Harvard University School of Public Health, receiving his M.P.H. degree in 1979 and his M.S. degree in Physiology (Occupational Medicine) in 1980. From 1981-88, Dr. Garabrant held a faculty appointment at the University of Southern California School of Medicine. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan School of Public Health in 1988 first as associate professor of occupational medicine, with tenure, being promoted to professor in 1996. Dr. Garabrant was appointed associate professor of emergency medicine, without tenure, in the Medical School in 2002. In 2004, he was appointed director of the University of Michigan Center for Risk Science and Communication.

Since 2001, Dr. Garabrant has served as director of the Occupational and Environmental Epidemiology program in the School of Public Health. With the increased enrollments in this program and with students enrolled in the program now receiving a joint degree in epidemiology and environmental health sciences, Dr. Garabrant has become more closely involved in the teaching of epidemiology courses. In addition, he has been closely involved in the teaching and research activities of the Department of Epidemiology since joining the School of Public Health in 1988.

We are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of David H. Garabrant as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, effective August 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Janet R. Gilsdorf
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure,
Medical School
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health
EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

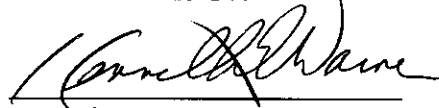
On the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Janet R. Gilsdorf as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, in the School of Public Health, effective August 1, 2006.

Dr. Gilsdorf received her undergraduate degree from North Dakota State University in 1966 and attended Medical School at the University of North Dakota from 1966-68, receiving her M.D. degree from the University of Nebraska in 1970. Her internship and residency were served at Baylor School of Medicine and Valley Medical Center, Fresno, California, followed by a fellowship in pediatric infectious diseases at the University of Minnesota. Dr. Gilsdorf served at the USPHS Indian Health Service Hospital in Nevada and the Yukon Kuskokwim Health Corp. in Bethel, Alaska from 1972-75. From 1978-79, she served as clinical instructor at the University of California, San Francisco. She was appointed as assistant professor in the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Michigan in 1982, being promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1989 and to professor in 1995. Since 1989, Dr. Gilsdorf has served as the director of pediatric infectious diseases in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases at the University of Michigan. She also served as interim chair of that department from 1994-96. In 2000, Dr. Gilsdorf was appointed co-director of the Center for Molecular and Clinical Epidemiology of Infectious Disease (MAC-Epid) at the University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Dr. Gilsdorf has demonstrated excellence in teaching and research in collaboration with faculty in the Hospital and Molecular Epidemiology Program. Her innovative teaching approach to utilizing small discussion groups in both the Medical School and the School of Public Health has met with success from both students and faculty. Dr. Gilsdorf has had a long-standing interest in the epidemiology of childhood infections, and her research interests have included the epidemiology of *H. influenzae* infections and infections in day care centers. This joint appointment will further enhance the productive collaboration she has maintained with faculty and graduate students in MAC-Epid.

We are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Janet R. Gilsdorf as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, effective August 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Amid I. Ismail
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health
EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

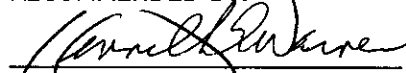
On the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Amid I. Ismail as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, in the School of Public Health, effective August 1, 2006.

Dr. Ismail received his M.P.H. and Dr.P.H. degrees both from the University of Michigan School of Public Health in 1980 and 1984, respectively. He also received his M.B.A. degree from the University of Michigan Stephen M. Ross School of Business in 2005. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan School of Public Health in 1984 as a lecturer/assistant research scientist in the Program in Dental Public Health, being promoted to assistant professor in 1985. In 1986, he joined the faculty at McGill University as assistant professor in the Department of Community Dentistry, having served as acting chair in that department from 1987-88. In 1988, he joined the faculty at Dalhousie University, Canada, as associate professor in the Departments of Community Health and Epidemiology and Pediatric and Community Dentistry, serving as chair of the Department of Pediatric and Community Dentistry from 1992-95. He was promoted to professor in the Department of Dental Clinical Services in 1995, having served as chair in that department from 1995-97. Dr. Ismail returned to the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1997 as professor, with tenure, in the Department of Cariology, Restorative Sciences, and Endodontics in the School of Dentistry.

Upon the retirement of key faculty in the Program in Dental Public Health in the Department of Epidemiology, Dr. Ismail agreed to serve as director of this program. He is also director of the Detroit Center for Research on Oral Health Disparities, a center grant aimed at identifying the causes of disparities in oral health. With his distinguished career in oral health disparities, Dr. Ismail is an ideal candidate to assist in maintaining the program in Dental Public Health as a viable presence in the School of Public Health and that its graduates will continue as leaders in this discipline.

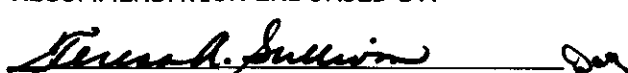
We are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Amid I. Ismail as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, effective August 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

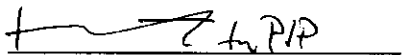


Kenneth E. Warner, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



Peter J. Polverini, D.D.S.
Dean, School of Dentistry

July 2006

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Arthur Kuo

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure,
Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering

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

EFFECTIVE DATES: June 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering and with the endorsements of the Department of Mechanical Engineering and the Department of Biomedical Engineering, I am pleased to recommend that Arthur Kuo be appointed as associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, in the Department of Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective June 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

Arthur Kuo received a B.S. in Electrical Engineering from the University of Illinois in 1987. He received both his MS and PhD degrees in Mechanical Engineering from Stanford University in 1989 and 1993, respectively. Dr. Kuo joined the University of Michigan in 1994 as an assistant professor. He was promoted to associate professor in 2001.

Professor Kuo has established an international reputation for his ability to develop elegant and simple models that provide insights into the mechanics and control of human walking. These models of a very complex problem are simple enough to be tractable, yet contain essential concepts that can be explored by experiments. He is also recognized for his experiments to test his hypotheses. His work is interdisciplinary, and he has established a reputation as someone who crosses traditional boundaries. He works and collaborates with colleagues in robotics, bioengineering and in clinical fields appropriate to his area of research. Professor Kuo has already found several applications for his work that have garnered considerable attention. His contributions in active and passive stabilization of human walking are regarded as seminal within his field.

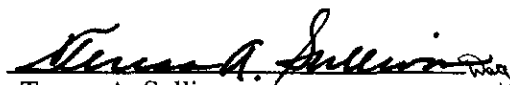
With this additional appointment, Professor Kuo is an ideal candidate to assist the Department of Biomedical Engineering by his active involvement with students and the curriculum. I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Arthur Kuo as associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective June 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Ronald Gibala
Interim Dean, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: John J. LiPuma
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure,
Medical School
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health
EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

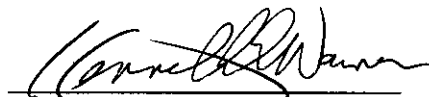
On the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of John J. LiPuma as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, in the School of Public Health, effective August 1, 2006.

Dr. LiPuma received his undergraduate degree from Canisius College, Buffalo, New York in 1976 and attended St. Louis University School of Medicine receiving the M.D. degree in 1980. His internship and residency were served in the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Michigan Medical Center from 1980-83. He then served as a fellow in pediatric infectious diseases at the University of Michigan Medical Center from 1983-86. From 1986-90, Dr. LiPuma served as assistant professor of pediatrics and microbiology/immunology at the Medical College of Pennsylvania. In 1990, he was appointed as associate professor, with tenure, of pediatrics and microbiology/immunology at the Medical College of Pennsylvania Hahnemann University, being promoted to professor in 1998. From 1996-98, he served as the assistant provost for administration at the Medical College of Pennsylvania Hahnemann University. Dr. LiPuma joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1999 as associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, being promoted to professor in 2003. The Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases appointed Dr. LiPuma associate chair for research in 2004.

Dr. LiPumas has demonstrated excellence in teaching and research. He has had extensive experience in the teaching of cell and molecular biology and has served as a graduate faculty advisor to numerous M.D. and Ph.D. students. He has developed and directed courses in bacterial physiology, molecular biology and medical research. His research involving *Burkholderia cepacia* in cystic fibrosis parallels ongoing research conducted in the Center for Molecular and Clinical Epidemiology of Infectious Diseases. This joint appointment will enhance productive collaborations with faculty and graduate students as Dr. LiPuma continues to involve himself in the teaching and research activities of the Department of Epidemiology.

We are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of John J. LiPuma as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, effective August 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Lewis B. Morgenstern

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Neurology, with tenure; Professor of Emergency Medicine, without tenure; and Professor of Neurosurgery, without tenure; Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

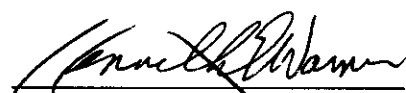
On the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Lewis B. Morgenstern as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, in the School of Public Health, effective August 1, 2006.

Dr. Morgenstern received his undergraduate degree in psychology from Pomona College in 1984 and his M.D. degree from the University of Michigan Medical School in 1990. Upon completion of his residency training in neurology at the John Hopkins University Hospital, Dr. Morgenstern held faculty appointments at the University of Texas in the Departments of Neurology and Epidemiology from 1995-2002. In addition, from 1998-2002, he served as co-director of the Stroke Program at the University of Texas, Houston and Hermann Hospital. In 2002, Dr. Morgenstern joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as associate professor, with tenure, in the Department of Neurology, as associate professor, without tenure, in the Department of Emergency Medicine and the Department of Neurosurgery, and as Director of the Stroke Program in the Department Neurology. He was promoted to the rank of professor in 2005.

Dr. Morgenstern's research has generated important findings in a number of areas. He has done important etiologic work on hemorrhagic stroke, stroke prevention, reasons for gender and racial/ethnic differences in the occurrence and outcome of stroke, and strategies for improving the delivery of state-of-the-art treatment modalities to all patients. By assembling an excellent group of collaborators, he has put together some of the best studies of cerebrovascular disease in Hispanic populations. These interests overlap with those of a number of the faculty in epidemiology with whom Dr. Morgenstern has collaborated. Furthermore, Dr. Morgenstern has mentored several epidemiology graduate students and has expressed interest in the development and teaching of a new course on cardiovascular epidemiology.

We are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Lewis B. Morgenstern as professor of epidemiology, without tenure, effective August 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Kenneth E. Warner, Ph.D.


Dean, School of Public Health



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D.

Provost and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Thylas Moss
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Art and Design, without tenure,
School of Art and Design
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

With the support of the Executive Committee of the School of Art and Design, and with the endorsement of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Thylas Moss as professor of art and design, without tenure, School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2006.

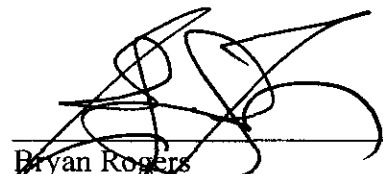
Thylas Moss currently holds the appointment of Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts. She was awarded an M.A. from the University of New Hampshire in 1983. She joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in 1993 as an assistant professor, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1994, and to professor in 1998.

Thylas Moss is a celebrated poet, playwright, essayist, and filmmaker. She is the recipient of numerous awards and nominations, including the National Book Critics Circle Award in Poetry, the Whiting Writer's Award, the Dewar's Profiles Performance Artist Award, the Witter Bynner Prize from the American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, and multiple nominations for the Pushcart Prize. She is a past Fellow of the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation and the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation. Her works have been included in major anthologies and publications, and she is a frequent guest lecturer and performer throughout the United States.

Thylas Moss is a dedicated university citizen who has developed creative partnerships with colleagues across campus. Her collaboration with faculty from the School of Art and Design has yielded a film and interactive performance based on Moss' novel in verse *Slave Moth*. Through her commitment to engaging and connecting with all aspects of creative practice, Thylas Moss is qualified to assist the School of Art and Design in expanding its interdisciplinary partnerships throughout the University community.


We respectfully request approval of the joint appointment of Thylas Moss as professor of art and design, without tenure, School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:




Bryan Rogers
Dean, School of Art and Design

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Sallyanne Payton
CURRENT TITLES: William W. Cook Professor of Law and Professor of Law,
with tenure, Law School
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Art and Design, without tenure,
School of Art and Design
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

With the support of the Executive Committees of the School of Art and Design and the Law School, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Sallyanne Payton as professor of art and design, without tenure, School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2006.

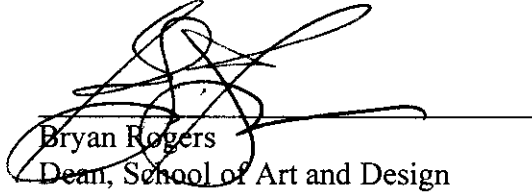
Sallyanne Payton currently holds the appointment of Professor, with tenure, in the Law School. She was awarded an LL.B. from Stanford Law School in 1968. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1976 as an associate professor, without tenure, was promoted to professor, with tenure, in 1984, and named the William W. Cook Professor Law in 2002.

Sallyanne Payton is a recognized expert in administrative law who actively engages colleagues on the national and international level. Her current research is focused on health law and the efforts to reform federal health care financing and regulation. Prior to joining the University of Michigan faculty, she was Chief Counsel for the Urban Mass Transportation Administration of the United States Department of Transportation and was a staff assistant to the President of the United States on the White House Domestic Council staff. She is a Fellow and member of the Board of Directors of the National Academy of Public Administration, a member of the United States Government Accountability Office Tools of Government Working Group, a member of the National Academy of Social Insurance Study Panel on Future Governance of Medicare, and past Chair of the Association of American Law Schools Administrative Law Section. In addition, she has served two terms as Trustee of Stanford University.

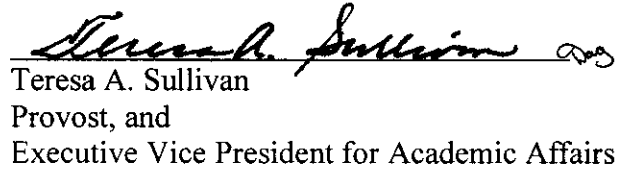
Sallyanne Payton is an active member of the University community, serving as a member of the Provost's Digital Strategies Council and as Chair of the University's Academic Computing Advisory Committee. Her interest in developing new, more visually-based methods for publishing legal and government information and data led her to form connections with faculty in the School of Art & Design to explore the intersections of law and art and design. Through her commitment to scholarship that crosses traditionally disparate fields of study, Professor Payton is well qualified to assist the School of Art and Design in expanding its interdisciplinary partnerships throughout the University community.

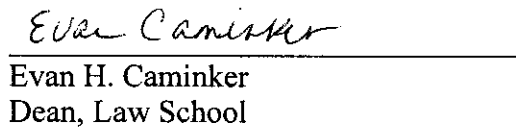
We respectfully request approval of the joint appointment of Sallyane Payton as professor of art and design, without tenure, School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Bryan Rogers
Dean, School of Art and Design

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School

July 2006

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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: George W. Taylor, III
CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health
EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

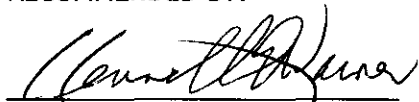
On the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of George W. Taylor, III as associate professor of epidemiology, without tenure, in the School of Public Health, effective August 1, 2006.

Dr. Taylor received his undergraduate degree from the University of Virginia in 1970 and his D.M.D. degree from Harvard University School of Dental Medicine in 1974. He subsequently spent several years serving in the United States Air Force Dental Corps and teaching at the University of Detroit, Mercy School of Dentistry. Dr. Taylor received his M.P.H. and Dr.P.H. degrees from the University of Michigan School of Public Health in 1982 and 1994 respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1993 as assistant professor in the School of Dentistry, Department of Cariology, Restorative Sciences and Endodontics, being promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2000.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan, Dr. Taylor has served as a valuable asset in the Dental Public Health Program in the Department of Epidemiology. Upon the retirement of key faculty in the Dental Public Health Program, Dr. Taylor assumed a larger role in the teaching and research activities of this program. Dr. Taylor collaborates with a number of the dental public health faculty and post-doctoral students enrolled in the program's training grant. We also expect faculty and students from epidemiology to collaborate with Dr. Taylor in his research studying the relationship between oral diseases and other systemic diseases, particularly the role of oral infections in diabetes mellitus, cardiovascular disease and adverse medical outcomes.

We are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of George W. Taylor, III as associate professor of epidemiology, without tenure, effective August 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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



Peter J. Polverini, D.D.S.
Dean, School of Dentistry

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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Recommendations for approval of leaves of absence
for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

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

NAME: Stephen W. Raudenbush

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education,
Research Professor, Survey Research Center, Institute for Social
Research, Professor of Statistics and Professor of Sociology,
without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TYPE OF LEAVE: Personal

DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2006

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007

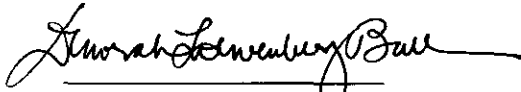
It is recommended that Stephen W. Raudenbush be granted an extension of leave of absence for the period of July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

Professor Raudenbush is working at the University of Chicago and this extension will allow him to continue his involvement at the University of Michigan.

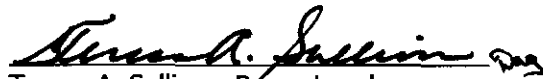
We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Stephen W. Raudenbush.

RECOMMENDED BY:

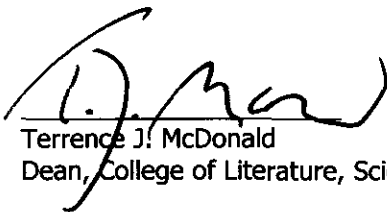
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Dean, School of Education



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



Terrence J. McDonald
Dean, College of Literature, Science and the Arts

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Establishing and renaming professorships and selected
academic administrative positions.

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: Lawrence H. Aller Collegiate Professorship in Astronomy
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of Lawrence H. Aller, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1948 to 1962. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Although he never finished high school, Lawrence H. Aller entered the University of California at Berkeley in 1932 and earned his bachelor's degree in 1936. At Harvard University he received his Master of Arts in 1938, was a Society of Fellows' member studying atomic physics and astronomy, and was awarded a Doctorate in 1942. For the next two years he worked on the Manhattan Project at the University of California Radiation Laboratory and then joined the faculty at Indiana University as assistant professor in 1945. He was appointed associate professor at the University of Michigan in 1948 and promoted to professor in 1954. In 1962 he left Michigan for an appointment as professor at the University of California at Los Angeles where he played a central role in building their astronomy department, served as chair of the department from 1963 to 1968, and helped consolidate the Ph.D. program. He was named professor emeritus in 1984.

Professor Aller's passion was planetary nebulae, the gaseous shells surrounding dying stars. He was one of the first astronomers to advocate that differences in stellar and nebular spectra were caused by differences in their chemical composition. He published 346 research papers and wrote a substantial number of advanced textbooks and monographs, including *Atoms, Stars, and Nebulae*, the third edition of which was published in 1991. He was elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences in 1961 and to the National Academy of Sciences in 1962. He was awarded the American Astronomical Society's Henry Norris Russell Prize in 1992. This is their highest award and is based on lifetime achievement in astronomical research. He continued to teach and work on his research until he passed away in Santa Monica, California, in 2003.

A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor. The initial term of appointment will be for five years with the possibility of renewal.

Recommended by:



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

Recommendation endorsed by:



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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: David L. Angus Collegiate Professorship in Education
EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

The School of Education seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of David L. Angus, effective August 1, 2006.

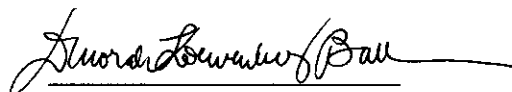
A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor. A stipend funded from School resources will accompany this professorship. This initial term of the appointment will be for five years, with the possibility of renewal.

David Lee Angus was born on December 7, 1933 in Findlay, Ohio and died August 14, 1999. He was awarded the B.S., M.A., and Ph.D. degrees from Ohio State University in 1956, 1960 and 1965 respectively. He joined the faculty of the University of Michigan School of Education as an assistant professor in 1966, was promoted to associate professor in 1969 and to full professor in 1975.

Professor Angus was a nationally and internationally renowned historian of education and scholar of comparative education. He was the author of numerous articles and studies on the politics of education the history of curriculum. His book, *The Failed Promise of the American High School, 1890-1995*, was a path breaking study of the problems of American secondary education. His interests in international and comparative education took him around the world. His remarkable ability to cross cultures and engage people with very different perspectives led him to serve as a visiting professor at the University of Edinburgh and Peking University. In 1996, he was named Lingnan Scholar in American Studies and Comparative Education at the Chinese University of Hong Kong and the Hong Kong/America Center.

Professor Angus was a prominent member of the School of Education faculty during his 33 years at the University of Michigan. His work was widely cited and his mentoring of students broadly acclaimed. I am very pleased to recommend the establishment of the David L. Angus Collegiate Professorship in Education, effective August 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Dean, School of Education

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

July 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a Research Professorship
NAME: Charles B. de Nançrède Research Professorship in Surgery
EFFECTIVE DATE: July 21, 2006

On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Coller Distinguished Professor of Surgery and Chair of the Department of Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Charles B. de Nançrède Research Professorship in Surgery, effective July 21, 2006.

This research professorship is made possible through endowment funds in the Department of Surgery. It is intended to recognize an outstanding faculty member in the Department of Surgery for superior achievement in education, clinical care, and research. The initial appointment period for the de Nançrède Research Professor will be five years and the appointment may be renewed.

Dr. Charles B. de Nançrède was born in Philadelphia in 1847 where he received a classical and military education in private schools near the city. He attended the University of Pennsylvania undergraduate and medical schools and graduated in 1869. He first taught at the University of Pennsylvania where he specialized in the details of gross anatomy. He authored and illustrated seven editions of an anatomy crammer Essentials of Anatomy and Manual for Practical Dissection. He published numerous articles, as many as six per year. He also was an attending physician at the Hospital of Jefferson Medical College. While the value of antiseptic surgery was vigorously debated in the 1880s, Dr. de Nançrède was an early pioneer in the use of antiseptic practices and spoke on the subject to the American Surgical Association in 1882.

Dr. de Nançrède left the Philadelphia area in 1889 to come to the small Midwestern town of Ann Arbor and the University of Michigan. From 1889 to December 1891 when the new University Hospital opened, Dr. de Nançrède operated in the pavilion hospital, where the University provided no surgical instruments or nurses. While at the University of Michigan, Dr. de Nançrède was a pioneer in teaching methods, the use of x-ray technology, and the use of anesthesia. He also was an early advocate of the use of surgical caps and gowns and rubber gloves in the operating room. Soon after he arrived in Ann Arbor, Dr. de Nançrède started a compulsory laboratory course in surgery for fourth-year medical students. The course was described to the American Surgical Association in 1894, and the historian at the Association, in annotating Dr. de Nançrède's remarks, pointed out that the University of Michigan course long antedated the program at Johns Hopkins for which it gets credit.

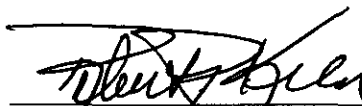
While serving as head of surgery during 1889-1917, Dr. de Nançrède fostered the development of an academic Department of Surgery at the University of Michigan. He was a leader in surgical practices, technology, and medical education. He retired from the faculty in 1917 and passed away in Ann Arbor in 1921 at the age of 74. This professorship serves as a memorial to Dr. de Nançrède and to his numerous contributions to this institution and to the medical community. I am very pleased to recommend the establishment of the Charles B. de Nançrède Research Professorship in Surgery.

Recommended by



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by



Robert P. Kelch, M.D.
Executive Vice President
for Medical Affairs



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

July 2006

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**The University of Michigan
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Yale Kamisar Collegiate Professorship in Law

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

The Law School seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Yale Kamisar, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan Law School from 1965 until his retirement in 2004. A stipend funded from School resources will accompany this professorship.

Yale Kamisar received his A.B. degree in 1950 from New York University and an LL.B. degree from Columbia in 1954. In 1957, after three years in private practice, Professor Kamisar joined the University of Minnesota Law School as an associate professor and was promoted to professor in 1959. He joined the Michigan Law School faculty in 1965.

Professor Kamisar is perhaps best known for his work in constitutional criminal procedure, a field that his writings have transformed. Part of his work in that field is represented by the classic volume in criminal interrogation, Police Interrogation and Confessions: Essays in Law and Policy (1980), but the body of his work is far larger and, over a span of more than three decades, has touched all parts of the field. The impact has been enormous both in shaping the law made by the Supreme Court of the United States and in setting the agenda of scholarly debate. He has had great influence in other fields as well, most notably the ongoing debate about euthanasia. His classic 1958 article on "Mercy-Killing" has been reprinted in ten anthologies and continues today as the focus of study and debate by teachers of law, philosophy, religion, and medical ethics.


In addition to his scholarly achievements, Professor Kamisar has excelled as a teacher. Generations of students at the Law School have chosen courses simply to "take Kamisar." He is co-author of seven editions of two widely-used casebooks that have carried his learning, pedagogy, and relentless enthusiasm to untold numbers of students at other law schools. The same enthusiasm for teaching the law has made him preeminent in writing about law for general audiences in national newspapers and magazines and other media; his activities in this area have made him a three-time co-recipient of the American Bar Association Silver Gavel Award.

A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor. The initial term of appointment will be for five years with the possibility of renewal.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School


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

July 2006

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: Kenneth T. Rowe Collegiate Professorship in Dramatic Literature
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of Kenneth T. Rowe, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1928 until his retirement in 1971. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

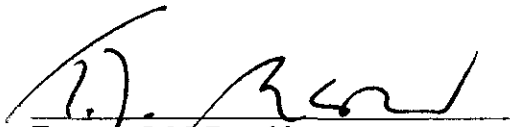
Born in Iowa in 1900, Kenneth Thorpe Rowe attended Rice Institute where he earned his Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts. He received his Doctorate from Harvard University in 1928 and joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as assistant professor that same year. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1949 and professor in 1960. He conducted a seminar in playwriting for the New York Theatre in 1945 and held a visiting appointment at Columbia University in 1951.


Professor Rowe almost single-handedly created a curriculum in playwriting, supervising carefully the maiden efforts of successive generations of students and seeing many of those works locally performed and entered successfully in the Hopwood contest. Several of his students, like Arthur Miller, went on to national and international fame. Professor Rowe's early focus on English Renaissance literature included an interest in Shakespeare's plays, which he continued to teach throughout most of his tenure. He developed an expert knowledge of modern drama during the thirties and forties, and participated wholeheartedly in the work of special-interest organizations like the American Educational Theatre Association and the National Educational Community Theatre War Council, attaining an unusually comprehensive overview of happenings in the world of theatre. He wrote two books later in his career, one on dramatic writing and the other on dramatic criticism. He retired from the University after 43 years on the faculty.

A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor. The initial term of appointment will be for five years with the possibility of renewal.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


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


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

July 2006

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: Claude M. Steele Collegiate Professorship in Psychology
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of Claude M. Steele, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1987 to 1993. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

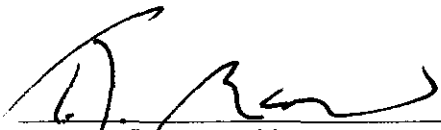
Claude Mason Steele earned his Bachelor of Arts at Hiram College in 1967. He attended the Ohio State University where he received his Master of Arts in 1969 and Doctorate in 1971. He served on the faculties of the University of Utah and the University of Washington before joining the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1987 where he was professor of psychology (1987-1993) and research scientist in the Institute for Social Research (1989-1991). He was appointed professor at Stanford University in 1993 and has been the Lucie Stern Professor of Social Sciences since 1997.

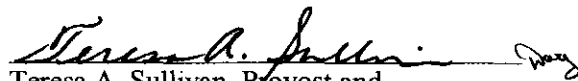
Professor Steele's pioneering research in social psychology has focused on self-evaluation and the impact of stereotypes. He has served as president of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, president of the Western Psychological Association, and was a member of the Board of Directors of the American Psychological Society. He has received numerous awards, including the Senior Award for Distinguished Contributions from the American Psychological Association (1998) and the William James Fellow Award from the American Psychological Society (2000). He is a member of the National Academy of Arts and Sciences, the National Academy of Education, and was elected to the National Academy of Sciences.

A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor. The initial term of appointment will be for five years with the possibility of renewal.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


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


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

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

**The University of Michigan
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Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST

SUBJECT: Interim Appointment Approval During August

ACTION REQUESTED: Authorization for approving necessary appointments during August

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

During the month of August, when the Regents are in recess, it is requested that the Regents authorize the President or the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs to make such interim appointments and/or changes as may become necessary to complete the staffing for the Fall term. All such appointments will be reported to the Regents at the September meeting.



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

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Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Richard Abel

CURRENT TITLES: Robert Altman Collegiate Professor of Film Studies and Professor of International Film and Media, with tenure, Department of Screen Arts and Cultures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Screen Arts and Cultures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Two Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008

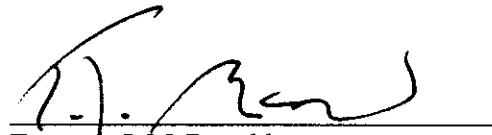
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the appointment of Richard Abel as Chair of the Department of Screen Arts and Cultures for a two-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

Richard Abel earned his Bachelor of Arts at Utah State University in 1963. He attended the University of Southern California where he completed his Master of Arts in 1965 and Doctorate in 1970. Professor Abel began his teaching career as assistant professor at Drake University in 1970 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1980. He joined our faculty in September 2002 and was appointed interim chair in 2005.

Professor Abel has produced a vast amount of original research on early avant-garde and classical cinema. His latest book, *Americanizing the Movies and "Movie-Mad" Audiences, 1910-1914*, is forthcoming from the University of California Press. He is an excellent teacher who matches the indefatigable energy he spends on his research with equal devotion to his courses and his students.


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Richard Abel as Chair of the Department of Screen Arts and Cultures for a two-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

Recommended by:



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

Recommendation endorsed by:



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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Endowed Named Visiting Professor
NAME: Bernard Arps
RECOMMENDED TITLE: The Netherlands Visiting Professor of Asian Languages and Cultures
TERM: Academic Year 2006-2007
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through April 30, 2007

On the recommendation of the Department of Asian Languages and Cultures, the Center for European Studies, and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Bernard Arps to the Netherlands Visiting Professorship in Asian Languages and Cultures, effective September 1, 2006 through April 30, 2007.

The Netherlands Visiting Professorship was created by the Regents in the late 1940s in partnership with representatives of the Dutch government to acknowledge the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Dutch colony in western Michigan. The Professorship has hosted geologists, economists, engineers, mathematicians, neurologists, historians, literary and legal scholars, among others, from over twelve Dutch universities and institutions. The objective is to promote Dutch culture and to make a contribution toward international understanding.


Bernard Arps attended the University of Leiden where he received his Bachelor of Arts in 1982, Master of Arts in 1986, and Doctorate in 1992. He was appointed professor and chair of Javanese at Leiden in 1993. Professor Arps was a Fellow-in-Residence at the Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study in the Humanities and Social Sciences (2001-2002) and a Visiting Fellow at the Australian National University (2005).


Professor Arps' main theoretical interests lie in media, performance, thematization, and control over language, among others. He will devote this year to teaching and writing about religious language, media, and performance. He will engage in two specific projects. The first concerns translation, adaptation, and interpretation of stories across religious boundaries. The second concerns the use of media and performance for religious propagation in contemporary Southeast Asia. Professor Arps will teach one course each term.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Bernard Arps to the Netherlands Visiting Professorship in Asian Languages and Cultures, effective September 1, 2006 through April 30, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


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

July 2006

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July 21, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Appointment of a Titled Professorship
NAME: Omri Ben-Shahar
CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School, and Professor of Economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science and the Arts
RECOMMENDED TITLES: Kirkland & Ellis Professor of Law, Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School, and Professor of Economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science and the Arts
TERM: Five Years, renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011

The Law School is pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Omri Ben-Shahar as the Kirkland & Ellis Professor of Law, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

The Kirkland & Ellis Professorship in Law was established in 1993 by the Kirkland & Ellis law firm as part of its longstanding commitment to support faculties at the leading law schools of the United States.


Professor Ben-Shahar received a LL.B in Law from Hebrew University in 1989 along with a B.A. in Economics. He then attended Harvard University where he received a LL.M in Law in 1991; a Ph.D. in Economics in 1995; and a S.J.D. in Law in 1999. He joined our faculty as assistant professor in 1999 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2001. He is also professor in Economics in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts.

Professor Ben-Shahar is widely recognized as one of the country's legal law and economics scholars, a star of his generation. He teaches contracts, the economic analysis of law, electronic commerce, and intellectual property. He is also a prolific scholar, addressing the economic implications of various rules of contract law and products liability law. His scholarship has appeared in publications such as the American Law and Economics Review, the Chicago Law Review, the Journal of Legal Studies, the Journal of Law, Economics and Organization, and the Yale Law Journal. He is also an accomplished teacher.

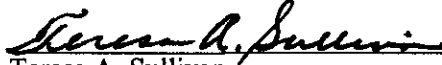
We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Omri Ben-Shahar to the Kirkland & Ellis Professor of Law, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:

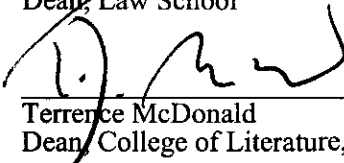
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School



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



Terrence McDonald
Dean, College of Literature, Science and the Arts

July 2006

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Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: John R. Charpie, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Clinical Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Clinical Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, and Amnon Rosenthal Collegiate Professor of Pediatric Cardiology

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 21, 2006, through July 20, 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 John R. Charpie, M.D., Ph.D., as the Amnon Rosenthal Collegiate Professor of Pediatric Cardiology, effective July 21, 2006.

The Amnon Rosenthal Collegiate Professorship was established in 1993 to honor Dr. Rosenthal and to recognize his extensive contributions to the field of pediatric cardiology.

Dr. Charpie received the M.D. and Ph.D. degrees from Boston University in 1990. He then pursued an internship and residency training in pediatrics at Massachusetts General Hospital. Dr. Charpie came to the University of Michigan in 1992 for a clinical and research fellowship in pediatric cardiology. He joined the Medical School faculty in 1995 and was promoted to his current rank of Associate Professor in the Clinical Track in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases in 2002.

Dr. Charpie serves as the Director of the Pediatric Cardiothoracic Intensive Care Unit and is the Director of Fellowship Programs for the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases. He has proven himself to be an outstanding physician, teacher, and academician in the cardiology community, both institutionally and nationally. In addition to his departmental activities, Dr. Charpie is a member of the Medical School Advisory Committee on Clinical Track Appointments and Promotions (CLINACAP), and, during 2003-2005, he served on the Education Committee of the American College of Cardiology.

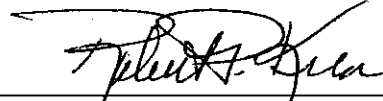
Dr. Charpie is a true leader in pediatric cardiology, specifically, in the area of intensive care. He is well regarded for his clinical care of children, his exceptional abilities as a teacher and role model to students, trainees and junior faculty, and his outstanding leadership of the Pediatric Cardiothoracic Intensive Care Unit at this institution. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of John R. Charpie, M.D., Ph.D., as the Amnon Rosenthal Collegiate Professor of Pediatric Cardiology.

Recommended by

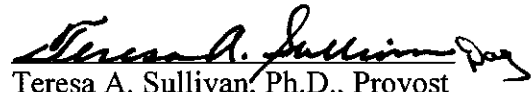
Recommendation endorsed by



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School



Robert P. Kelch, M.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Ronald D. Chervin, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Neurology, with tenure

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Michael S. Aldrich Collegiate Professor of Sleep Medicine

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 21, 2006, through August 31, 2011

On the recommendation David J. Fink, M.D., the Robert Brear Professor and Chair of the Department of Neurology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Ronald D. Chervin, M.D., as the Michael S. Aldrich Collegiate Professor of Sleep Medicine, effective July 21, 2006.

This professorship was established on April 21, 2006, as a memorial to Dr. Aldrich and intended to support research, education, and clinical care in sleep medicine.

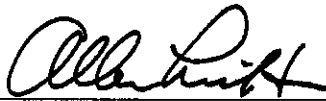
Dr. Ronald Chervin received the M.D. degree from Stanford University in 1988 and the M.S. degree from the University of Michigan School of Public Health in 1997. He pursued an internship and residency training in neurology at Cornell University, followed by a clinical and research fellowship in sleep medicine at Stanford University. Dr. Chervin joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1994 and was promoted to his current rank of Associate Professor of Neurology, with tenure, in 2001. Dr. Chervin recently received Regental approval for promotion to Professor of Neurology, to be effective September 1, 2006.

In 1994, Dr. Aldrich recruited Dr. Chervin to the Department of Neurology and the Michigan Sleep Program. Dr. Chervin was named Interim Director of the Sleep Disorders Center in 1998 and has served as the Center's Director since Dr. Aldrich's untimely passing in 2000. Under Dr. Chervin's leadership, clinical activity and faculty at the Sleep Disorders Center have grown more than two-fold as the Center continues to enhance its reputation for excellence in clinical care, research, and education.

Dr. Chervin has received international recognition for his research which is focused on obstructive sleep apnea, sleep laboratory methodology, and neurobehavioral effects of sleep disorders in adults and children. He is the author of more than 90 articles and book chapters, and his work has been and continues to be funded by grants from the National Institutes of Health. Dr. Chervin has served on the editorial board of *Sleep Medicine*, *Sleep*, and *Journal of Clinical Sleep Medicine*. He is a member of the board of directors for the Sleep Research Society and has been a contributor to revisions of DSM-IV, the International Classification of Sleep Disorders, and national guidelines by which sleep studies are performed scored, and interpreted.

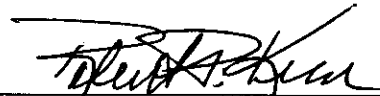
The Department of Neurology and the Aldrich Family enthusiastically support Dr. Chervin's nomination for this distinguished title. Therefore, I am delighted to recommend the appointment of Ronald D. Chervin, M.D., as the first Michael S. Aldrich Collegiate Professor of Sleep Medicine.

Recommended by



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by



Robert P. Kelch, M.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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

July 2006

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Michael D. Cohen

CURRENT TITLES: William D. Hamilton Collegiate Professor of Complex Systems, Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information, Professor of Political Science, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Public Policy, without tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

TITLE BEING RENEWED: William D. Hamilton Collegiate Professor of Complex Systems, School of Information

TERM: Five years, Renewable

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

The faculty of the School of Information with approval of the Deans of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy recommends the appointment of Michael D. Cohen, as the William D. Hamilton Professor of Complex Systems for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

William D. Hamilton was a professor of Biology at the University of Michigan from 1978-1984. The William D. Hamilton Collegiate Professorship in Complex Systems was established by the Regents in June 2001.

Professor Cohen was educated at Stanford University (A.B. with Honors, 1966), and the University of California, Irvine (Ph.D., 1972). He has been on the University of Michigan faculty since 1973, where he earned tenure in the Department of Political Science and was a member of the core faculty of the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy. Since 1996 he has been on the charter faculty of the School of Information, where his tenure now resides; he has retained appointments in the Department of Political Science and the School of Public Policy.


Professor Cohen served as Assistant Dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts from 1986-1989. He was the first officer of the College to have specific responsibility for developing the application of computing to its research and teaching missions. In 1993 Professor Cohen was a co-founder of the Collaboratory for Research on Electronic Work, an interdisciplinary research program linking scholars across the University who share an interest in the exploitation of information technology to develop new forms of organizing work. He served

as the first Associate Director of the program. Since 1994 he has served as co-director of the Interdisciplinary Committee on Organizational Studies, a campus-wide community of nearly two hundred faculty and graduate students with a common focus on organizational research. In addition to his efforts in forming the School of Information, he chaired the development of its innovative master's curriculum. Professor Cohen was among the faculty who founded the University's Center for the Study of Complex Systems. It was during the work that led to the Center that he became a colleague and friend of Professor William D. Hamilton. Professor Cohen has also linked the University with important extramural developments, serving in long-term appointments as a research consultant to the Xerox Palo Alto Research Center, and as an external faculty member of the Santa Fe Institute.

Professor Cohen has made contributions to the analysis of voting models in political science, to utility theory in economics, and to the study of conflict and social structure in sociology. His experimental studies of organizational routines have provided a foundation in cognitive psychology for understanding the role of routines in organizational learning and adaptation, and for improving the design of information systems in organizations. He has been a leader in connecting the findings and methods of research on complex systems to the concerns of the social sciences.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Michael D. Cohen as the William D. Hamilton Collegiate Professor of Complex Systems for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:



C. Olivia Frost
Interim Dean, School of Information



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



Rebecca M. Blank
Dean, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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July 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Titled Professorship
NAME: Izak Duenyas
CURRENT TITLES: John Psarouthakis Research Professor of Manufacturing Management, Professor of Operations and Management Science, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering
TITLE BEING RENEWED: John Psarouthakis Research Professor of Manufacturing Management
TERM: Two years, renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2008

On the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Izak Duenyas as the John Psarouthakis Research Professor of Manufacturing Management, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2008. Dr. Duenyas was first appointed to the John Psarouthakis Research Professorship in 2000.

The Psarouthakis Professorship was established in 1990 to support a senior faculty member who will establish eminent standards for collaborative research among interested scholars and to support the School's strategy to maintain a leadership position in the field of production and operations management.

Professor Duenyas has been a member of the University of Michigan faculty since completing his Ph.D. degree in 1991. He began as an assistant professor in the College of Engineering, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in that College before joining the Stephen M. Ross School of Business in 1999, and was promoted to professor in 2000. Professor Duenyas was appointed as associate dean in 2002 for a two-year period and has renewed his dean appointment through June 30, 2006.


Izak Duenyas' research is focused on operations management problems that are of significant industrial relevance, particularly in developing analytical models of manufacturing systems that managers can use to develop insights into the main tradeoffs that they face. His particular strength, and what sets him apart, is his ability to interact with industrial sponsors, distill important problems from these interactions, and rigorously analyze them while maintaining an allegiance to the problem, instead of to analytical tractability as an end unto itself. His research record is described by colleagues as superb, important, exceptional and path breaking. He has served in the professorship with great distinction.

Approval is hereby requested for renewal of Professor Izak Duenyas' appointment as the John Psarouthakis Research Professor of Manufacturing Management in the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2008.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Robert J. Dolan, Dean
School of Business Administration

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


David C. Munson, Dean
College of Engineering

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: John E. Fornaess

CURRENT TITLES: Frederick W. Gehring Collegiate Professor of Mathematics and Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Frederick W. Gehring Collegiate Professor of Mathematics

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2011

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Mathematics and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of John E. Fornaess to the Frederick W. Gehring Collegiate Professorship in Mathematics for a five-year renewable term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2011.

Frederick W. Gehring was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1955 to 1995 when he retired. The Frederick W. Gehring Collegiate Professorship in Mathematics was established by the Regents in July 1996. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

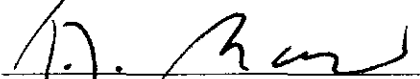
John Fornaess attended the University of Oslo where he received his Candidatus Magisterii in 1968 and his Master of Arts in 1970. He earned his Doctorate from the University of Washington in 1974. His teaching career began in 1974 as an instructor at Princeton University and he was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1982. He joined our faculty as professor in 1991.

Professor Fornaess is an outstanding faculty member and a leader in the field of complex analysis. He is widely recognized in the field of multidimensional complex dynamics, a subject that he has been instrumental in developing. His recent paper entitled "The Julia Set of Henon Maps," is appearing in the 2006 volume of the prestigious journal *Mathematische Annalen*. Professor Fornaess received a grant from the National Science Foundation and continues to give many invited talks around the world. He is associate editor of a number of key journals and is on the steering committee for a special semester on "Several Complex Variables" at the world famous Mittag-Leffler Institute.

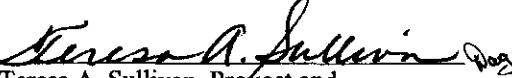
Professor Fornaess continues to play a key role in teaching the large third and fourth semester calculus classes. Two of his doctoral students are scheduled to graduate this year.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of John E. Fornaess as the Frederick W. Gehring Collegiate Professor of Mathematics for a five-year renewable term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2011.

Recommended by:


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

Recommendation endorsed by:


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

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Brian E. Gilchrist

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, Professor of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, without tenure, and Associate Chair, Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Interim Chair, Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, and Professor of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2006

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering recommend the appointment of Brian E. Gilchrist as interim chair of the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science effective July 1, 2006 and continuing until a permanent chair is appointed.

Professor Gilchrist received his BS (1977) and MS (1979) degrees in electrical engineering both from the University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign and his PhD (1991), also in electrical engineering, from Stanford University. He began his academic career at the University of Michigan in 1991 as an assistant professor of electrical engineering and computer science and added an appointment as assistant professor of atmospheric, oceanic and space sciences in 1993. He was promoted to associate professor in both departments in 1997 and was tenured in electrical engineering and computer science at that time. In 2003 he was promoted to professor in both titles.

Professor Gilchrist is a leader in the field of electrodynamic tether research which holds the promise of generating power and thrust on satellites. He has well over 100 refereed and conference publications. He is an excellent classroom teacher and an exceptional leader of student projects including the most recent prize winning Michigan Solar Car Team. He is a respected colleague who was elected by his peers to the department executive committee and who has served on other important College committees. Since 2004 Professor Gilchrist has served as associate chair of the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science.


Professor Gilchrist has the respect of his colleagues and will provide strong administrative leadership as the Department goes through an important transition. His appointment as interim chair of the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, effective July 1, 2006, is strongly recommended.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Ronald Gibala
Interim Dean, College of Engineering



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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: M. Melissa Gross

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor, Movement Science, Division of Kinesiology; Associate Professor, School of Art and Design

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Research, Division of Kinesiology; Associate Professor, Movement Science, Division of Kinesiology; Associate Professor, School of Art and Design

TERM: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the Division of Kinesiology recommend the appointment of M. Melissa Gross as associate dean for research of the Division of Kinesiology

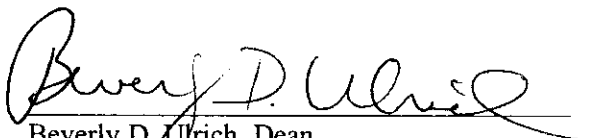
Professor Gross earned her Bachelor of Arts at The University of Colorado, Boulder, in 1976 and her doctorate from the University of California, Los Angeles in 1984.

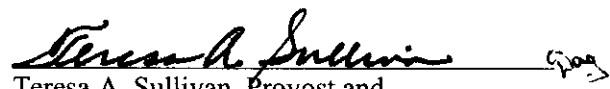
In her fifteen years at Michigan, Professor Gross has conducted federally funded research on muscle strength and balance in the elderly and functional status in the menopausal transition. She has advised and mentored numerous doctoral and undergraduate students in her movement dynamics laboratory. Dr. Gross has earned a strong reputation for her interdisciplinary collaborations, leading to cross appointments in the Institute of Gerontology and the School of Art and Design. Our faculty has elected her to membership on our Executive Committee several times, reflecting its confidence in her ability to be a thoughtful and equitable leader.

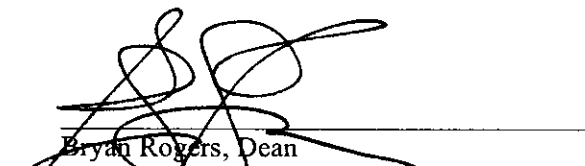
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Melissa Gross as the Associate Dean for Research of the Division of Kinesiology for a three year term, for fall term 2006, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Beverly D. Ulrich, Dean
Division of Kinesiology


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


Bryan Rogers, Dean
School of Art and Design

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Michèle Hannoosh

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of French, with tenure, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Four Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2010

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the appointment of Michèle Hannoosh as Chair of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures for a four-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2010.


Michèle Hannoosh earned her Bachelor of Arts at Wellesley College in 1976 and attended Stanford University where she received her Master of Arts in 1978 and Doctorate in 1982. Following a Mellon postdoctoral teaching fellowship at Columbia University, Professor Hannoosh began her teaching career as an assistant professor at the University of California, Davis, in 1987 and was promoted to associate professor in 1991. She held appointments at University College, London, (1995-1998); the University of Cambridge (1998-2000); and Saint Catherine's College (2000-2002) before joining our faculty as professor, with tenure, in January 2003.

Professor Hannoosh's scholarship covers a broad range of topics on nineteenth century literature, art, and culture. She recently completed a three-volume edition of Eugène Delacroix's journal, which is considered to be a definitive work placing her squarely at the interface of visual and verbal studies. Current research interests include the post-Romantic sublime and art criticism of the historian Jules Michelet.

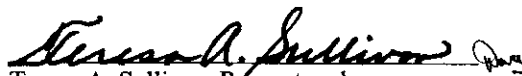
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Michèle Hannoosh as Chair of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures for a four-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2010.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Gary D. Herrin

CURRENT TITLES: Interim Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education, Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, with tenure, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering, and Assistant Dean for Students, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education and Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, with tenure, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering

TERM: Nine Months

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering recommend the appointment of Professor Gary D. Herrin as associate dean for undergraduate education in the College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

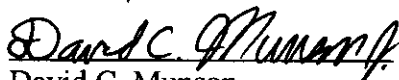
Gary D. Herrin received his B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in Industrial Engineering from Ohio State University in 1969, 1970 and 1973 respectively. He joined the faculty of the College of Engineering in 1973 as an assistant professor, was promoted to associate professor and tenured in 1979, and was promoted to professor in 1988.

Professor Herrin has a distinguished record of administrative service in the College including as freshman counselor and as undergraduate advisor in Industrial and Operations Engineering for a number of years. He became assistant dean for undergraduate education in 1999, with his attention focused on advising and first year programs and has served as interim associate dean for the past year.

Professor Herrin has demonstrated that he possesses the experience, ability and commitment to fulfill the important responsibilities of associate dean for undergraduate education, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Judith T. Irvine

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the appointment of Judith T. Irvine as Chair of the Department of Anthropology for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.


Judith Irvine received her Bachelor of Arts at Harvard University in 1966 and Doctorate from the University of Pennsylvania in 1973. Professor Irvine began her teaching career as assistant professor at Brandeis University in 1972 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1992. She joined our faculty as professor in 2000.

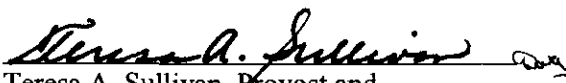
Professor Irvine is one of the leading figures of her generation in linguistic anthropology. Other research interests include language in society and culture, history of anthropology and linguistics, social inequality, performance, ethnomusicology, colonialism, and Africa. She is an outstanding and challenging instructor, and her courses receive uniformly high evaluations. She was past president of the Society for Linguistic Anthropology and is former editor of the *Journal of Linguistic Anthropology*. She was elected Fellow by the American Academy of Arts and Sciences in 2006.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Judith T. Irvine as Chair of the Department of Anthropology for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


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


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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Donald R. Kinder

CURRENT TITLES: Philip E. Converse Collegiate Professor of Political Science, Chair and Professor of Political Science, with tenure, and Professor of Psychology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Philip E. Converse Collegiate Professor of Political Science

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2011

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donald R. Kinder to the Philip E. Converse Collegiate Professorship in Political Science for a five-year renewable term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2011.

Philip E. Converse was professor of sociology and political science at the University of Michigan from 1960 until his retirement in 1989. The Philip E. Converse Collegiate Professorship in Political Science was established by the Regents in November 1996. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

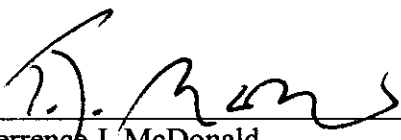
Donald Kinder received a Bachelor of Arts at Stanford University in 1969 and was awarded a Doctorate by the University of California in 1975. He began his teaching career as assistant professor at Yale University in 1975 and was promoted to associate professor in 1979. He joined our faculty as associate professor in 1981 and was promoted to professor in 1986.

Professor Kinder's current interests include rehabilitating the concept of ethnocentrism and developing a psychological theory of framing. He has co-authored three books and published 53 articles in a variety of prestigious journals. He is working on a book about the politics of race in the United States and a series of papers comparing the political implications of race and gender. He is serving a three-year term as Chair of the Department of Political Science and has been a very effective manager of this large and diverse unit.


We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donald R. Kinder to the Philip E. Converse Collegiate Professorship in Political Science for a five-year renewable term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2011.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Endowed Assistant Professorship

NAME: Boris Kment

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Philosophy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: William Wilhartz Assistant Professor and Assistant Professor of Philosophy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years

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

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Philosophy and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Boris Kment to the William Wilhartz Assistant Professorship for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

The William Wilhartz Assistant Professorships for junior faculty members in the humanities were established by the Regents in March 1997 and August 2001 as a result of a generous gift from Edna and Norman Freehling. It was the Freehling's wish that this gift reflect the family's commitment to the education of young scholars in the humanities. The assistant professorships are held on a rotating basis for a period of not less than three and not more than five years.

Boris Kment received his Bachelor of Philosophy from the University of Oxford in 2000 and Doctorate from Princeton University in 2005. He joined our faculty as instructor in September 2005 and was appointed assistant professor in January 2006.

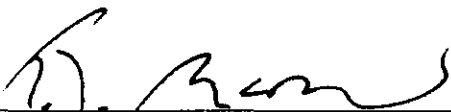
Professor Kment combines great philosophical creativity with a rigorous and exacting mind. In addition to these intellectual gifts, he is professionally ambitious and entirely focused on philosophy. We fully expect he will establish himself as one of the major players in metaphysics during the next decade. His research focuses on the relation between conditional statements and assertions of necessity and possibility. Much of his work stems from his recently completed dissertation and a book is expected in a year or two. In the meantime, papers based on the dissertation research are already being submitted for publication. One has been accepted by *Mind*, a very prestigious journal. A second paper is forthcoming in *Philosophical Perspectives*, also a first-rate journal. Each of these builds on the dissertation, but each also represents substantial work beyond that project.

Professor Kment appears to be an effective instructor. He has only taught one course so far, but student evaluations were very strong.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Boris Kment to the William Wilhartz Assistant Professorship, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Steven M. Leber, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Clinical Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases and Clinical Professor of Neurology

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Clinical Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Clinical Professor of Neurology, and David G. Dickinson Collegiate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases

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

On the recommendation of Valerie P. Castle, M.D., the Ravitz Foundation Professor and Chair of the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Steven M. Leber, M.D., Ph.D., as the David G. Dickinson Collegiate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, effective September 1, 2006.

The Dickinson Collegiate Professorship was established in 1990, to recognize a senior faculty member in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases who has furthered the care of children with special needs and who emulates Dr. Dickinson's personal and professional characteristics.

Dr. Leber received the M.D. and Ph.D. degrees from the Albert Einstein College of Medicine of Yeshiva University and completed residency training at Rainbow Babies and Children's Hospital in Cleveland, Ohio. He then undertook fellowship training in pediatric neurology, followed by a research fellowship, at Washington University in St. Louis. Dr. Leber joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1990. In 1995, he became Clinical Assistant Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases with a secondary appointment as Clinical Assistant Professor of Neurology. He advanced through the faculty ranks to achieve his current title of Clinical Professor in 2005.

Dr. Leber has an outstanding record of service and commitment to this institution. His teaching is directed toward medical students and residents in pediatrics, neurology, and psychiatry. He provides extensive clinical and conference education for medical students, residents, and fellows rotating through the Section of Pediatric Neurology. Dr. Leber developed an international pediatric neurology educational network website that receives more than 12,000 queries per month. In 2000, he received the Faculty Teaching Award in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases.

Dr. Leber's clinical efforts are centered on general pediatric neurology in the outpatient and inpatient settings. He is board certified in pediatrics and in neurology with special qualification in child neurology. Dr. Leber is a superb physician who is recognized for his clinical expertise as noted by his designation in regional listings of "top doctors" in Michigan. Through the development of a website and an electronic consultation network, his expertise serves as a resource to pediatric neurologists nationally and internationally.

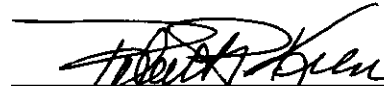
Dr. Leber fulfills the ideals articulated for this appointment, specifically in the context of his commitment and devotion to the care of children with special needs. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend Steven M. Leber, M.D., Ph.D., for appointment as the David G. Dickinson Collegiate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases.

Recommended by

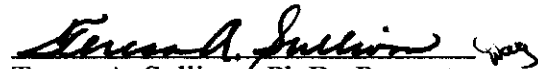


Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by



Robert P. Kelch, M.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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

July 2006

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment and Appointment of a Titled Professorship

NAME: Kyle D. Logue

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

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Wade H. McCree, Jr., Collegiate Professor of Law and Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School

TERMS: Associate Dean - Three Years, Renewable
Titled Professorship - Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: Associate Dean – September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009
Titled Professorship - September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011

The Law School is pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Kyle D. Logue as Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Law School, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009, and as the Wade H. McCree, Jr., Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

The Wade H. McCree, Jr., Collegiate Professorship was established in the Law School in 1990 in honor of a former member of the faculty who came to the Law School after a distinguished career that included service as state judge, federal judge, and Solicitor General of the United States. The Professorship is supported by gifts and pledges given by friends of Professor McCree toward the creation of this chair.


Kyle D. Logue received his Bachelor of Arts, with highest honors, in 1987 from Auburn University, College of Liberal Arts. He received his J.D. in 1990 from Yale Law School. He clerked for the Honorable Patrick E. Higginbotham in the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit from 1990-1991. Kyle practiced law with the firm of Sutherland, Asbill & Brennan in Atlanta, Georgia from 1991-1993. He joined our faculty as an assistant professor in 1993 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1998.

Professor Logue is widely recognized as a tax and insurance law expert, one of the nation's leading scholars in both of those fields. He is known for, among other things, bridging those

fields. Themes of legal transitions (tax transition and otherwise), uncertainty, and the tax rules of insurance define his work. He has published widely. His publications have appeared in journal such as the Chicago Law Review, the Cornell Law Review, the Tax Law Review, the Virginia Law Review, and the Yale Law Journal. Professor Logue also teaches torts, in addition to tax, insurance, and other related courses. He has the deserved reputations as one of the school's strongest teachers.

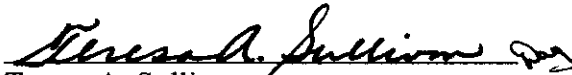
It is with great enthusiasm that we recommend the appointment of Kyle D. Logue as Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Law School, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009, and as the Wade H. McCree, Jr., Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

July 2006

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Jeffrey MacKie Mason

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science and Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information, Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Public Policy, without tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science

TERM: Five years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2005 through August 31, 2010

The faculty of the School of Information recommends the reappointment of Jeffrey MacKie Mason, as the Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2005 through August 31, 2010.

Arthur W. Burks was a professor of Philosophy at the University of Michigan from 1954-1986 and professor of Computer and Communication Sciences at the University of Michigan from 1967-1986. The Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professorship in Information and Computer Science was established by the Regents in June 2000.

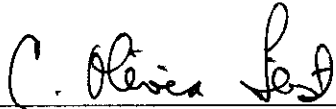
Professor Mason was educated at Dartmouth College (A.B. Magna Cum Laude, 1980), the University of Michigan (M.P.P. 1982) and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (Ph.D., 1986). He has been on the University of Michigan faculty since 1986, where he earned tenure in the Department of Economics and was on the core faculty of the Ford School of Public Policy. Since 1996 he has been on the charter faculty of the School of Information, where his tenure now resides; he has retained appointments in the Department of Economics and the School of Public Policy.

In addition to his contributions to forming the School of Information, Professor Mason was the founding Director of the Program for Research on the Information Economy, a cross-campus

research program supporting multi-disciplinary research on social, economic and technical issues concerning new information technologies. He led the development of and currently directs the Information Economics, Management and Policy Program at the School of Information, which offers one of the first Master's degrees of its kind in the country. Professor Mason has contributed well-known pieces on taxation and corporate finance as well as his path-breaking work on the economics of information and information technologies. He has chaired several international research conferences on information economics and electronic commerce in the past three years, and is an editor on four scholarly journals. He has been a Hoover National Fellow at Stanford and received an IBM University Partner Fellowship for two years.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Jeffrey MacKie Mason to the Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science for a five-year renewable term, from September 1, 2005 through August 31, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY:

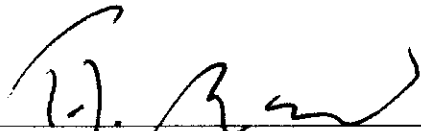


C. Olivia Frost
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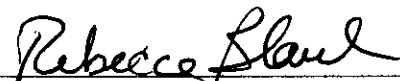
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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



Rebecca M. Blank
Dean, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

July 2006

July 21, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Renewal of a Faculty Appointment to a Named Visiting Professorship

NAME: G. Mark McDonald

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Howard R. Marsh Visiting Professor of Journalism

TERM: One Year

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through April 30, 2007

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Communication Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of G. Mark McDonald to the Howard R. Marsh Visiting Professorship in Journalism for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through April 30, 2007.

The Howard R. Marsh Visiting Professorship in Journalism and the Howard R. Marsh Center for the Study of Journalistic Performance were established in 1974 by a gift of securities from the Howard R. Marsh Trust. The Marsh Professors are eminent professional journalists or distinguished academic scholars who come to the University to lecture in undergraduate and graduate courses, teach mini-courses, and often present public lectures.

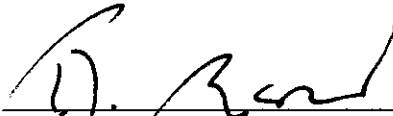
Mark McDonald earned a Bachelor of Arts from Kalamazoo College in 1973. Following appointments at the *New York Times* and the *Los Angeles Times*, among others, he has reported for the *Dallas Morning News* (1985-1998) and the *San Jose Mercury News* (1998-2002). He was a Michigan Journalism Fellow (1996-1997), has had four Pulitzer Prize nominations, and participated on the team that won the 1994 Pulitzer Prize for international reporting for the series "Violence Against Women." He co-authored *Pain and Grace: A Journey Through Vietnam* (with J. Gensheimer and K. Huckshorn, 2000) and has been a contributor to several nonfiction collections and encyclopedias. He was Moscow bureau chief for the 31 Knight Ridder newspapers as well as the national and worldwide clients of the Knight Ridder-Tribune wire service until his appointment as the Marsh Visiting Professor in 2005. His reportage and photographs have appeared in more than a hundred newspapers and periodicals worldwide.

Mr. McDonald will again be teaching two courses that he developed: "Terrorism News Coverage" and "The Future of Daily Newspapers." He will also give a public lecture during the winter term, for which the topic is yet to be developed.

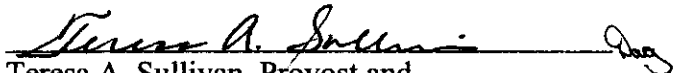
We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of G. Mark McDonald to the Howard R. Marsh Visiting Professorship in Journalism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through April 30, 2007.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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

July 2006

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: W. Russell Neuman

CURRENT TITLES: John Derby Evans Professor of Media Technology and Professor of Communication Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: John Derby Evans Professor of Media Technology

TERM: Five Years

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

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Communication Studies and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of W. Russell Neuman to the John Derby Evans Professorship in Media Technology for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

As a result of a generous gift from the John D. Evans Fund, the John Derby Evans Professorship in Media Technology was established by the Regents in August 2001. This professorship is intended to ensure that research and study in media technology become a permanent part of the college.

Russell Neuman earned his Bachelor of Arts from Cornell University in 1967. He attended the University of California at Berkeley where he received a Master of Arts in 1969 and Doctorate in 1975. He began his teaching career as assistant professor at Yale University in 1975. Five years later he accepted a position as assistant professor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and was promoted to associate professor in 1985. Tufts University appointed him the Edward R. Murrow Professor of International Communications in 1992, and in 1997 he became director of the Information and Society Program and professor at the Annenberg School for Communication. He was the John D. Evans Visiting Research Fellow on our campus during winter term 2001 and joined our faculty in September 2001.

Professor Neuman is a nationally prominent scholar, whose work bridges a number of research areas in communications, including issues surrounding the relationships between traditional and new technologies, media law and policy, and political communication. A major strength is his emphasis on the political economy of existing and emerging technologies. From 2002 to 2004, he was Senior Policy Analyst on Telecommunication and Homeland Security Technology at the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy where he supervised the analysis of broadband media and biometric security and delivered a new international initiative for

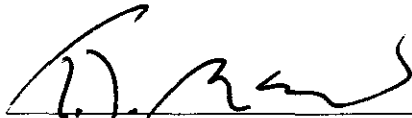
coordination of electronic passport standards. He delivered the Evans Chair Lecture entitled "Back to the Future: Changing Media Technology and Human Behavior" in 2002. He has two medium-sized grants under review at the National Science Foundation that concern the next stages of research on effective intelligence theory. He also has four books – two edited and two single-authored – due out in 2007 and 2008. And he expects to have a major new study, "The Seven Deadly Sins of Communication Research," out in article form next year. He recently received funding from the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies to support a workshop on digital revolution during winter term 2006 and organized a very successful conference, "The Challenge of Digital Convergence," supported by the Evans endowment.


Since his appointment to the Evans Professorship in 2001, Professor Neuman has maintained a high level of excellence in teaching and has been the principal advisor for eight doctoral students. His graduate courses draw students from law, business, and information, and these have been well-attended and well-reviewed. At the undergraduate level, he has been responsible for a middle level course on communication effects and other advanced courses in communication policy. He initiated a new undergraduate course designed to stimulate interdisciplinary and self-motivated scholarship. Finally, he has been a faculty mentor for five junior faculty members.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of W. Russell Neuman to the John Derby Evans Professorship in Media Technology for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


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


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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Douglas C. Noll

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Biomedical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Associate Professor of Radiology, without tenure, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Interim Chair, Department of Biomedical Engineering, Professor of Biomedical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, and Associate Professor of Radiology, without tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2006

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering recommend the appointment of Douglas C. Noll as interim chair of the Department of Biomedical Engineering effective July 1, 2006 and continuing until a permanent chair is appointed.

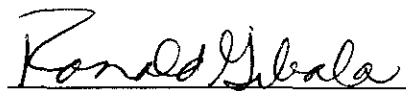
Professor Noll received his BS degree in 1985 from Bucknell University and his MS (1986) and PhD (1991) degrees in electrical engineering from Stanford University. After receiving his PhD, Dr. Noll accepted a position as assistant professor of radiology at the University of Pittsburgh. In 1992 he was given the additional appointment of assistant professor of electrical engineering and in 1997 he was promoted to associate professor of radiology and electrical engineering. In 1998 he joined the faculty of the University of Michigan as associate professor of biomedical engineering and Co-Director of the Functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging Center. In 1999 Professor Noll was appointed an associate professor of radiology and in 2005 he was promoted to the rank of Professor in Biomedical Engineering.

Professor Noll's research is in the technical aspects of functional magnetic resonance imaging and has far reaching applications in clinical patient care. His projects include development of rapid image acquisition techniques such as spiral-scan MRI. He is an elected fellow of the American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering and the recipient of several awards for his teaching, research and service.

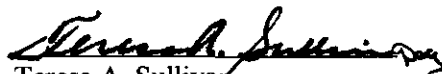
Professor Noll has the respect of his colleagues and will provide strong administrative leadership as the Department goes through an important transition. His appointment as interim chair of the Department of Biomedical Engineering, effective July 1, 2006, is strongly recommended.

Recommended By:

Recommendation Endorsed By:



Ronald Gibala
Interim Dean, College of Engineering



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



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

July 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Gary M. Olson

CURRENT TITLES: Paul M. Fitts Collegiate Professor of Human-Computer Interaction, Professor of Information, with tenure, and Professor of Psychology, without tenure, College of Literature, Sciences, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Paul M. Fitts Collegiate Professor of Human-Computer Interaction

TERM: Five years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2010

The faculty and Dean of the School of Information with the approval of the Dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the reappointment of Gary M. Olson, as the Paul M. Fitts Collegiate Professor of Human-Computer Interaction for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2010.

Paul M. Fitts was a professor of Psychology at the University of Michigan from 1958 to his untimely death in 1965. The Paul M. Fitts Collegiate Professorship of Human-Computer Interaction was established by the Regents in December 2000.

Professor Olson was educated at the University of Minnesota (B.A. Summa Cum Laude, 1967), and Stanford University (M.A., 1968, Ph.D., 1970). He has been on the University of Michigan faculty since 1975, where he earned tenure in the Department of Psychology. Since 1995 he has been on the charter faculty of the School of Information, where his tenure now resides; he has retained an appointment in the Department of Psychology.

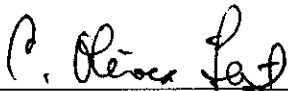
Professor Olson's scholarship and contributions to the field were recently recognized by the CHI Lifetime Achievement Award, an honor given by the international conference on human-computer interaction which acknowledges leadership and lifetime impact on the field of human-computer interaction, and contributions to the development of the science of collaboration. In addition to his contributions to forming the School of Information, Professor Olson was the Director of the Cognitive Science and Machine Intelligence Laboratory (1986-1993) and the Collaboratory for Research on Electronic Work (1994-1998), both cross-campus research

programs supporting multi-disciplinary research on cognitive, social, and issues concerning new information technologies. He was active in the development of the Human-Computer Interaction Program at the School of Information. He has also served as Associate Dean for Research in the School of Information from 1995 to 2006, a period in which the School's research funding has increased dramatically.

Professor Olson is a leading authority on how information technology can be used to support work when the participants are in different locations, and is frequently invited to give talks and serve on task forces concerned with these matters.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Gary M. Olson as the Paul M. Fitts Collegiate Professor of Human-Computer Interaction for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY:

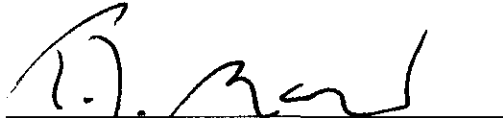


C. Olivia Frost
Interim Dean, School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

July 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Yoichi Osawa, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Pharmacology, with tenure

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Professor of Pharmacology, with tenure; and
Warner-Lambert/Parke-Davis Professor in Medicine

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

On the recommendation of Paul F. Hollenberg, Ph.D., the Maurice Seevers Collegiate Professor and Chair of the Department of Pharmacology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Yoichi Osawa, Ph.D. as the Warner-Lambert/Parke-Davis Professor in Medicine, effective July 1, 2006.

This professorship was made possible by an endowment from the Warner-Lambert Company in 1993. Monies generated from the initial endowment reached a sufficient funding level to permit the establishment of two additional professorships in 2006 to support Medical School investigators in scientific research in the fields of basic chemistry, molecular biology, biotechnology, genetics and/or human gene therapy.

Dr. Osawa received the Ph.D. degree in pharmacology from the University of Michigan in 1987. He then undertook a postdoctoral research fellowship at the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute of the National Institutes of Health, followed by staff fellow positions also at that institution. Dr. Osawa joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as Assistant Professor of Pharmacology in 1995 and was promoted to his current rank of Associate Professor, with tenure, in 2001.

Dr. Osawa is renowned for his novel and significant work in the field of biochemical pharmacology. He is an expert on drug metabolism and has been studying the chemical mechanisms of inactivation of P450 enzymes by drugs, environmental toxins, and other chemical substances that are foreign and harmful to living organisms. Throughout his scientific career, he has made important contributions to the fields of cardiovascular pharmacology, drug metabolism, and gene regulation. His research efforts have been very productive with important biomedical applications, including increasing our understanding of the mechanisms of tissue damage in the aging process. With high quality and innovation as hallmarks of his work, Dr. Osawa has achieved substantial national and international recognition.

Dr. Osawa is a well respected educator and a nationally and internationally recognized scientist who has made major contributions to his field in the understanding of hemoprotein function and nitric oxide synthesis. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Yoichi Osawa, Ph.D. as the Warner-Lambert/Parke-Davis Professor in Medicine.

Recommended by

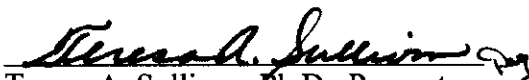


Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by



Robert P. Kelch, M.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Change in Title for an Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Mary Hope Simoni

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Internet Publication, and Professor of Music (Music Technology), with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Dean for Research and Planning, and Professor of Music (Music Technology), with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009

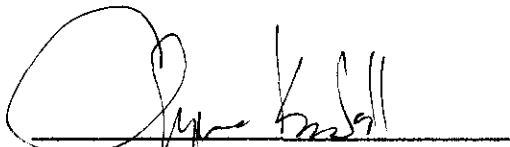
With the support of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Mary Simoni as the Associate Dean for Research and Planning, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009. This title was recently created as part of the School's administrative restructuring effort.

Mary Simoni received a B.M. in Music Theory and Composition, a B.M. in Music Education in 1977, a M.M. in Music Composition in 1981, and a Ph.D. in Music Theory in 1983 from Michigan State University. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1990 as a lecturer and curricular consultant. She was appointed assistant professor in 1994, and promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2000, and professor of music in 2005. Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan, she has served as chair of the Department of Performing Arts Technology (1999 – present), and director of the Music Technology Camp (2000 – present).

The change in title for Professor Simoni more accurately reflects the expanding role of research in academia, and the need for ongoing processes of planning at the School. Her primary responsibility will be the support of the faculty in developing research opportunities and in advancing a culture of research excellence at all levels. Professor Simoni will also engage the faculty and staff to implement on-going and inclusive strategic planning processes that represent the teaching, research, and service goals of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance. Professor Simoni's experience and education in performing arts technology keep her on the forefront of the evolving and expanding role of research in the arts, and will help the School develop research opportunities well beyond the boundaries of our physical campus.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Mary Hope Simoni as the Associate Dean for Research and Planning, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Christopher W. Kendall
Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

July 2006

July 21, 2006

**The University of Michigan
Regents Communication**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of New Administrative Appointment

NAME: Douglas L. Strong

CURRENT TITLE: Interim Director and Chief Executive Officer,
University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Director and Chief Executive Officer,
University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

TERM: 5 Years

It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of Douglas L. Strong as director and chief executive officer of the University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers, effective August 1, 2006. This appointment will be for a five-year term.

Mr. Strong earned a BA cum laude from Franklin & Marshall College, and both an MA in History and MBA from the Wharton School of Business, University of Pennsylvania. He began his professional career at University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine in 1977, serving in several positions and ultimately as the Director of Resource Planning and Analysis. He was the Associate Dean for Planning and Operations at Saint Louis University School of Medicine (1989-92), then served as Associate Dean for Administration and Finance at State University of New York at Stony Brook School of Medicine (1992-96). From 1996-98 he served as the Associate Dean and Chief Financial officer at the University of Chicago Biological Sciences Division and Pritzker School of Medicine. Mr. Strong came to the University of Michigan in 1998 to become the Health System's first Associate Vice President for Finance and Strategy. During his tenure as Associate Vice President he also served as the Chief Financial Officer for the Hospitals and Health Centers. He currently serves as the Interim Director and CEO of the Hospitals and Health Centers.

Doug Strong has led the University Hospitals and Health Centers exceptionally well during his tenure as interim Director and CEO. His thoughtful leadership style and his commitment to all aspects of the UMHS mission have facilitated growth and development of the entire enterprise. The organization continues to exhibit excellent financial performance despite significant economic pressures inherent in today's health care arena and the weakened Michigan economy. In sum, the combination of

Mr. Strong's experience prior to coming to Michigan and his strong leadership and commitment here leave him uniquely qualified to lead our Hospitals and Health Centers.

We therefore recommend with enthusiasm the appointment of Douglas L. Strong as Director and Chief Executive Officer, University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers.

Recommended by:



Mary Sue Coleman
President

Recommendation endorsed by:



Robert P. Kelch
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs

July 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to Endowed Named Professorship

NAME: Jeremy M. G. Taylor

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Biostatistics, with tenure, School of Public Health and Professor of Radiation Oncology, without tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Pharmacia Research Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health

TERM: Five years, renewable

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2011

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jeremy M.G. Taylor as the Pharmacia Research Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2011.

The purpose of the Pharmacia Research Professorship, established in 1996, is to support research and instruction in the area of biostatistics in public health. It is designed to promote development and elaboration of statistical methods sensitive to the complexities of population data regarding salient health problems.

Dr. Taylor received a B.A. in mathematics in 1978 from Cambridge University, England, and a Ph.D. in statistics from the University of California at Berkeley in 1983. He joined the departments of biostatistics and radiation oncology at UCLA in 1981, and held appointments as adjunct assistant professor, assistant professor in residence, associate professor in residence, and professor in residence (1993-1998). He joined the University of Michigan faculty in 1998 as Professor of Biostatistics and Professor of Radiation Oncology. Dr. Taylor also serves as Director of Biostatistics at the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Dr. Taylor has made remarkable methodological contributions in many areas of research including models for AIDS data analysis and methods for the analysis of prostate cancer. He has a tremendous record of publication with over 200 papers in top statistical and biomedical journals, including *Biometrics*, *Biometrika*, and *Journal of the American Statistical Association*. His fundamental work on the modeling and analysis of survival models with a cure fraction is widely known and often referenced as is his more recent work on marker processes in the context of cancer research. He has also been extremely effective in getting his research funded through grants from NIH and other organizations. He is currently PI on two grants in biostatistics methodology, and serves as PI for the biostatistics core of three others, including

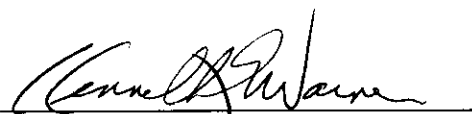
the biostatistics core of the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center. He is also the PI of a training grant on biostatistical methods in cancer research.

Recognition of Dr. Taylor's accomplishments by the scientific community is evident in his having received prestigious awards, including the Mortimer Spiegelman Award from APHA, and the School of Public Health Excellence in Research Award. He is a Fellow of the American Statistical Association and has extensive editorial experience, including associate editorships for the *Journal of the American Statistical Association* and for *Lifetime Data Analysis*.

Dr. Taylor has served the School of Public Health and the University of Michigan with great distinction. His research is exceptional, his teaching is first-rate, and he has the background, experience and capabilities to develop biostatistics in Michigan's Comprehensive Cancer Center. His appointment to this professorship will be a well deserved recognition of his valuable contributions.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jeremy M.G. Taylor as the Pharmacia Research Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2011.

Recommended by:



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

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

July 2006

July 21, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Titled Visiting Professor
NAME: Walter van Gerven
RECOMMENDED TITLE: Helen L. DeRoy Visiting Professor of Law
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through November 20, 2006


I am pleased to recommend that the Regents appoint Walter van Gerven as the Helen L. DeRoy Visiting Professor of Law, effective September 1, 2006 through November 20, 2006. The Helen L. DeRoy Professorship in Law was established to bring to the Law School distinguished foreign scholars.

Professor van Gerven has been a professor at Leuven (Belgium) since 1962. He was the Vice-Rector of that university from 1970 until 1976. He has taught as a visitor or fellow at several U.S. universities and law schools, including the University of Chicago, Stanford, and Michigan. He teaches European community law, commercial law, and private law. He has written innumerable articles in Dutch, English, and French on European and comparative law. His most recent book, *The European Union: a Polity of States and Peoples*, is published by Stanford University Press and Hart Publishing Oxford (2005). From 1989 until 1994, he was Advocate General of the European Court of Justice, taking approximately 180 Opinions before that Court. He has also served on committees established by the European Parliament. He will be an invaluable visitor here at Michigan this upcoming academic year.


We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Walter van Gerven as the Helen L. DeRoy Visiting Professor of Law, effective September 1, 2006 through November 20, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School



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

July 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Stanley J. Watson, Jr., M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Psychiatry, with tenure; Theophile Raphael Collegiate Professor of Neurosciences in the Department of Psychiatry; and Co-Director of the Molecular and Behavioral Neuroscience Institute

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Psychiatry, with tenure; Co-Director of the Molecular and Behavioral Neuroscience Institute; and Ralph Waldo Gerard Professor of Neurosciences in the Department of Psychiatry

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

On the recommendation of John F. Greden, M.D., the Rachel Upjohn Professor of Psychiatry and Clinical Neurosciences and Chair of the Department of Psychiatry, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Stanley J. Watson, Jr., M.D., as the Ralph Waldo Gerard Professor of Neurosciences in the Department of Psychiatry, effective July 1, 2006. Effective with this appointment, Dr. Watson will relinquish the title of Theophile Raphael Collegiate Professor of Neurosciences.

This endowed professorship was established in 1990 and made possible through the generosity of Elsie and Ralph Colton in memory of Dr. Gerard, who was a member of the research faculty at the University of Michigan and a pioneer in the neurosciences.

Dr. Watson received the Ph.D. degree in clinical psychology from the University of Iowa, where he gained experience in experimental clinical psychopathology. He received the M.D. degree from Tulane Medical School and completed a residency in psychiatry at Stanford University. Dr. Watson joined the University of Michigan faculty in 1978 and achieved his current rank of Professor of Psychiatry, with tenure, in 1987. Since 1995, he has served as Co-Director of the Molecular and Behavioral Neuroscience Institute, where he also holds appointment as Research Professor.

Dr. Watson has spent much of his career generating fundamental tools and strategies that allow increasingly more sophisticated approaches to the study of brain function in well defined circuits. He pioneered the use of these novel tools and described how specific neurotransmitter systems are laid out, how they are regulated, and how they participate in emotional and motivated behavior. He has extended this basic research to the study of the human brain and its dysfunction in mental illness. Dr. Watson's work has earned him national and international recognition. The fact that he is a psychiatrist who is also a leading neuroscientist gives him a unique perspective on the field. He has played a critical role at the national level in chairing the Board of Scientific Counselors for the National Institute on Mental Health and in chairing the review of the intramural program at the National Institute on Drug Abuse. In addition to the numerous honors that he has received, Dr. Watson is a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and, in 1994, was elected to the membership of the Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Sciences.

Dr. Watson is an internationally recognized investigator and medical educator who has made significant contributions both to the neurosciences and to biological psychiatry. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Stanley J. Watson, Jr., M.D., Ph.D., as the Ralph Waldo Gerard Professor of Neurosciences in the Department of Psychiatry.

Recommended by

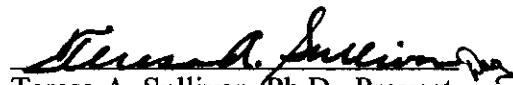


Allen S. Lichter, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by



Robert F. Kelch, M.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Titled Professorship

NAME: Janet A. Weiss

CURRENT TITLES: Dean, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies and Vice-Provost for Academic Affairs-Graduate Studies, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, Mary C. Bromage Collegiate Professor of Organizational Behavior and Public Policy and Professor of Organizational Behavior and Public Policy, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Public Policy, without tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Mary C. Bromage Collegiate Professor of Organizational Behavior and Public Policy, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

TERM: Five years, renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Janet Weiss as the Mary C. Bromage Collegiate Professor of Organizational Behavior and Public Policy, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011. Dr. Weiss was first appointed to the Mary C. Bromage Collegiate Professorship in 1996.

The Mary C. Bromage Collegiate Professorship was established in 1996. Mary C. Bromage was a prominent and highly regarded member of the faculty in the Stephen M. Ross School of Business. She joined the faculty in 1956 as an Instructor and rose through the ranks to become Professor of Written Communications. She was named Professor Emeriti in 1977 and continued to teach, consult and write until her death in 1994. Appointment to this professorship is reserved for senior faculty.

Dean Weiss received her B.A. degree from Yale University in 1973 and her Ph.D. degree from Harvard University in 1977. She was promoted to professor in the Stephen M. Ross School of Business in 1991 and professor in the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy in 1995. From 1993 to 1997 she served as Associate Dean in the Stephen M. Ross School of Business. She is currently Dean of the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, Vice-Provost for Academic Affairs-Graduate Studies Office of the Provost, as well as Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs.


Dean Weiss is a strong faculty presence in our Schools and across campus. She is highly regarded by colleagues as a leader among her peers and, in particular, as a powerful advocate for the Ross School's doctoral program and research agenda. She has served in a variety of administrative roles, including as the Ross School of Business Ombudsperson and as a member of the Executive Committee.


We are pleased to honor Dean Weiss for her outstanding record of achievements and the honor she brings to the memory of Mary C. Bromage as holder of the chair. We enthusiastically recommend her reappointment as the Mary C. Bromage Collegiate Professor of Organizational Behavior and Public Policy, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, for a five-year term, from September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:


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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


Rebecca M. Blank, Dean
Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

July 2006

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Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: James O. Woolliscroft, MD

CURRENT TITLE: Executive Associate Dean,
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine, Professor of Internal
Medicine, with tenure, and Professor of Medical Education,
without tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Interim Dean, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

The Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and the Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs recommend the appointment of James O. Woolliscroft, MD as interim dean of the Medical School, effective August 1, 2006 and continuing until a new dean is appointed.

Dr. Woolliscroft received his Bachelor of Science, *summa cum laude*, from the College of Biological Sciences at the University of Minnesota, and in 1976 he received his Doctor of Medicine degree from the University of Minnesota. He completed his internship and residency and served as chief medical resident at the University of Michigan. In 1980 he was appointed as an Instructor in the Department of Internal medicine in the Medical School. Subsequent to that he was promoted to assistant professor in 1983, to associate professor in 1987 and to professor 1993. He served as the Chief of Staff in the Hospitals and Health Centers from 1995-1998. Since 1999, Dr. Woolliscroft has served as the executive associate dean in the Medical School and also as acting dean for 4 months during Dean Lichter's absence.


Dr. Woolliscroft brings breadth and depth to this role. He has achieved international prominence in the field of medical education, and has had departmental and medical school leadership roles in both undergraduate and graduate medical education. In 1995 he was the first recipient of the Josiah C. Macy, Jr. Professor of Medical Education Endowed professorship, awarded through a national competition. In 2001 he received the Lyle C. Roll endowed professorship in medicine.


More recently, his interests have broadened to include international education and use of technology to enhance educational experiences both here and abroad. He currently serves as a member of the Board of Trustees for the Medial School of Shanghai Jiao Tong University, a member of the review group for Weill Cornell Medical College in

Qatar, and a member of the International Advisory Committee, Peking Union Medical College in Beijing, China. He has published close to a hundred juried manuscripts and authored or contributed to 8 books.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of James O. Woolliscroft as interim dean of the Medical School effective August 1, 2006.

Recommended by:


Robert P. Kelch, MD
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs


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

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Margaret Willard-Traub
TITLE: Associate Professor of Composition
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

Approved by the Regents
July 21, 2006

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, University of Michigan-Dearborn, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Margaret Willard-Traub as associate professor of composition, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006. In addition, Dr. Willard-Traub will assume the directorship of the Writing Program.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Dr. Willard-Traub received a M.A. in English in 1991 from the University of Massachusetts, Boston and a Ph.D. in English and Education in 1998 from the University of Michigan. She also received a prior Masters in 1983 from the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Dr. Willard-Traub was assistant professor of composition from 1999-2005 and after being granted tenure, associate professor of composition from 2005 to the present at Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan. She developed and taught a broad range of courses in rhetoric and composition, an Honors seminar; and Writing Across the Curriculum in science and technology and disciplinary culture respectively at Oakland. As a Writing Program administrator Dr. Willard-Traub chaired both the Writing Across the Curriculum Initiative and the Rhetoric Program Curriculum Committee. She also successfully proposed a major and a minor in Rhetoric and Writing encompassed under the General Education stipulations of the university. As a researcher, Dr. Willard-Traub has published extensively on rhetoric, gender and ethnicity in memoir writing in important peer reviewed journals in her field.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Dr. Willard-Traub is a well-respected scholar in the field of Rhetoric and Composition with an excellent record of research. From the materials she has provided, the letters from external reviewers and the comments of peers and students at her previous institution, it is clear that she is an accomplished teacher-scholar who is well qualified to direct the Writing Program at the University of Michigan-Dearborn.

Dr. Willard-Traub has made significant and sometimes ground breaking contributions to the fields of rhetoric and composition; the assessment of student writing in a university context, and gender and ethnicity in memoir writing respectively. Her current research centers on autobiography writing by women and the evaluation of best practices in writing program administration in American higher education.

Her publications include, "Reflections in Academe: Scholarly Writing and the Shifting Subject," in College English (March 2006); "Scholarly Autobiography: An Alternative Intellectual Practice," in Feminist Studies (Spring 2006) and "Writing Assessment and the Labor of 'Reform' in the Academy," in Labor, Writing Technologies, and the Shaping of Composition in the Academy (Greenwich, CT: Hampton Press, 2006) among many other articles and reviews.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A: "Dr. Willard-Traub's scholarship is a coherent body with two poles: identity and self representation on the one and identity and professional judgment on the other. The analysis is lucid and the argument sound."

Reviewer B: "Professor Willard-Traub's theoretical sophistication is shown in her contribution to our special issue of College English. [Her] current project...is one of the most imaginative projects in the humanities I have seen in quite a while."

Reviewer C: "I am pleased to recommend Dr. Willard-Traub for tenure at the University of Michigan-Dearborn. Her work has already influenced the field of composition studies and the trajectory of her work indicates a continuing career bringing together women's studies, critical pedagogy and practices of teaching writing together in fruitful ways."

Reviewer D: "Willard-Traub's scholarship has focused on two distinct though inter-related strands of inquiry: assessment and scholarly memoir. [B]oth intimately inform each other, asking us to rethink genre, audience expectations and the uses of personal and scholarly writing."

Reviewer E: "[Dr. Willard-Traub] makes the personal matter. Her attention to the ways dialogue promotes the development of good assessment criteria as well as good learning experiences and environments targets a key issue in composition studies: her work with memoir, reflection and genre creates interesting bridges..."

SELECT PUBLICATIONS

"Reflection in Academe: Scholarly Writing and the Shifting Subject." College English (March 2006).

"Scholarly Autobiography: An Alternative Intellectual Practice." Feminist Studies (in press).

"Writing Assessment and the Labor of 'Reform' in the Academy." Labor, Writing Technologies, and the Shaping of Composition in the Academy. Ed. Pamela Takayoshi and Patricia Sullivan. Greenwich, CT: Hampton Press, 2003.

"Rhetorics of Gender and Ethnicity in Scholarly Memoir: Notes on a Material Genre," College English 65.5 (2003): 511-525.

TEACHING

Materials submitted to Oakland University indicate that Dr. Willard-Traub is a gifted teacher. As one peer reviewer of her classes writes, "Margaret Willard-Traub is not only a woman of immense breadth and depth in her teaching philosophy, but also a woman who pays meticulous attention to detail in the carrying of her philosophy and in the doing excites her students."

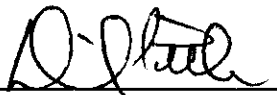
SERVICE

As a writing program administrator Dr. Willard-Traub undertook very significant, committed and visionary service at her previous institution. The Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education at Oakland wrote, "She worked to further educate faculty and students on the importance of writing [and] convened a committee that examined how Rhetoric can facilitate and serve the goals of the new General Education Program."

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

With her expertise in composition studies and her research and professional experience in writing program administration Dr. Margaret Willard-Traub will bring considerable energy and professional acumen to the Writing Program; its interface with pedagogy in the College of Arts, Sciences and Letters as well as in the innovative role of writing in the professional schools. I believe she will provide the model of collaborative leadership that will strengthen the pivotal role that writing can play in a student-centered education. I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Margaret Willard-Traub as associate professor of composition, with tenure.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

Recommendations for approval of reappointments
of regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff

July 21, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

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

NAME: Swatantra K. Kachhal

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems
Engineering, with tenure, and Chair, Department of
Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems
Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006–June 30, 2009

The dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering and Computer Science, with the endorsement of the provost and vice-chancellor for academic affairs, recommend the reappointment of Swatantra K. Kachhal as chair of the Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

Dr. Kachhal graduated with a B.S. degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Roorkee in India in 1968. He pursued his graduate studies at the University of Minnesota, where he earned a M.S. in industrial engineering in 1971 and a Ph.D. in operations research in 1974.

Dr. Kachhal has been on the faculty since 1973, has served as the graduate program chair since 1979, and was acting chair of the department for two years before being appointed chair in July 1985. He has contributed greatly to the College of Engineering and Computer Science and the Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering through his service on the Executive Committee, Curriculum Committee, and several other campus committees. He has worked diligently in the development of the graduate programs in industrial and systems engineering and in engineering management, during which time the enrollment has more than doubled under his leadership. Dr. Kachhal continues to be active in research. His research interests are in health care and facilities planning. He also has extensive consulting experience in industry.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Swatantra K. Kachhal as chair of the Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering.

Recommended by:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

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

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Robert L. Simpson

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Biology and Environmental Science, with tenure,
Department of Natural Sciences, College of Arts, Sciences, and
Letters

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Science Education, with tenure, School of Education

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2006

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Education and the support of the Department of Natural Sciences and the dean of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Robert L. Simpson as professor of science education, with tenure, in the School of Education, effective July 1, 2006.

Professor Simpson received his B.A. in Zoology in 1965 and his M.A. in Biology in 1967 from Fresno State College, Fresno, California, and received his Ph.D. in Limnology in 1971 from Cornell University, Ithaca, New York. Professor Simpson has served as provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs and professor of biology at the University of Michigan-Dearborn since 1991. He served as chair of the Academic Affairs Officers Committee of the Presidents Council, State Universities of Michigan from 1997-2004; president of the New Jersey Academy of Science from 1982-1984 and currently serves on the advisory committee of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities' American Democracy Project. At the University of Michigan-Dearborn he provided leadership for the acquisition of funds for an Environmental Interpretive Center that serves up to 12,000 metropolitan Detroit school children annually through programs that focus on watershed education and the creation of sustainable environments.

Professor Simpson's research focuses on freshwater wetlands, with special emphasis on the ecology of tidal freshwater wetlands of the upper Delaware River estuary and he is co-editor of two books, *Freshwater Wetlands: Ecological Processes and Management Potential* (1978) and *Ecology of Soil Seed Banks* (1989).

Robert Simpson is distinguished by his outstanding contributions to science education and by his service and dedication to the University of Michigan-Dearborn. I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Robert L. Simpson as professor of science education, with tenure, in the School of Education, effective July 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

Recommendations for approval of reappointments
of regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

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

NAME: Roy C. Barnes

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Sociology, with tenure, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Criminal Justice, and Assistant Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Assistant Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: June 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009


The Dean and Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences recommend the reappointment of Roy C. Barnes as Assistant Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, for a three-year term, effective June 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

Dr. Barnes received his B.A. degree from Pomona College in 1982, his M.A. degree from Mississippi State University in 1985, and his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 1994. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1996 as assistant professor, and was promoted to associate professor with tenure in 2002.


Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Dr. Barnes has served as Assistant Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences from 2004-2006, Chair of the Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Criminal Justice, and served on the General Education Assessment Taskforce, Academic Assessment Committee, and the College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee.

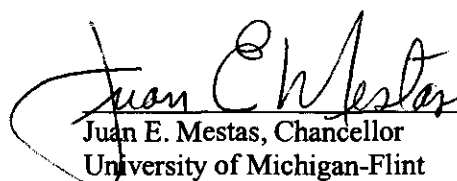
We respectfully request the reappointment of Roy C. Barnes as Assistant Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, for a three-year term, effective June 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

Recommended by:


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

Recommendation endorsed by:


Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

 6/26/06
Juan E. Mestas, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

July 2006

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REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
July 21, 2006

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

NAME: Derwin S. Munroe

CURRENT TITLE: Chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences

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

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Political Science, recommend the reappointment of Derwin S. Munroe as Chair of the Department of Political Science for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

Derwin Munroe received his B.A. degree and M.PHIL. degree from the University of West Indies, Kingston Jamaica in 1986 and 1989, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1999 as a Lecturer.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, he has served as a member of the International and Global Studies Program, College of Arts and Sciences Admissions and Scholarships Committee, Member of the Advisory Board of the Women's Educational Center and faculty search committees.

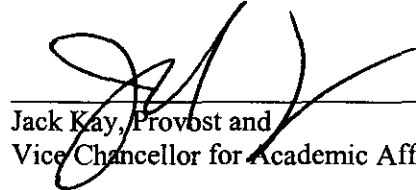
Derwin Munroe will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Derwin S. Munroe as Chair of the Department of Political Science for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:

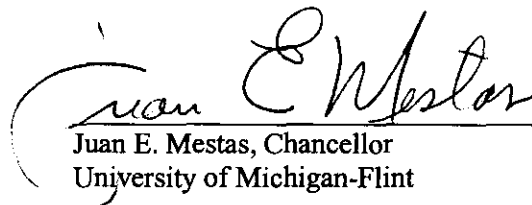


D. J. Trela, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSE BY:



Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Juan E. Mestas, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

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

NAME: Thomas A. Wrobel

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

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

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Psychology, recommend the reappointment of Thomas A. Wrobel as Chair of the Department of Psychology for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

Dr. Wrobel received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Manhattan College in 1976, his Master of Arts degree and Ph.D. from Wayne State University in 1978 and 1980, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1986 as an assistant professor, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1992, and to professor in 2003.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Dr. Wrobel has served as Senior Advisor to the Chancellor, Campus Ombudsman, faculty advisor for Psi Chi, the National Honor Society in Psychology, and served on the Thompson Center for Learning and Teaching Advisory Board, Staff Awards Committee, Provost Search Committee, and Faculty Search Committee for the Assistant Professor of Psychology. Dr. Wrobel will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Thomas A. Wrobel as Chair of the Department of Psychology for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

Recommended by:

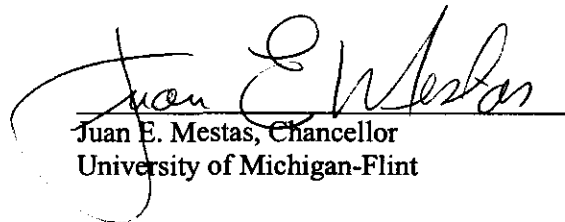


D.J. Trela, Dean
College of Arts & Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:



Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Juan E. Mestas, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents

July 21, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Mojtaba Vaziri

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Physics, with tenure, Department of Computer Science, Engineering Science and Physics, College of Arts and Sciences

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Engineering Science, with tenure, Department of Computer Science, Engineering Science and Physics, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

With the support of the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences and the Department of Computer Science, Engineering Science and Physics, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Mojtaba Vaziri as professor of engineering science, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Dr. Vaziri received his B.S. degree from Tarbiyat Moallem University, Tehran, Iran in 1973, and his M.S. degree and Ph.D. from Purdue University in 1982 and 1985, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1990 as an assistant professor, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1995, and to professor in 2006.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Dr. Vaziri has served on the Faculty Council, Academic Council and the College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee. He has served as Chair of the Department of Computer Science, Engineering Science and Physics from 2000 to 2005 and Chair of the Department of Physics and Engineering Science from 1997 to 2000. He has assembled a solid state research laboratory and launched a research program centered on the production and characterization of fullerenes and nanometer scale metal clusters encapsulated within carbon cages.

We respectfully request approval of the additional appointment of Mojtaba Vaziri as professor of engineering science, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Recommended by:

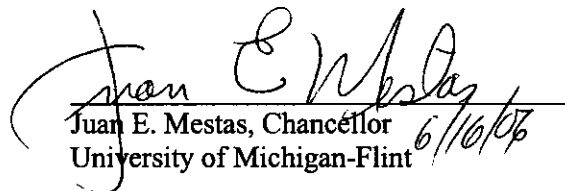


D.J. Trela, Dean
College of Arts & Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:



Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Juan E. Mestas, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint 6/16/06

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

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

July 21, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Darryl Baird
CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Art, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts,
College of Arts and Sciences
TERM: One Semester
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Communication and Visual Arts, recommend the appointment of Darryl Baird as Chair of the Department of Communication and Visual Arts for a one-semester term, effective September 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006.

Dr. Baird received his Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from Southern Methodist University in 1994, and his Master of Fine Arts degree from the University of North Texas in 1998. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1998 as an assistant professor, and was promoted to associate professor with tenure in 2004.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Dr. Baird has been active in the artistic life of the Flint region serving as President of the artist-run Buckham Gallery. He has served on search committees, the Admission and Scholarship Committee, and the Academic Standards Committee in the College of Arts and Sciences. Dr. Baird was nominated for the Distinguished Service Award in 2000.

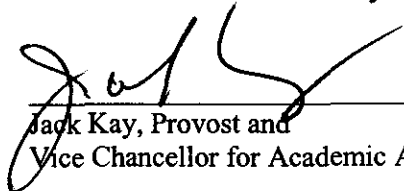
Dr. Baird will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend Darryl Baird as Chair of the Department of Communication and Visual Arts for a one-semester term, effective September 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006.

Recommended by:

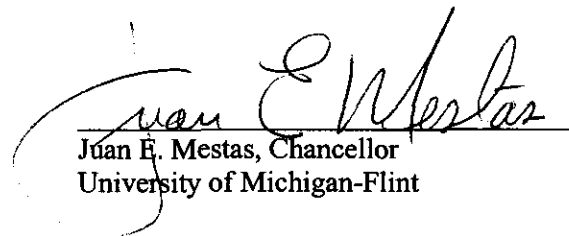


D.J. Trela, Dean
College of Arts & Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:



Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Juan E. Mestas, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: R. Shantaram

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Computer Science, with tenure,
College of Arts and Sciences

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering Science and
Physics, College of Arts and Sciences

TERM: One Year

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Computer Science, Engineering Science and Physics, recommend the appointment of R. Shantaram as Chair of the Department of Computer Science, Engineering Science and Physics for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007.

Dr. Shantaram received his B.S. degree from Ferguson College, in Poona, India, in 1959, his M.Sc. from the Poona University in 1961, and his Ph.D. from Pennsylvania State University in 1966. He received an additional M.S. degree in computer science from Wayne State University in 1982. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1971 as an assistant professor, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1974.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Dr. Shantaram coordinated the Fifteenth Annual High School Programming Contest and the Mathematics Field Day for over ten years. He attended a workshop on Java, the programming language, and served as Chair of the Computer Science Department from 1992-1995.

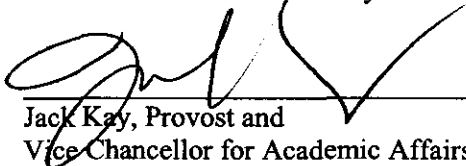
Dr. Shantaram will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of R. Shantaram as Chair of the Department of Computer Science, Engineering Science and Physics for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007.

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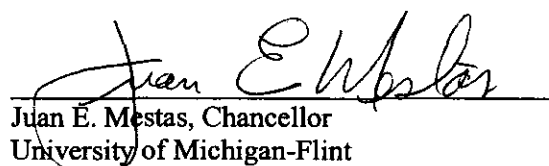


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Recommendation endorsed by:



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