

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Michael Awkward

TITLES: Professor of English Language and Literature and Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, 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, the Center for Afroamerican and African Studies, and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael Awkward as professor of English language and literature, with tenure, and professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Michael Awkward earned his Bachelor of Arts, *cum laude*, from Brandeis University in 1980. He attended the University of Pennsylvania where he received his Master of Arts in 1982 and Doctorate in 1986.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Awkward began his teaching career as assistant professor at the University of Michigan in 1986 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1995. He joined the faculty at the University of Pennsylvania as professor in 1997 and was appointed the Longstreet Professor of English and Afro-American Literature at Emory University in 2003.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

The hallmark of Professor Awkward's work is his willingness to engage in dialogue with critics and theorists in a number of fields outside African-American literary studies, especially but not exclusively with those working in feminist theory and criticism. His books take up a number of different topics in and related to African-American literary and cultural studies, but they cohere

around a common project: the systematic interrogation of the discursive limits that emerged to encompass the Black experience in America.

Professor Awkward's teaching is accomplished at a high level indeed. He consistently scores well above the median in the varied courses he has taught. He has also served as mentor to numerous graduate students and younger faculty. He has selflessly served throughout his own institutions and the profession at large in a number of capacities.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

"Among those of his scholarly generation, Michael has made one of the most important contributions to gender studies in African Americanist criticism. ...Michael has done scholarly as well as critical work of a very high order, and he has practiced what he has preached in ways that I find admirable and exemplary not only in intellectual respects but in professional ones as well."

Reviewer (B)

"For his brilliant and consequential scholarship, pervasive and creative commitment to undergraduate and graduate education, and warm and generative collegiality, Michael Awkward is richly deserving of this distinctive opportunity."

Reviewer (C)

"Given his accomplishments, as well as his previous appointment at the University of Michigan, there is no question that Michael Awkward merits reappointment to a tenured professorship at the institution. His record is consistent with a senior appointment in his field, and I have every confidence that he would be appointed as a full professor with tenure at any number of comparable universities."

Reviewer (D)

"His scholarship is noteworthy for the unique path he has carved for himself as a black male intellectual who addresses feminist concerns about the intersection of race with gender. In this regard, his essay, 'A Black Man's Place in Black Feminist Criticism,' (Chapter 2 in his book, *Negotiating Difference*) is constitutive of the field and, as such, has been widely anthologized and cited."

Reviewer (E)

"As all three of his books confirm, his work is characterized by intellectual rigor and personal honesty. He is a scholar who is always taking up new questions and challenges. ...he is a leader in the field of African American literary and cultural studies whose appointment as full professor of English at Michigan I enthusiastically recommend."

Reviewer (F)

“Michael Awkward has been an important and influential scholar throughout his career. ... He has been very active in the profession, holding key positions on major editorial and advisory committees, and he has held important administrative positions at Michigan and the University of Pennsylvania. His appointment in 2003 as Longstreet Professor at Emory demonstrates the high standing he has in the field...”

PUBLICATIONS

“‘Saving with the Mind’: On ‘Watching’ Black Male Heterosexual Desire, and Black Feminism,” in *Souls*, Winter 2001. Reprinted in *The New Black Renaissance: The Souls Anthology of Critical African American Studies*, M. Marable (ed.), Paradigm Publishers, 2005.

Scenes of Instruction: A Memoir, Duke University Press, 2000.

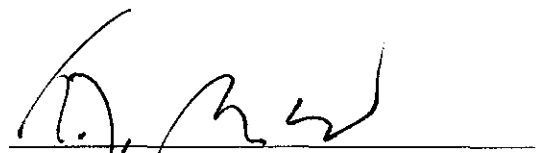
Negotiating Difference: Race, Gender, and the Politics of Positionality, University of Chicago Press, 1995.

SUMMARY

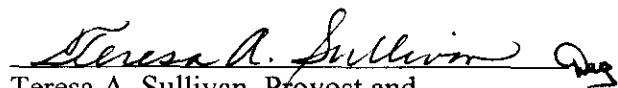
Professor Awkward is a leader in his field as well as an excellent teacher and scholar. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael Awkward as professor of English language and literature, with tenure, and professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, College of Literature, 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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GRANTED**

August 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Phillip J. Bowman
TITLE: Professor of Education
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

With the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Education, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Phillip J. Bowman as professor of education, with tenure, in the School of Education, effective September 1, 2006. He will also serve as Director of the National Center for Institutional Diversity.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Dr. Bowman received his B.S. in 1970 from Northern Arizona University, a M.A. in 1971, an Ed.S. in 1973, a M.A. in 1974 and his Ph.D. in 1977 all from the University of Michigan.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Upon receiving his doctoral degree, Dr. Bowman remained at the University of Michigan until 1984 holding appointments in both the Institute for Social Research and the Department of Psychology. From 1984 to 1991 he was at the University of Illinois, 1991 to 2000 he was associate professor at Northwestern University. He is currently Professor and Director of the Institute for Research on Race and Public Policy at the University of Illinois, Chicago.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Dr. Bowman is an eminent and highly respected scholar and teacher. His work on role strain, and his theoretical insights and methodologies in this area have earned him national influence among both scholars and practitioners. He has a long and impressive teaching record, beginning with courses in both psychology and Afroamerican Studies here at the University of Michigan. His teaching abilities were quickly recognized, and he was made Director of the Postdoctoral Training Program at the Institute for Social Research. At the University of Illinois, Professor Bowman was consistently reported by his colleagues and students to be an exceptional teacher and mentor. He remained a committed teacher and prolific scholar at Northwestern University in Public Policy, Education and Psychology. Through his work in two different graduate programs he taught his students a wide range of social science policies and methodologies, and was recognized by students and colleagues as an outstanding teacher and mentor. Finally, at the University of Illinois at Chicago, Dr. Bowman has further distinguished himself in these areas.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A: "Bowman's statement of his research interests shows that he has retained his interest in theory-driven empirical research on racial/ethnic disparities in education, and on social policy issues. His continued involvement in the on-going Research on Black Americans is strong evidence of his statistical methodology and research productivity. This research has become the most noted in his field."

Reviewer B: "Professor Bowman has been, and continues to be, a prolific scholar, having his work published in high quality journals in psychology and education. In addition, he has published many book chapters in important compilations. I have found his work to be uniformly of high quality, combining careful methodology and original theoretical insights."

Reviewer C: "Professor Bowman is an outstanding scholar who will exhibit visionary leadership as a faculty member. He will also prove to be a wonderful colleague and a great mentor to graduate students and junior faculty. I have worked very closely with him on the issues in the American Educational Research Association and find him to be one of the great role models for younger scholars. I cannot think of a better individual suited for your program and I recommend him with the highest praise."

PUBLICATIONS

Bowman, P.J. 2006. Role strain and adaptation issues in the strength-based model: Diversity, multilevel, and life span considerations. Counseling Psychologist, 34, 118-133

Johnson, T.P. and Bowman, P.J. 2003. Cross-cultural sources of measurement error in substance use surveys. Substance Use and Misuse, 38 (10), 1447-1490.

Orellana, M. and Bowman, P.J. 2003. Cultural diversity issues in learning and development. Conceptual, Methodological and Strategic Considerations. Educational Researcher, 32 (5) 26-33.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDTION

Dr. Bowman is known as an exceptional and rigorous scholar, as well as a fine teacher and extraordinary mentor. We are enthused about the set of skills and perspectives that he will bring to the University of Michigan. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Phillip J. Bowman as professor of education, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Dean, School of Education



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



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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Angela D. Dillard

TITLES: Associate Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies and
Associate Professor in the Residential College, College of
Literature, Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS: Center for Afroamerican and African Studies, With Tenure
Residential College, Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Center for Afroamerican and African Studies, the Residential College, and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Angela D. Dillard as associate professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, and associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Angela Dillard received her Bachelor of Arts from Michigan State University in 1988 and Master of Arts from the New School for Social Research in 1991. She attended the University of Michigan where she completed a second Master of Arts in 1992 and Doctorate in 1995.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Dillard began her teaching careers as assistant professor at the University of Minnesota in 1995. She was appointed assistant professor at New York University in 1997 and promoted to associate professor in 2002. She has been Director of the Africana Studies Program in the Department of Social and Cultural Analysis since 2005.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Dillard has emerged as a scholar and public intellectual of importance, and has achieved a broad readership that is unusual for an academic scholar – especially one so early in her career. The range of her work is very impressive. Her first book, *Guess Who's Coming to*

Dinner Now, brought her wide attention outside the academy and provoked considerable public discussion. Her second book in the final stages of prepublication work, *Faith in the City: Preaching Radical Social Change in Detroit*, displays her strengths as a professional historian. And her third project on James Meredith is under contract with the University of California Press.

Professor Dillard is an outstanding instructor of undergraduate students. The breadth of her teaching interests and capabilities is testimony to her creativity in designing new courses and to her genuine interest in teaching. Students give her excellent ratings and comment on her useful and honest feedback, the structured and stimulating discussions she led, and the careful planning that went into her syllabi.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

“Angela is obviously way ahead of her peers when it comes to publishing books. ... She will be a highly productive scholar at Michigan, and I believe she will also excel in the classroom. ... I think I can say with confidence that we would hire her in a heartbeat at [my institution]...”

Reviewer (B)

“I consider Angela Dillard to be one of the most original minds at work today in the field of modern African-American history. Her first book on multicultural conservatism was truly groundbreaking. ... The manuscript for her second book, *Faith in the City*, is also extremely impressive.”

Reviewer (C)

“I have never been as enthusiastic in my support of a candidate as I am in Dillard’s case. ... Her productivity is impressive... I am even more impressed with the quality of Dillard’s work.”

Reviewer (D)

“Dillard has unique, and thus very valuable, strengths as a scholar as well as a teacher. Having her on the faculty would be an honor for any university...”

Reviewer (E)

“Dillard would certainly merit a tenured associate professorship at [my institution] or any of the other institutions at which I have taught. Her sophisticated and broad intellectual production puts her in the front ranks of Americanists of her cohort.”

Reviewer (F)

“Angela Dillard takes her work seriously and produces studies unlike those of any other scholar. She makes unique and valuable contributions to our understanding of important social issues.”

Reviewer (G)

“Professor Dillard’s record of accomplishment marks her as an innovative and important scholar of race, biography, and political history. ... This is a smart appointment by the University of Michigan, both because of what Prof. Dillard has already accomplished and because of her promise as a continuing, publishing scholar.”

PUBLICATIONS

James Meredith, The “Conservative Turn” and the Boundaries of the American Historical Imagination, under contract to the University of California Press.

Social Justice in the City: Religion and Political Radicalism in Detroit, from the 1930s to the 1960s, University of Michigan Press, forthcoming.

“Between a Rock and a Very Hard Place: Adventures in Conservative Feminism,” *Society*, 42(3), March/April 2005, pp. 25-27.

Guess Who’s Coming to Dinner Now?: Multicultural Conservatism in America, New York University Press, 2001 (paperback edition 2002).

SUMMARY

Professor Dillard is a highly-productive scholar and an excellent teacher. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Angela D. Dillard as associate professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, and associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006.

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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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Peter F. Ehrlich, M.D.
TITLE: Associate Professor of Surgery
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 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 with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Peter F. Ehrlich, M.D., as Associate Professor of Surgery, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Dr. Ehrlich received the M.D. degree from the University of Toronto in 1989. He completed an internship and a fellowship in general surgery also at that institution. During 1996-98, Dr. Ehrlich pursued fellowship training in pediatric surgery at the National Children's Hospital in Washington, D.C. In 1998, he was appointed to the faculty at West Virginia University as Assistant Professor of Surgery and Pediatrics and achieved the academic rank of Associate Professor in 2002. He has held an appointment at the University of Michigan as Associate Professor on the Clinical Track in the Department of Surgery since 2003.

Dr. Ehrlich's research is focused on the clinical management of children with cancer and on injury prevention. His bibliography reflects over 30 articles, published or in press, as well as numerous textbook chapters and abstracts. He currently is the surgical principal investigator of all kidney trials for the Children's Oncology Group grant sponsored by the National Cancer Institute and also receives support from the American Pediatric Surgical Association. He has developed two interventions to reduce high risk behavior and, therefore, injury to children and has written additional grant applications to address his interest in injury prevention. Dr. Ehrlich's expertise is recognized through his editorship of the Pediatric Oncology Section of the publication *Cancer Investigation* and as an ad hoc reviewer for several journals including *Clinical Cancer Research* and the *Journal of Pediatric Surgery*.

Recent and Significant Publications

Ehrlich PF, Rockwell S, Kincaid S, Mucha P: American College of Surgeons, Committee on Trauma Verification Review: Does it Really Make a Difference? *J Trauma* 53:811-816, 2002.

Ehrlich PF, Helmkamp JC, Williams J, Haque A, Furbee PM: Matched Analysis of Parent's and Children's Attitudes and Practices towards Motor Vehicle and Bicycle Safety: An Important Information Gap. *Inj Control Safe Promot* 11(1):23-28, 2004.

Ehrlich PF, Ritchey M, Hamilton TE, et al: Quality Assessment for Wilms tumor: A Report from the NWTS-5. *J Pediatr Surg* 40:208-213, 2005.

Ehrlich PF, Shamberger RC, Ritchey ML, Hamilton TE, Haase GM, Grundy P: Value of Surgery in Directing Therapy of Wilms Tumor Patients with Pulmonary Disease. Report from National Wilms Tumor Study (NWTS-5) *J Pediatr Surg* (in press).

Dr. Ehrlich has amassed a very strong teaching record throughout his career. He was the recipient of several teaching awards while at West Virginia University, and was the first M.D. to be awarded the Foundation Teacher Award at that institution. Since joining the Michigan faculty, Dr. Ehrlich's teaching has focused on medical student instruction, both didactic and in the clinical setting. He also provides lectures to Pediatric residents and to graduate students in the School of Public Health. Dr. Ehrlich is a rare individual who has made a significant impact on the students that he has taught and mentored.

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

Reviewer A: "If he were a member of the faculty [at this institution] he would definitely qualify for Associate Professor in the tenure stream and I would be delighted to have someone of his caliber on my own faculty."

Reviewer B: "His publications have centered around three areas, firstly, trauma, especially injury patterns and prevention strategies. This is an important area, and he is recognized as a leader in the field within the pediatric trauma world."

Reviewer C: "It is my opinion that Dr. Ehrlich is a brilliant and creative thinker. His recent interests have been wide ranging, extending from tumors to trauma. He appears to be uniquely suited to create, develop, and implement complex research protocols. He also has a strong interest in injury prevention, which is one of the most important fields of investigation in childhood mortality."


Reviewer D: "Dr. Ehrlich continues to be a positive role model and mentor to medical students and residents. He demonstrates ability to balance clinical care, research and teaching commitments in order to excel in each area. Through his enthusiasm for his work, he also inspires students to consider careers in surgery and academic medicine."

Reviewer E: "Dr. Ehrlich has demonstrated a clear and established reputation in academic pediatric surgery in the areas of pediatric trauma and surgical oncology. His extramural funding is linked to his interests in pediatric trauma and in solid tumors. This grant support has allowed him to investigate an important area in pediatric trauma, namely, injury prevention through altering behavior and promoting safety. The outcomes of this clinical research may well impact future initiatives in decreasing 'dangerous' behaviors among adolescents."

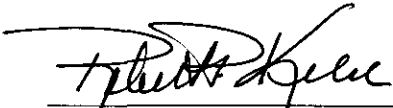
At the University of Michigan, Dr. Ehrlich has a strong service record that includes his directorship of the Pediatric Trauma Program, as well as his significant clinical responsibilities in the Section of Pediatric Surgery. Nationally, he is an advisory council member of the National Pediatric Trauma Registry and serves on steering committees for the Renal Tumor Committee and the Lymphoma Tumor Committee of the Children's Oncology Group.


Dr. Ehrlich has achieved national recognition through his clinical research contributions and his activities as surgical director of the Children's Oncology Group renal study section. His service commitment to the institution is noteworthy, including his directorship of the Pediatric Trauma Program. In addition to his extensive service and teaching roles, Dr. Ehrlich's research program, which is both independent and collaborative in nature, focuses on the clinical management of children with cancer and on injury prevention. Dr. Ehrlich has developed a significant portfolio of scholarship, teaching, administrative leadership, and clinical service. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend his appointment as Associate Professor of Surgery, with tenure.

Recommended by


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Interim 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
Medical Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Jun-Lin Guan, Ph.D.

TITLE: Professor of Internal Medicine, and
Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure (Internal Medicine)
Without Tenure (Cell and Developmental Biology)

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

TERM: 12 Months

On the recommendation of Marc E. Lippman, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and James Douglas Engel, Ph.D., the G. Carl Huber Professor of Developmental Biology and Chair of the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jun-Lin Guan, Ph.D., as Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Dr. Guan received the Ph.D. degree from the University of California, San Diego in 1987, and pursued his postdoctoral training at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He became an Assistant Professor in the Department of Veterinary Pathology at Cornell University in 1991. Subsequently, Dr. Guan was promoted at that institution to Associate Professor of Molecular Medicine, with tenure, in 1997 and to Professor in 2001.

Dr. Guan's research is focused on focal adhesion kinase signaling pathways in angiogenesis and metastasis in development and cancer. His bibliography reflects over 75 peer-reviewed publications in premier journals, including *Proceedings of the National Academy of Science*, *Cell*, *Nature*, and the *Journal of Biological Chemistry*. His research currently is funded by three RO1 grants from the National Institutes of Health. Dr. Guan's expertise is well recognized as noted by his activities as a manuscript reviewer for more than 20 scientific journals. He has been on a number of study sections for the National Institutes of Health and currently is a member of the NIH CSF Study Section. Dr. Guan also contributes as an ad hoc reviewer to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the National Science Foundation, and the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Recent and Significant Publications:

Guan J-L, Shalloway D: Regulation of focal adhesion-associated protein tyrosine kinase by both cellular adhesion and oncogenic transformation. *Nature* 358:690-692, 1992.

Cary LA, Han DC, Polte T, Hanks S, Guan J-L: Identification of p130cas as a mediator of focal adhesion kinase-promoted cell migration. *J Cell Biol* 140(1): 211-221, 1998.

Zhao J, Bian ZC, Yee K, Chen BPC, Chien S, Guan J-L: Identification of the transcription factor KLF8 as a downstream target of focal adhesion kinase in its regulation of cyclin D1 and cell cycle progression. *Molecular Cell* 11:1503-1515, 2003.

Shen TL, Park A, Alcaraz A, Peng X, Jang I, Koni P, Flavell R., Gu H, Guan J-L: Conditional knockout of focal adhesion kinase in endothelial cells reveals its role in angiogenesis and vascular development in late embryogenesis. *J Cell Biol* 169: 941-952, 2005.

Wu X, Gan B, Yoo Y, Guan J-L: FAK-mediated Src phosphorylation of Endophilin A2 inhibits endocytosis of MT1-MMP and promotes ECM degradation. *Developmental Cell* 9:185-196, 2005.

Dr. Guan has had considerable experience in the training and mentoring of undergraduate students, graduate students, and postgraduate fellows during his tenure at Cornell University. At the University of Michigan, Dr. Guan will be involved in didactic teaching on topics related to his interests in cancer and cell cycle checkpoint control, as well as in the research training of fellows, house officers, and medical students. His secondary appointment in the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology will provide him with additional opportunities for the teaching and mentoring of graduate students. Evidence of his excellent mentoring abilities is realized through the success of his trainees, several who now hold academic appointments or corporate research positions.

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

Reviewer A: "I have known Dr. Guan as a valued colleague in the field for at least 15 years. This evaluation is fortunately simple: there is no doubt that he is quite highly qualified for this senior position."

Reviewer B: "I believe Jun-Lin is widely acknowledged to be one of the leading experts in the world on signaling through focal adhesion kinase. I would be delighted to see him [at this institution] and congratulate you on your good fortune in recruiting this terrific individual."

Reviewer C: “The University of Michigan is to be congratulated for having the vision to recruit such an outstanding faculty member as Dr. Guan. . . . There is no doubt that Dr. Guan is one of the very top investigators in his field.”


Reviewer D: “In my opinion, Jun-Lin’s work places him at the top of the integrin signaling field. He has consistently made important, original, high quality contributions to this field. . . . I consider him an excellent colleague, whose opinion I value and integrity I trust.”

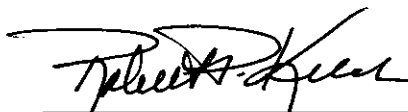
Reviewer E: “Jun-Lin is a very bright, industrious and productive investigator. . . . His work is rigorous and of high quality and is published in very well-respected journals with high standards for publication. Jun-Lin is regarded in the field as a very generous colleague, always interested in helping other investigators through advice or reagents.”


Dr. Guan is a world leader in the field of focal adhesion. His appointment to the University of Michigan faculty will greatly enhance the scientific repertoire of existing programs in molecular medicine, genetics, and cancer biology at this institution. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Jun-Lin Guan, Ph.D., as Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology, without tenure.

Recommended by

Recommendation endorsed by


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Interim 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

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Karl Krushelnick

TITLE: Professor of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological
Sciences, College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Karl Krushelnick as professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Krushelnick received his B.Sc. in Physics from the University of Western Ontario in 1987. He then received his M.S. and Ph.D. in Astrophysical Sciences from Princeton University in 1989 and 1994, respectively.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

After receiving his Ph.D., Professor Krushelnick joined the Cornell University and the US Naval Research Laboratory as a postdoctoral fellow. In 1997 he joined the faculty of the Imperial College London, Department of Physics as a lecturer, and was subsequently promoted to senior lecturer in 2001, reader in 2002 and professor in 2003. He currently serves as the head of the Plasma Physics Group.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Krushelnick has established an international reputation as the leading researcher of his generation in the areas of TW-PW laser plasma interactions and laser-particle accelerators. The list of his "first" discoveries is too long to list here, but most notably includes the first demonstration of a monoenergetic beam of electrons from a laser plasma accelerator. His research has been published in the world's top scientific journals, including Nature, Science and Physical Review Letters. Professor Krushelnick has also demonstrated his administrative abilities to build major research programs through his role in leading the Plasma Physics Group at Imperial College to a leadership position in high-energy-density plasma physics. These achievements are accompanied by a demonstration of himself as a devoted and effective teacher.

PUBLICATIONS

K. Krushelnick, Z. Najmudin, S. P. D. Mangles, A. G. R. Thomas, M. S. Wei, B. Walton, A. Gopal, E. L. Clark, A. E. Dangor, S. Fritzler, C. D. Murphy, P. A. Norreys, W. B. Mori, J. Gallacher, D. Jaroszynski, and R. Viskup "Laser plasma acceleration of electrons: Towards the production of monoenergetic beams" *Physics of Plasmas* 12, 056711 doi: 10.1063/1.1902951 (2005).

P. Norreys, K. Krushelnick and M. Zepf "PW Lasers: Matter in Extreme Laser Fields" submitted to *Plasma Physics and Controlled Fusion*, 46 No 12B, B13-B21 (2004).

P. McKenna, K. W. D. Ledingham, T. McCanny, R. P. Singhal, I. Spencer, M. I. K. Santala, F. N. Beg, K. Krushelnick, M. Tatarakis, M. S. Wei, E. L. Clark, R. J. Clarke, K. L. Lancaster, P. A. Norreys, K. Spohr, R. Chapman, M. Zepf "Demonstration of fusion-evaporation and direct-interaction nuclear reactions using high intensity laser-plasma-accelerated ion beams" *Physical Review Letters* 91, 075006 (2003).

P. McKenna, K. W. D. Ledingham, T. McCanny, R. P. Singhal, I. Spencer, E. L. Clark, F. N. Beg, K. Krushelnick, M. S. Wei, J. Galy, J. Magill, R. J. Clarke, K. L. Lancaster, P. A. Norreys, K. Spohr, R. Chapman "Effect of target heating on ion-induced reactions in high-intensity laser-plasma interactions" *Applied Physics Letters*, 83, 2763 (2003).

Z. Najmudin, K. Krushelnick, E. L. Clark, S. P. D. Mangles, B. Walton, A. E. Dangor, S. Fritzler, V. Malka, D. Gordon and C. Joshi. "Self-modulated wakefield and forced laser wakefield acceleration of electrons" *Physics of Plasmas* 10, 2071 (2003).

M. Tatarakis, F. N. Beg, E. L. Clark, A. E. Dangor, M. S. Wei, P. A. Norreys, M. Zepf, K. W. D. Ledingham, T. J. Goldsack, R. D. Edwards, and K. Krushelnick "Propagation instabilities of high intensity laser-produced electron beams" *Physical Review Letters* 90, 175001 (2003).

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EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A: "The most important recent contribution of Krushelnick is the generation of monoenergetic beams of electrons from laser wake field acceleration. This work, published in *Nature* (78 on his CV) has generated quite a bit of excitement in the community....the importance of this work indicates that Krushelnick has his group at the forefront of the field."

Reviewer B: "Professor Krushelnick is a leading expert in the rapidly growing area of the physics of short-pulse laser interaction with matter. The innovative and independent experimental research that Professor Krushelnick has conducted is now defining the forefront of this field..."

Reviewer C: "Since going to England to take up a lectureship at Imperial College, his research output has exploded with very significant research findings....His publication record is one of the strongest I have seen for any candidate in his [cohort] over the last twenty years."

Reviewer D: "He is the leader of one of the premier groups in this field. His contributions are many." "I would place Dr. Krushelnick at the top of his peer group..."

Reviewer E: "His very strong international reputation is built on his work in the field of high intensity laser matter interactions in which he is a pioneer and a high achiever."

Reviewer F: "I have the highest respect for him and the work he has done. He has made truly outstanding contributions to our field, and the University of Michigan's program would reemerge as a very serious national and international leader if Dr. Krushelnick would join the faculty."

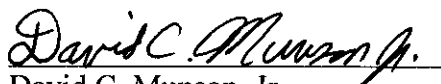
Reviewer G: "Karl has participated in many of the seminal discoveries of high intensity laser plasma interactions....The scope of this work spans most of the important discoveries and applications of ultra-intense, short pulse lasers in the past decade, and demonstrates the breadth of his experience and his ability to participate on, and contribute to highly performing research teams."

Reviewer H: "He is both a scientist and an educator, having been appointed as leader of the plasma group at Imperial College. He is at the top of his field and is internationally respected for his scientific achievements. He is a dominant experimental force in laser-plasma interactions, and I recommend him most strongly."

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

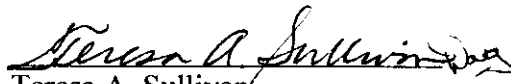
Professor Karl Krushelnick is a leading laser-plasma physicist of his generation and is the ideal candidate for the position of professor, with tenure, in the Department of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences. He has a natural fit within the department for research and teaching contributions, and his leadership will bring distinction to both the department, the CUOS, the College and the University. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Karl Krushelnick as professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

September 2006

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Christopher Ratté

TITLES: Associate Professor of Classical Art and Archaeology,
Department of Classical Studies, 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 Classical Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Christopher Ratté as associate professor of classical art and archaeology, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Christopher Ratté received his Bachelor of Arts from Harvard University in 1981. He attended the University of California at Berkeley where he was awarded a Master of Arts in 1984 and Doctorate in 1989.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Ratté began his teaching career as assistant professor at Florida State University in 1989. He was appointed assistant professor at New York University in 1993 and promoted to associate professor in 1996.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Ratté is an archaeologist of international distinction who specializes in the Greek East and the history of ancient architecture. He excels at field archeology; the processes of excavation as well as the publication of excavation reports, and the analysis of excavated objects. He has won recognition for his discovery that the ancient city of Aphrodisias was planned from the beginning on a grid pattern, situating it back within the context of Hellenistic urbanization rather than with that of Roman imperial domination. His monograph, *Lydian Architecture*,

shows his talents as a historian of ancient architecture. The work is meticulous, detailed, carefully observed, clearly written, and nicely presented, with a wealth of well-chosen illustrations of high quality.

Professor Ratté is an excellent instructor who has taught an impressive range of topics and periods at undergraduate and graduate levels. He has a reputation as a fine lecturer and has served as an undergraduate student advisor at New York University. He is also an experienced graduate mentor and has supervised numerous graduate students as Co-Director at the dig-site at Aphrodisias.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

“...Ratte’s [sic] crowning professional achievement was his selection in 1993 as co-director of Aphrodisias Excavations... more than a decade into his involvement with the Aphrodisias, time has shown that the choice had been right. Ratté has been a very successful and effective leader and policy maker for this important site.”

Reviewer (B)

“His independently authored works show an excellent command for scholarship and an uncommonly good eye for archaeological-architectural detail. ... His very substantial articles on the urban development of Aphrodisias in Late Hellenistic and Roman times, and Aphrodisias in Late Antiquity, were pleasant surprises for me, since until these publications... I had associated him primarily with Lydian/West Anatolian architecture in earlier periods.”

Reviewer (C)

“The candidate’s expertise is archaeological fieldwork... His skills are fundamental to the scientific excavation of any ancient site, and he has been very alert to the value of newer methods and technologies... Ratté is an excellent archaeologist and an excellent classicist.”

Reviewer (D)

“His special expertise in architecture, both Greek and Roman, and in broader issues of urbanism would meet an important need... since he could be counted upon to teach courses in both Greek and Roman architecture and to work closely with graduate students who will want to study classical architecture and urbanism... The field opportunities for Michigan students... will also be of enormous value.”

Reviewer (E)

“Chris’s intellectual range is extremely broad. ... He has published excellent articles... and it is especially commendable that he publishes his finds at Aphrodisias within a year of their discovery – an achievement matched by very few field projects anywhere in the Mediterranean.”

Reviewer (F)

"Ratté's scholarship is outstanding. ... He writes with lucidity and with model economy. ... He would be an outstanding teacher...he would be a dependable, supportive, sound colleague, and if required to assume administrative positions he would discharge them with strength, conscientiousness, and responsibility."

Reviewer (G)

"...his long experience of archaeological fieldwork...would bring to Michigan remarkable and varied opportunities for research both for faculty and for students. ... The author is deeply engaged, and it shows. The quality of work is high, and there is much more to come. Others at the same level in the profession seem rather pedestrian in comparison..."

PUBLICATIONS

Lydian Architecture, Harvard University Press, forthcoming.

"Archaeological Research in Aphrodisias in Caria, 1999-2001," with R.R.R. Smith, *American Journal of Archaeology*, 108, 2004, pp. 145-168.

"The Sardis Campaigns of 1992 and 1993," with C.H. Greenwalt, Jr. and M.L. Rautan, *Annual of the American Schools of Oriental Research*, 1995, pp. 1-36.

SUMMARY

Professor Ratté is an excellent teacher, superb scholar, and dedicated mentor. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Christopher Ratté as associate professor of classical art and archaeology, with tenure, Department of Classical Studies, 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: David E. Sandberg, Ph.D.

TITLE: Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT TERM: 12 Months

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

Dr. Sandberg received the Ph.D. degree in psychology in 1982 from Concordia University in Montreal, Canada. He pursued postdoctoral research at the University of Miami and Columbia University. Dr. Sandberg was appointed as Assistant Professor of Psychology in Psychiatry and Pediatrics at Cornell University in 1988. From 1990-93, he was a Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Pediatrics at the State University of New York at Buffalo. In 1993, Dr. Sandberg was appointed Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Pediatrics at SUNY-Buffalo and was promoted to Associate Professor, with tenure, in 1997.

Dr. Sandberg's research extends into three main areas. First, he is widely known for his studies on short stature and its clinical management. Second, he is addressing the psychosocial adaptation of children born with disorders of sex development (DSD). Finally, Dr. Sandberg is developing a psychoeducational treatment manual for families of newborns with congenital adrenal hyperplasia (CAH). He is widely recognized for his work, particularly, in the first two areas, and he has been invited for seminars and presentations, both nationally and internationally. Dr. Sandberg's bibliography reflects 47 publications in peer-reviewed journals, as well as numerous editorials and 12 chapters in books. He is a member of the Interdisciplinary Research Network examining

psychosexual differentiation which is funded by a grant from the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development. Dr. Sandberg is on the editorial boards of *Journal of Pediatric Psychology* and *Growth, Genetics, and Hormones*. He has twice served as an ad hoc member of an NIH study section.

Recent and Significant Publications

Sandberg DE, MacGillivray MH, Clopper RR, Fung C, LeRoux L, Alliger DE: Quality of life (QOL) among formerly treated child-onset growth hormone-deficient (GHD) adults: a comparison with unaffected siblings. *J Clin Endocrin & Metab* 83:1134-1142, 1998.

Hunt L, Hazen RA, Sandberg DE: Perceived Versus Measured Height: Which is the Stronger Predictor of Psychosocial Functioning? *Horm Res* 53:129-138, 2000.

Sandberg DE, Meyer-Bahlburg HFL, Hensle TW, Levitt SB, Kogan SJ, Reda EF: Psychosocial Adaptation of Middle Childhood Boys with Hypospadias after Genital Surgery. *J Ped Psychol* 26(8):465-475, 2001.

Sandberg DE, Vena JE, Weiner J, Beehler GP, Swanson M, Meyer-Bahlburg HFL: Hormonally Active Agents in the Environment and Children's Behavior: Assessing Effects on Children's Gender-Dimorphic Outcomes. *Epidemiol* 14(2), 148-154, 2003.

Dr. Sandberg has significant experience as a medical educator. He has lectured on a variety of subjects to medical students, psychiatric and pediatric residents, and child and adolescent psychiatry and pediatric endocrinology fellows. He also has taught "Research Methods in Psychiatry and Behavior Therapy" and moderated a journal club. Dr. Sandberg has mentored undergraduate psychology students in his laboratory. Finally, he has served twice on the faculty of an advanced postgraduate course on growth and growth disorders. At the University of Michigan, Dr. Sandberg will be involved in the resident curriculum in the areas of short stature and the diagnosis and work up of infants and children with ambiguous genitalia. It also is planned that he will work with Dr. John Park, Associate Professor of Urology, in the development of a multidisciplinary clinic in this area where he will have direct responsibility for the education of medical students and residents training in the clinic.

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

Reviewer A: "Dr. Sandberg has proven himself to be, perhaps, the most productive and highly regarded psychologist in the area of childhood endocrine disorders. While I am most familiar with his studies related to growth problems, he has also been highly productive in research related to puberty, gender identity and eating disorders. In each of these areas, he has proven himself to be a careful and critical thinker, and his papers are held in the highest regard by the endocrine community."

Reviewer B: "Taken together, the cumulative scientific contributions of Dr. Sandberg's research have shaped the body of scientific evidence that links psychological factors and pediatric endocrine disorders. The trajectory of Dr. Sandberg's career has been such that one would expect continued productivity at all levels, including grant funding. Dr. Sandberg clearly ranks in the top 5% of his peers nationally and would be more than qualified for the rank of associate professor with tenure [at this institution]."

Reviewer C: "His international reputation is such that he is the obvious first choice when recruiting speakers for international conferences that deal with human growth or disorders of sexual development. I can only congratulate your institution if you succeed in recruiting David Sandberg."

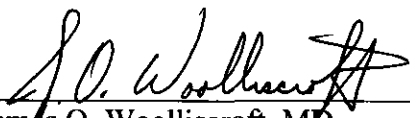
Reviewer D: "His research crosses the borders of his field, making him a unique and exceptional contributor to the general academic and intellectual enterprise. David is a major academic figure and fully deserves to be appointed at Michigan with Tenure. His accomplishments have reached the highest international standard."

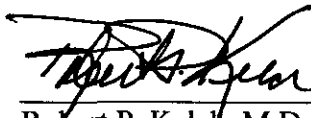
Reviewer E: "It is an absolute pleasure supporting the appointment of Dr. Sandberg as Associate Professor with tenure. He is an excellent contributor. He is highly intelligent. He has excellent ideas and communicates well. I would rate him in the top 5% of his peers and I think that he will contribute greatly to the University of Michigan."


Dr. Sandberg is being recruited to the University of Michigan to serve as Director of the newly formed Division of Child Behavioral Health in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases. He is well recognized in his scientific area of expertise and will be a valuable addition to the Child Behavioral Health Program at this institution. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of David E. Sandberg, Ph.D., as Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure.

Recommended by

Recommendation endorsed by


James O. Woolliscroft, MD
Interim 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

August 2006

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September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Paddy Scannell

TITLES: Professor of Communication Studies, 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 Communication Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Paddy Scannell as professor of communication studies, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Paddy Scannell attended Oxford University where he earned his Bachelor of Arts in 1966 and Master of Arts in 1972. He received his Doctorate from the University of Westminster in 2006.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Scannell began his teaching career as a lecturer at the then Regent Street Polytechnic (now the University of Westminster) in 1967 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1997.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Scannell is an internationally known scholar of media and communication studies whose work stands at the intersection between media history and sociology. His publications have had an enormous impact on the field. He is the author of numerous articles in scholarly journals, two books, and an edited collection of essays. He is currently completing a trilogy of books on media for Sage Publications. He is one of the founding editors of *Media, Culture, & Society*, one of the premier journals in the field of communication studies. His standing in the field is further reflected in the fact that he was chosen to serve on the United Kingdom's Research Assessment Exercise, which ranks communication studies programs around the country.

Professor Scannell is a dedicated and enthusiastic instructor whose teaching and scholarship are closely intertwined. He has taught large lecture courses, smaller seminars, and conducted one-on-one tutorials at Westminster. He has also supervised doctoral students and chaired dissertation committees. Student comments on course evaluations are enthusiastic and positive.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

“Scannell’s unusual multidisciplinary – history, sociology and philosophy – enrich his work... Scannell is a very good lecturer, and a fine writer. He has years of experience as co-editor...and is also a good administrator.”

Reviewer (B)

“He is a wonderfully skilled historian, a lucid and often poetic prose stylist, and a bold interpretive thinker... He is also courageous and not afraid to tread unappreciated paths. ...Professor Scannell has a quantity and quality of research publication, programmatic, sustained and exciting, that can stand with anyone in media and cultural studies.”

Reviewer (C)

“...Scannell is one of our finest media essayists – erudite, knowledgeable, and very much an independent mind... His is an indispensable voice of sanity and brilliant perception about what broadcasting, radio and television, means to us and how it has come to define what the experience of being human is in the late twentieth-century and beyond. Paddy Scannell would be a priceless addition to the University of Michigan...”

Reviewer (D)

“Primarily a social historian, his work on the history of the BBC in particular is regarded as seminal, nationally and internationally. Indeed, his book on the subject is constantly treated as authoritative, as setting the agenda – and high standards – for historical studies of media institutions...”

Reviewer (E)

“...Scannell is the author of numerous celebrated essays. ... Here is a scholar who writes like an angel, is catholic in his research interests, and is still in full flow, with boundless energy. He is also a very good teacher, much loved by his colleagues. Above all, he is an outstanding academic who has played a formative role in the development of the field in Britain.”

Reviewer (F)

“...he has been part of the critical work done in making the area of media and cultural studies in the UK distinctive. Specifically he has been part of the effort to broaden the approach to Media Studies beyond its original sociological emphasis and he has been most successful in doing this.”

Reviewer (G)

"In the field of media and communications he is a very distinguished scholar, and his high reputation is based on a solid track record of publications which have earned him the respect of his colleagues. ... If you were to offer Paddy a Professorship in your Department, you would be acquiring a major international scholar who has produced, and who will continue to produce, work of outstanding quality and originality."

PUBLICATIONS

"Television and History," in *The Blackwell Companion to Television*, J. Wasko (ed.), Blackwell Publishers, 2005.

"Broadcasting Historiography and Historicity," *Screen*, 45(2), 2004, pp. 130-139.

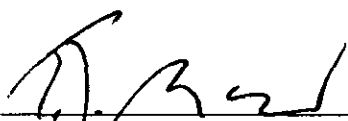
Radio, Television and Modern Life, Blackwell Publishing, 1996.

SUMMARY

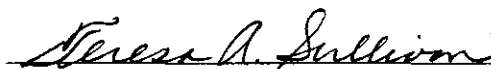
Professor Scannell is an outstanding scholar and teacher, who will be a seasoned mentor for junior faculty and an experienced administrative leader. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Paddy Scannell as professor of communication studies, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.


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 

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Promotion Approval

NAME: Donald Scavia

TITLES: Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, without tenure, and Director of Michigan Sea Grant, School of Natural Resources and Environment

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, with tenure, and Director of Michigan Sea Grant, School of Natural Resources and Environment

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

It is recommended that Donald Scavia, professor of natural resources and environment, without tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment, be granted tenure as professor of natural resources and environment, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment.

Academic Degrees:

1980	Ph.D.	University of Michigan
1974	M.S.	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
1983	B.S.	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Professional Record:

2004 – present	Professor, School of Natural Resources and Environment, University of Michigan
2004 – present	Director of Michigan Sea Grant, School of Natural Resources and Environment, University of Michigan
2004-2006	Research Associate Dean, School of Natural Resources and Environment, University of Michigan
2002-2003	Chief Scientist, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
1998-2002	Director, National Centers for Coastal Ocean Science, NOAA
1990-1998	Director, Coastal Ocean Program Office, NOAA
1975-1990	Research Scientist, Great Lakes Environmental Research Lab, NOAA
1980-1990	Adjunct Professor, Division of Biological Sciences, University of Michigan
1987-1988	Visiting Scientist, National Sea Grant College Program Office
1988-1990	Visiting Scientist, Office of the Chief Scientist, NOAA
1974-1975	Assistant Research Scientist, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Summary of Evaluation:

Teaching – Professor Scavia has taught five courses since coming to SNRE two years ago and has proven his skills as an educator. He offered three graduate courses, each for the first time, in Integrated Assessment, Water Pollution and Hypoxia, and Integrated Problem Solving. Each of these received fine CRLT scores for first offerings. The design of SNRE’s pilot “core” course on Integrated Problem Solving was a significant undertaking in itself. Professor Scavia did a tremendous job in both the creation and execution of this flagship SNRE course. Professor Scavia has served as advisor for three Master’s students as well as for a seven person Master’s group project (which received an award from the American Institute of Architects Sustainable Assessment Team); serves on three Ph.D. committees, one of which he chairs; and has overseen one undergraduate thesis.

Scholarship – Professor Scavia has been an extremely productive scholar for more than two decades. His work spans many areas related to environmental modeling, including water quality modeling, limnology, uncertainty analysis in modeling, and integrated assessment. These contributions have established Professor Scavia as one of the leading scholars in the world on eutrophication assessment and modeling. His primary research activities since coming to the University have continued to be cutting edge.

Significant and Recent Publications:

- Scavia, D., D. Justic, and V.J. Bierman, Jr. 2004, Reducing hypoxia in the Gulf of Mexico: Advice from three models. *Estuaries* 27(3): 419-425.
- Scavia, D. N.N. Rabalais, R.E. Turner, D. Justic, and W. Wiseman Jr. 2003. Predicting the response of Gulf of Mexico Hypoxia to variations in Mississippi River Nitrogen Load. *Limnol. Oceanogr.* 48(3): 951-956.
- Rabalais, N.N., R.E. Turner, and D. Scavia. 2002 Beyond Science into Policy: Gulf of Mexico Hypoxia and the Mississippi River. *BioScience* 52:129-142.
- Scavia, D., J.C. Field, D.F. Boesch, R.W. Buddemeier, V. Burkett, D.R. Cayan, M. Fogarty, M.A. Harwell, R.W. Howarth, C. Mason, D.J. Reed, T.C. Royer, A.H. Sallenger, and J.G. Titus. 2002. Climate Change Impacts on U.S. Coastal and Marine Ecosystems. *Estuaries* 25: 149-164.

Service - Professor Scavia excels at national service as well as on-campus service. He serves as Director of Michigan Sea Grant and Interim Director of the Cooperative Institute for Limnology and Ecosystems Research. Within the University community, he serves on the Graham Environmental Sustainability Institute Executive Committee and the Erb Institute for Global Sustainable Enterprise Executive Committee, and has served as lead for the Office of the Vice President for Research on such initiatives as the Great Lakes investigators program and CIC support for Great Lakes restoration. As Research Associate Dean for the School of Natural Resources and Environment, he established and chaired SNRE’s Research Committee; led our efforts to revise our strategic plan, developed and implemented a policy for the allocation of office and lab space in the Dana Building, and updated our Web site; and served as an ex officio member of our Executive Committee. His external service is equally strong.

External Reviewers:

Reviewer (A)

"He has published a half-dozen papers since my last assessment, attracted very significant grants, and seems to relish teaching and guiding graduate students." "This...is very positive evidence that his productivity will be sustained for the rest of his career at Michigan. Would he be granted tenure at the University of Maryland? In a heart beat."

Reviewer (B)

"I rank Don Scavia within the top 10% of marine and coastal researchers involved in integrated assessment and development of science policy based on environmental research. He would certainly be awarded tenure at the Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium and my affiliated university, Louisiana State University."

Reviewer (C)

"I think that he is a leading contributor in the field of environmental modeling and is deserving of tenure at the University of Michigan." "Don Scavia was an early leader in the area of assessing uncertainty in the forecasts of water quality models. His two 1981 lead-authored papers in *Water Resources Research* were path-breaking contributions..." "...I have been particularly impressed with Don Scavia's transition to the University of Michigan. He has rapidly become more productive with publications and remarkably successful with grants." "Further, his recent contributions on the Gulf of Mexico hypoxia problem have helped shape scientific understanding of this critical issue."

Reviewer (D)

"I see him as the upper end of a limited peer group that is able to bring together, help organize, and stimulate others in research that requires more than one discipline or viewpoint. This makes him ideal to head something like the Sea Grant program and reflects the broad context required for natural resource and environmental issues." "I would give almost anything to have Dr. Scavia in a similar post here at Purdue. From my experience serving at all levels of our promotion system, there would be no question but that he would be a tenured full professor at Purdue."

Reviewer (E)

"Don's research credentials are first-rate."

"...Don has had a good record of publications (10 to good journals) over the past 4 years."

"...Don is already quite active in advising graduate and undergraduate research, an important aspect of teaching in my view. His record in service/administration through his Directorship of your Sea Grant office is of course a very important role and one that I am sure he will excel in." "I enthusiastically support Don Scavia's tenure application at University of Michigan."

Reviewer (F)

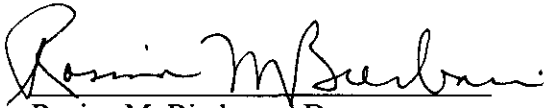
"You are fortunate to have Don on the faculty at Michigan. I am quite sure Don would merit tenure at any university in the country."

Summary of Recommendation:

Don Scavia is a highly productive scholar whose work is recognized by his peers as cutting edge in its interdisciplinarity and methodology. He is a committed and effective graduate student mentor, his service record, both within and outside the University community, is outstanding, and validates his stature as a leading researcher. It is with the support of the Promotion and Tenure Committee that I recommend Professor Donald Scavia be granted tenure at the rank of professor of natural resources and environment, with tenure.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

September 2006

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Jacqui Smith

TITLE: Professor of Psychology, 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 Psychology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jacqui Smith as professor of psychology, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Jacqui Smith received her Bachelor of Arts, with honors, from the University of Sydney in 1974 and Doctorate from Macquarie University in 1984.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Smith has been appointed at Max Planck Institute for Human Development as a postdoctoral fellow (1984-1986), visiting scientist (1986), research scientist (1987-1990), and senior research scientist (1990 to present). She has been Deputy Director of the Max Planck International Research Network on Aging since 2004.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Smith is an internationally renowned scientist in the areas of lifespan developmental psychology, cognitive psychology, and gerontology. Her scholarship has been exceptional in terms of quality and level of productivity. She has authored or edited over 100 journal articles, book chapters, and books. She has presented her research findings at virtually every major psychology and gerontology conference in the world and has been an invited guest speaker in numerous countries on at least four continents.

Over the course of her career Professor Smith has taught a wide range of undergraduate and graduate classes. Her topics cover issues in developmental psychology, with an emphasis on adult development and aging. In addition she has regularly taught research methods. Students praise the excellent methodological training that she provided and note her commitment, enthusiasm, and didactic skills. She has mentored 20 Master of Arts students, a dozen doctoral students, and several post-doctoral fellows.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

“Smith is a thoughtful and careful scientist with the greatest integrity. In addition to her own research, Smith has mentored a number of junior scientists over the years who have gone on to make significant contributions.”

Reviewer (B)

“...I view Jacqui as an excellent scholar who has, and will continue to, make important contributions to the field of aging. ... Based on her intelligence, management and social skills, and past accomplishments, I would enthusiastically support her candidacy at our own institution.”

Reviewer (C)

“Her outstanding publication record in life span development demonstrates a rare capacity for theory combined with high methodological expertise and in-depth substantive knowledge.”

Reviewer (D)

“Dr. Smith’s capacity as a lecturer is indicated by her impressive list of invited presentations. Her list of publications also demonstrates her productive and constructive ability for scientific collaborations.”

Reviewer (E)

“...I think very highly of Dr. Jacqui Smith. She is extremely knowledgeable in a very broad range of fields, and is arguably one of the leading scholars in the world in the area of psychological functioning of adults over the age of 80.”

Reviewer (F)

“Her broad interests, careful craftsmanship in research, clear thinking and amazing interpersonal skills have always impressed me. You would gain a great and responsible colleague.”

Reviewer (G)

“She is a highly productive researcher with a signature profile that as to research and teaching transcends narrow boundaries of specialization and is at the frontiers in several areas of study. As a teacher, she is engaging and commands a large number of substantive areas. Furthermore, Professor Smith is an excellent organizer who knows how to develop and implement programs in collaboration with others.”

PUBLICATIONS

“The relation between cardiovascular and metabolic disease and cognition in very old age: Cross-sectional and longitudinal findings from the Berlin Aging Study,” with P. Verhaeghen & M. Borchelt, *Health Psychology*, 22, 2003, pp. 559-569.

“Functional status, well-being, and successful aging: Health and well-being in the young old and the oldest old,” with M. Borchelt, et al., *Journal of Social Issues*, 58, 2002, pp. 715-732.

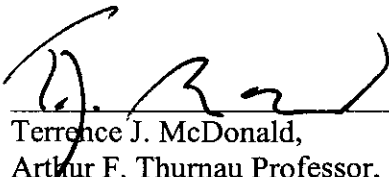
“Unasked-for support and unsolicited advice: Age and the quality of social experience,” with J. J. Goodnow, *Psychology and Aging*, 14, 1999, pp. 108-121.

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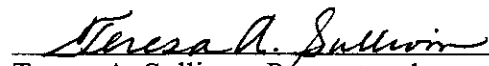
Professor Smith is an outstanding scholar of international standing. She is also an excellent teacher and research advisor. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Jacqui Smith as professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006.

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

2006

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Howard Stein

TITLE: Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, 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 Center for Afroamerican and African Studies (CAAS) and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Howard Stein as professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Howard Stein received his Bachelor of Arts from the University of Toronto in 1975, Master of Arts from the University of Ottawa in 1977, and Doctorate from the University of California, Riverside, in 1983.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Stein began his teaching career as an assistant professor at Roosevelt University in 1983 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1997. He was appointed visiting professor in CAAS in 2003.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Stein is a development economist whose research focuses on a variety of subjects related to African development, including foreign aid, finance, industrial and trade policy, and structural adjustments. Over a prolific career of more than 20 years, he has developed a highly original research agenda. He is currently examining health and development issues as well as the role of institutional transformation in African development. His most recent book, *Beyond the World Bank Agenda*, is forthcoming from the University of Chicago Press and has been enthusiastically reviewed.

Professor Stein's undergraduate and graduate teaching has been highly successful. When he arrived at Michigan there were no courses strictly devoted to African economic development or political economy. His courses have been well-received and qualitative rankings have been consistently high.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

"His body of completed scholarship is virtually unique. It is located at the intersection of four lines of research: institutional economics, political economy, African studies, and international finance. Stein's synthesis of these four lines is proving to be very productive of new insights."

Reviewer (B)

"Stein is a major development figure and an unconventional economist who would add immeasurably to Michigan's programs. ...his career combines an extraordinary combination of practitioner and theoretical work across many parts of the world."

Reviewer (C)

"Howard Stein is a very competent researcher. ... He is at home with both theory and applications. He has combined them in an extremely productive, rigorous and efficient way to produce high quality publications. ... I recommend him to you unreservedly..."

Reviewer (D)

"Professor Stein is an outstanding scholar with an international reputation as an insightful and original thinker, who has contributed to a range of theoretical, empirical and policy debates."

Reviewer (E)

"...[I] was not aware of his work before you sent it to me. I was, however, greatly impressed with the quantity and quality of his publications. He has written a lot and spoken a lot. I regret not having known about his work before since much of what he has to say about the place of the World Bank, the International Money Fund, Structural Adjustment, and Africa's disappointing economic record over the last two or three decades is arresting and persuasive..."

Reviewer (F)

"In a number of papers and an edited volume, Dr. Stein has undertaken important work on finance and development. His careful documentation of the nature and impact on financial liberalization in Nigeria provides one of the finest studies to date on the consequences of these policies on an African country. ... I am confident that Dr. Stein's new book will have a significant impact both in academic and policy circles."

Reviewer (G)

“Looking at his impressive CV, I would say that the candidate’s intellectual output has been very high. Prof. Stein...is an iconoclast whose works demonstrate the need to go beyond current economic orthodoxies which have so far failed to cure the problems of Africa’s development and indeed have aggravated these problems.”

PUBLICATIONS

Beyond the World Bank Agenda: An Institutional Approach to Development, University of Chicago Press, forthcoming.

“An institutional perspective to finance and development as an alternative to financial liberalization,” with A. Arestis in *International Review of Applied Economics*, 19(4), 2005.

“Rethinking African development,” in *Rethinking Development Economics*, H.-J. Chang (ed.), London: Anthem Press, 2003.

SUMMARY

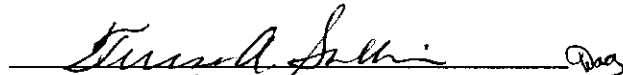
Professor Stein has an extremely promising future. He is an excellent teacher and a generous departmental citizen. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Howard Stein as professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 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

September 2006

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Nicola Terrenato
TITLES: Associate Professor of Classical Archaeology, Department of
Classical Studies, 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 Classical Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Nicola Terrenato as associate professor of classical archaeology, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Nicola Terrenato received his "La Sapienza," *cum laude*, from the University of Rome in 1988 and his Doctorate from the University of Pisa in 1994. He was also a visiting scholar at the University of Michigan in 1992.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Terrenato was appointed as a teaching and research assistant at the University of Rome (1992-1996) and visiting research fellow at the University of Durham (1996-1998) before joining the faculty as assistant professor at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1998. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2004.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Terrenato has a world-wide reputation as a leader in the field of Roman archaeology. He takes a highly original approach to classical archaeology that challenges the objective nature of his archaeological inquiry. He has co-written or co-edited five published books and has four books in preparation. He has also published 43 articles with six more forthcoming. Professor Terrenato's approach, called survey archaeology, is at the cutting edge of archaeological methodology and he has a stellar record in obtaining grants to support his field projects

Professor Terrenato is an excellent instructor. He has taught a number of courses and his introductory classes have had increasing enrollments. He has supervised numerous undergraduate honors theses and is a generous mentor of graduate students. Since 2003 he has been Director of the Summer Program in Archaeology which runs through the American Academy in Rome.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

"...I regard Dr. Terrenato as the best classical archaeologist in his generational cohort in the United States and probably in Europe. He has a list of publications impressive in both quality and range. His commitment to field archaeology and his ability to develop field programs is very rare here in North America."

Reviewer (B)

"Prof. Terrenato is an exponent, and a leading exponent I would say, in the expanding field of Roman Republican suburban archaeology and survey. ...his candidacy is certainly a strong one."

Reviewer (C)

"His expertise in the archaeology of Early Roman Italy, in field survey, and in more theoretical/anthropological approaches to classical archaeology is very considerable. ... I hear excellent reports of his teaching of American undergraduates in Rome and of his teaching at Chapel Hill."

Reviewer (D)

"There are few, if any, other archaeologists who have been in post for such a short term who have achieved so much and who have also demonstrated such significant future promise. ... I am sure that he is worthy of appointment to a tenured post at the University of Michigan."

Reviewer (E)

"Professor Terrenato works in areas that most scholars would think are important for a major research department... He's written some major articles, directed important fieldwork, and run successful conferences. I'm confident that he's becoming one of the major figures in Roman archaeology and history, and will be a credit to the University of Michigan, continuing its tradition as a major center for classical archaeology."

Reviewer (F)

"His main areas of specialization are culture change (aka 'Romanization'), the methodology of field survey, and the history of the discipline. ...these core topics...occupy central positions in current scholarship on classical archaeology. This places him in a very strong position to make contributions that have real impact and help to shape the field. His long list of publications makes it clear that he has already done so on an impressive scale, and his ongoing projects will continue to raise his profile..."

PUBLICATIONS


- “The deceptive archetype. Roman colonialism and post-colonial thought,” in *Ancient Colonizations. Analogy, Similarity and Difference*, H. Hurst and S. Owen (eds.), London: Duckworth Publishers, 2005, pp. 59-72.
- “Sample size matters! The paradox of global trends and local surveys,” in *Side-by-Side Survey: Comparative Regional Studies in the Mediterranean World*, S. Alcock and J. Cherry (eds.), Oxford: Oxbow Books, 2004, pp. 36-48.
- “The innocents and the skeptics. Classical archaeology and antiquity,” *Antiquity*, 76, 2002, pp. 1104-1111.
- Italy and the West. Comparative Issues in Romanization*, co-edited with S. Keay, Oxford: Oxbow Books, 2001.

SUMMARY


Professor Terrenato is an innovative scholar with an excellent teaching record and a highly active program of archaeological field activity. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Nicola Terrenato as associate professor of classical archaeology, with tenure, Department of Classical Studies, 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Ruth Tsoffar

TITLES: Associate Professor of Comparative Literature and Associate Professor of Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS: Associate Professor of Comparative Literature, with tenure
Associate Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Comparative Literature Program, the Women's Studies Program, and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Ruth Tsoffar as associate professor of comparative literature, with tenure, and associate professor of women's studies, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Ruth Tsoffar received her Bachelor of Arts from Haifa University in 1981. She attended the University of California at Berkeley where she earned a Master of Arts in 1985 and Doctorate in 1993.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Tsoffar began her teaching career as an assistant professor at the University of Utah in 1994. She joined our faculty as assistant professor of Near Eastern studies in 1999.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Tsoffar is an innovative and interdisciplinary scholar whose work covers modern Israeli literature, media, society, and culture. At its heart her research is grounded in the study of language and text. She has produced a substantial body of scholarship with one book in press, six articles published, four accepted for publication, and two under submission, as well as a second book under contract.

Professor Tsoffar brings an intellectual vigor to her teaching. She introduced a wide array of courses into the Hebrew and Jewish Cultural Studies Program and played an important role in revamping this program by putting equal emphasis on the language and culture components of

the program. Student evaluations have been positive and individual comments speak well of her commitment both in and out of class.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

“Tsoffar’s second book ‘Cannibal Culture’...represents a very original and absorbing attempt to understand many of the assumptions and implications of early Zionist ideology. ... This book...is very well written, theoretically and methodologically sophisticated and thoroughly based in empirical work.”

Reviewer (B)

“Tsoffar’s multifaceted approach to Israeli Hebrew literature, Middle East Studies, anthropology and literary criticism, as well as to the topics of women’s writing, modernity, and ethnography are valuable additions to many fields. Her corpus of work is uniformly of the highest quality...”

Reviewer (C)

“The choice to study literature written by women and by Middle Eastern and North African writers continues her exploration of minority culture. This work will contribute to the small but important field of minority study, and more specifically, the study of Middle Eastern Jewish culture... Dr. Tsoffar’s publications have appeared in both English and Hebrew.”

Reviewer (D)

“I see Dr. Tsoffar’s work as located at the intersection of Jewish cultural studies...Israeli literature and culture, feminist scholarship and postcolonial studies. Her work makes a major contribution to all these fields through her thoughtful choice of topics for research, her masterful combination of ethnographic field methods and sophisticated textual exegesis, and her creative and sophisticated use of analytic concepts drawn from these fields.”

Reviewer (E)

“Her articles appeared in leading journals in several fields. ... Her forthcoming book *The Stains of Culture* is an outstanding study.”

Reviewer (F)

“Professor Tsoffar’s scholarship is breathtaking. ...her case is without question the strongest I have seen in several years. ... She is a productive scholar who has produced innovative and important scholarship. I expect that she will continue to be productive; she is already a leader in the fields in which she publishes.”

Reviewer (G)

“I would have no hesitation in putting Ruth Tsoffar at the very top of her field. In fact, I would even venture to say that the work she is doing is so unique and innovative that there really isn’t a very well defined field that she fits into. ... Her dedication to the Hebrew sources, and the far ranging concerns within which she situates them, is extremely rare.”

Reviewer (H)

"...I had encountered some of her published work...on Karaite *niddah* and on her concept of 'ethno-reading.' Those works, as well as the other publications and works-in-progress that I have now had the opportunity to read, are engrossing and illuminating. They are the work of a truly interdisciplinary scholar, one with far-ranging skills as a reader, critic, translator, and ethnographic interlocutor."

PUBLICATIONS

Cannibal Ideology: Sexuality, Ethnicity, and Colonialism in Hebrew Cultures, University of California press, forthcoming.

The Stains of Culture: An Ethno-Reading of Karaite Jewish Women, Raphael Patai Series in Jewish Folklore and Anthropology, Wayne State University Press, 2006.

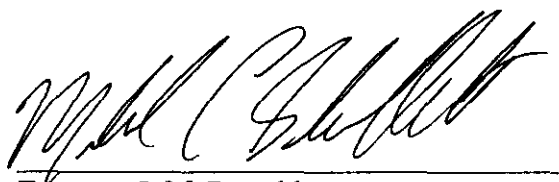
"The body as a storyteller: Karaite women's experience of blood and milk," in the *Journal of American Folklore*, 117(1), 2004, pp. 3-21.

"Staging sexuality: Reading Wallach's poetry," in *Hebrew Studies*, 43, 2002, pp. 87-117.

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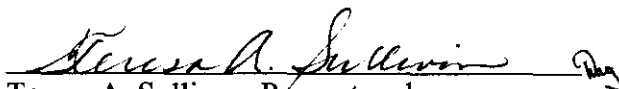
Professor Tsoffar is an innovative scholar and an excellent teacher. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Ruth Tsoffar as associate professor of comparative literature, with tenure, and associate professor of women's studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006.

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

August 2006

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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
September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Ulysses G.J. Balis, M.D.
TITLE: Associate Professor of Pathology
TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006
APPOINTMENT TERM: 12 Months

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 appointment of Ulysses G.J. Balis, M.D., as Associate Professor of Pathology, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Dr. Balis received the B.S. degrees in computer engineering and biology from Duke University in 1987, and the M.D. degree from the University of South Florida in 1991. He then pursued a residency in combined anatomic/clinical pathology at the University of Utah, followed by a postdoctoral research fellowship in the Center for Engineering in Medicine and a research fellowship in surgery (bioengineering) at Harvard University. In 2000, Dr. Balis was appointed as an Instructor in Pathology at Harvard University and was promoted in 2002 to his present rank of Assistant Professor of Pathology and Computer Engineering at that institution.

Dr. Balis' expertise is in the relatively new field of pathology informatics. His current research is focused on synthetic aperture microscopy. He has developed a digital image capture platform and associated compression software which allows for exceptionally high compression ratios and preservation of histopathologic image quality. He is best known as the co-inventor, with Carl Wittwer, of the first quantitative PCR machine. He also is involved in the NCI Shared Pathology Informatics Network which allows easier sharing of information with regard to human tissues. Dr. Balis' wide-ranging interests have contributed to his ability to make innovative contributions to the field. He has a strong curriculum vita in a relatively young scientific field, with a bibliography reflecting 28 articles in peer-reviewed specialty journals.

Recent and Significant Publications

Wittwer CT, Ririe KM, Andrew RV, David DA, Gundry RA, Balis UJ: The LightCycler™: a microvolume multisample fluorimeter with rapid temperature control. *Biotechniques* 22:176-179, 1997.

Bhatia SN, Balis UJ, Yarmush ML, et al: Effect of cell-cell interactions in preservation of cellular phenotype: cocultivation of hepatocytes and nonparenchymal cells. *FASEB J* 13:1883-1900, 1999.

Ma XJ, Wang Z, Ryan PD, Isakoff SJ, Barmettler A, Fuller A, Muir B, Mohapatra G, Salunga R, Tuggle JT, Tran Y, Tran D, Tassin A, Armon P, Wang W, Wang W, Enright E, Stecker K, Estepha-Sabel E, Smith B, Younger J, Balis U, Michaelson J, Bhan A, Habin K, Baer TM, Brugge J, Haber DA, Erlander MG, Sgroi DC: A two-gene expression ratio predicts clinical outcome in breast cancer patients treated with tamoxifen. *Cancer Cell* 5(6):607-616, 2004.

Beckwith BA, Mahaadevan R, Balis UJ, Kuo F: Development and evaluation of an open source software tool for deidentification of pathology reports. *BMC Med Inform Decis Mak* 6:12, 2006.

At Massachusetts General Hospital, Dr. Balis has been involved in the development of the pathology informatics curriculum and has taught pathology informatics to pathology residents. He will pursue similar educational activities at the University of Michigan focusing on residents and medical students and engaging in the development of a fellowship in pathology informatics. Dr. Balis also has lectured extensively on image analysis and acquisition as a member of the core faculty at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and has received numerous invitations to present at national meetings and academic institutions.

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

Reviewer A: "I consider him to be one of the most accomplished individuals I have ever met. His CV shows a tremendous level of achievement and success in pathology practice, pathology informatics, organized medicine, as well as industrial and academic productivity."

Reviewer B: "His accomplishments are legion. . . . He caught the vision of deploying barcoding technology in anatomic pathology then, through his own programming skills and the contribution of a strong IT team, completely revamped the workflow and computing systems in histology at Partners."

Reviewer C: "Dr. Balis is one of the most highly regarded pathology informatics experts of his generation. His accomplishments in pathology imaging and image analysis, LIS design and Standards Development have been particularly influential."

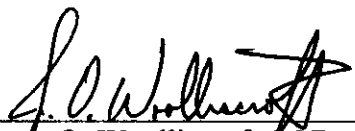
Reviewer D: "He has made important scientific and technical contributions in the areas of tissue engineering, neural network simulations, and computational methods for pathological informatics. . . . He has also made notable contributions to teaching, including the establishment of a residency pathologic informatics curriculum and many invited presentations."

Reviewer E: "He is one of the most intelligent and highly educated pathologists I have ever encountered. He has an amazing depth of knowledge in such diverse areas as mathematics, electrical engineering, physics, optics, computer science, programming, molecular biology, and (of course) pathology."

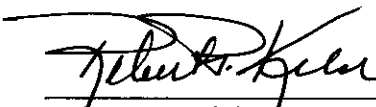
At the University of Michigan, Dr. Balis' expertise in pathology informatics will be utilized in the development of a new clinical laboratory information system. He will serve as Director of the Division of Pathology Informatics. He has served on a number of committees formed to create international standards for digital imaging and medical communications. Nationally, Dr. Balis is president elect of the Association for Pathology Informatics.

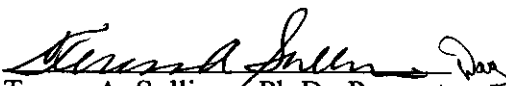
Dr. Balis is regarded as perhaps the preeminent pathology informatician in mid-career in the United States. He was recruited after a national search for a Director of the Division of Informatics in the Department of Pathology. It is a major coup for us to attract an individual of Dr. Balis' talents and vision to design and develop an important data system for the Department of Pathology and the University of Michigan Health System. Not only is his work clinically relevant, it also provides numerous possibilities to initiate teaching and training programs in pathology informatics at this institution. I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Ulysses G.J. Balis, M.D., as Associate Professor of Pathology, without tenure. We believe that Dr. Balis will have significant opportunities at Michigan to explore resources to fund his research and to advance his scholarship in this novel and exciting field. A tenure recommendation, therefore, will be considered at a future date.

Recommended by


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Interim 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

September 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Cheri X. Deng

TITLE: Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2007

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Cheri X. Deng as associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2007.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Dr. Deng graduated from Nanjing University in 1985 with a B.S. degree in Physics and continued on to receive a M.S. degree in Physical Acoustics in 1988. She then received her M.Phil. and Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering from Yale University in 1992 and 1995, respectively.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

From 1995 to 2002, Dr. Deng held research positions with the Riverside Research Institute in New York. In 2002, she joined the faculty at Case Western Reserve University, Biomedical Engineering Department, as an Assistant Professor with additional appointments in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering and Radiology.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Dr. Deng's work in ultrasound imaging, tissue characterization, and noninvasive therapeutics is significant. Her research emphasizes understanding of the mechanisms and processes of biomedical ultrasound interaction with cells and biological systems, and the use of such knowledge to guide the development of innovative, interdisciplinary approaches for diagnosis, imaging, therapy, and other biomedical applications. Specific directions of her research include 1) ultrasound imaging methods for tissue characterization, cancer detection, blood flow quantification, guidance and monitoring of interventions; 2) non-invasive or minimally-invasive ultrasonic intervention strategies such as high intensity focused ultrasound applications and ultrasound mediated intracellular drug and gene delivery; 3) interdisciplinary techniques involving US interaction/manipulation at cellular and integrated system levels; and 4) ultrasound induced bio-responses and bio-effects.

PUBLICATIONS

Frenkel, V., Oberoi, J., Stone, M.J., Park, M., Deng, C.X., Wood, B.J., Neeman, Z., Horne III, H., Li, K. (2006) "Pulsed-High Intensity Focused Ultrasound (HIFU) Enhances Thrombolysis in an *In vitro* model. *Radiology*, 239, pp. 86-93.

Deng, C.X., Qu, F. Nikolski, V.P., Zhou, Y., Efimov, I.R. (2005). "Fluorescent real-time monitoring of cardiac focal ablation with HIFU in vitro." *Annals of Biomedical Engineering*, 33, pp. 1417-1424.

Han, Y., Ikegami, A., Rajanna, C., Kawsar, H., Zhou, Y., Li, M., Sojar, H.T., Genco, R.J., Kuramitsu, H.K., Deng, C.X. (2005). "Identification and characterization of a novel adhesion unique to oral fusobacteria." *Journal of Bacteriology*, 187(15), pp. 5330-5340.

Pan, H., Zhou, Y., Izadnegahdar, O., Cui, J., Deng, C.X. (2005). "Study of sonoporation dynamics affected by ultrasound duty cycle." *Ultrasound in Medicine & Biology*, 31, pp. 849-856.

Deng, C.X., Dogra, V., Exner, A., Wang, H., Bhatt, S., Zhou, Y., Stowe, N.T., Haaga, J.R. (2004). "A feasibility study of high intensity focused ultrasound for liver biopsy hemostasis." *Ultrasound in Medicine & Biology*, 30, pp. 1531-1537.

Deng, C.X., Sieling, F., Pan, H., Cui, J. (2004). "Ultrasound induced cell-membrane porosity." *Ultrasound in Medicine & Biology*, 30, pp. 519-526.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A: "Cheri is a talented scientist with excellent training and extensive research experience in the science and technology of ultrasound. She has a clear and broad vision on the application of ultrasound in medicine and biology. Her ability in identifying the key challenges in developing these applications is remarkable."

Reviewer B: "I am confident, that Cheri will be able to quickly establish [a] strong research program at the University of Michigan and to contribute as an equal to your very impressive imaging program." "I am confident that she will be one of your most productive researchers, inspiring instructors and good citizens of [the] University and academic community at large."

Reviewer C: "I feel very strongly that Dr. Deng has outstanding ability to lead interdisciplinary efforts and to build a strong internationally recognized interdisciplinary program centered on biomedical engineering. She clearly has the ability to manage successful, innovative, meaningful research efforts."

Reviewer D: "It seems to me that Cheri Deng would be an outstanding new member of the ultrasound community at the University of Michigan. I think she would provide a new direction

in the field of ultrasonic cellular biophysics and in fact would interact well with other activities including the HIFU activities going on with Dr. Cain.”

Reviewer E: “... her work continues to evolve into new and exciting areas such as sonoporation. She has an excellent track record for obtaining external support. She has been successful in obtaining substantial NIH support at a time when many excellent laboratories have been unsuccessful with their grant and contract applications.”


Reviewer F: “Professor Deng conducted the first (one could classify it as a landmark) experiment using a voltage-clamp electrophysiology technique to obtain real-time measurement of sonoporation dynamics.” “Professor Deng’s research is novel and medically significant.”

Reviewer G: “She built an impressive ultrasound laboratory from scratch there (Case Western Reserve University).” “Her work has been well-funded by grants from NIH and other sources. There is little doubt that she is one of the bright young stars in biomedical ultrasonics.”


SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Cheri X. Deng has a proven record as an excellent leader, researcher and scholar in the areas of biomedical ultrasonics. We are presented with an opportunity to hire a superb researcher and outstanding educator in critical areas of current relevance to the Department of Biomedical Engineering. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Cheri X. Deng as associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:


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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Jennifer J. Griggs, M.D.
TITLE: Associate Professor of Internal Medicine
TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006
APPOINTMENT TERM: 12 Months

On the recommendation of Marc E. Lippman, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jennifer J. Griggs, M.D., as Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Dr. Griggs received the M.D. degree from the State University of New York at Buffalo in 1990, and was awarded the M.P.H. degree in 2000 from the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry. She completed an internship and residency at Strong Memorial Hospital, serving as chief medical resident during 1993-94. She was a fellow/instructor in hematology/oncology from 1994-97 and, from 1996-98, undertook a health services research fellowship in the Department of Community and Preventive Medicine at the University of Rochester. She was promoted to Assistant Professor of Medicine (hematology/ oncology) at that institution in 1998, with a secondary appointment as Assistant Professor of Community & Preventive Medicine in 2001. Since 2005, Dr. Griggs has held the titles of Associate Professor of Medicine, without tenure, and of Community & Preventive Medicine at the University of Rochester.

Dr. Griggs has developed a national reputation in the field of outcomes research in breast cancer. She was principal investigator of an RO1 award during 2002-05 and a renewal grant application is pending submission. She also received funding from the Department of Defense, the Doris Duke Foundation, and the Susan G. Komen Foundation. Dr. Griggs has published 22 articles in peer-reviewed journals, as well as 15 chapters in books. She has been invited to present her work at national meetings and symposia. She is a member of the NCI Scientific Review Committee, with additional committee service for the American Society of Clinical Oncology and the National Cancer Institute. Dr. Griggs is a reviewer for several major specialty journals and is the oncology editor for Cecil Essentials of Medicine.

Recent and Significant Publications

Mallinger J, Griggs J, Shields C: Patient-centered care and breast cancer survivors' satisfaction with information. *Patient Educ Counsel* 57:342-349, 2005.

Griggs J, Sorbero M, Lyman G: Undertreatment of obese women receiving breast cancer chemotherapy. *Arch Intern Med* 165:1267-1273, 2005.

Stark A, Claud S, Kapke A, Lu M, Linden M, Griggs J: Race modifies the association between breast carcinoma pathologic prognostic indicators and the positive status for HER-2/*neu*. *Cancer* 104:2189-2196, 2005.

Stark A, Kucera G, Lu M, Claud S, Griggs J: Influence of health insurance status on inclusion of HER-2/*neu* testing in the diagnostic workup of breast cancer patients. *Intern J Quality in Health Care* 16:517-521, 2004.

Griggs J, Sorbero M, Stark A, Heininger S, Dick A: Racial disparity in the dose and dose intensity of breast cancer adjuvant chemotherapy. *Breast Cancer Res and Treat* 81:21-31, 2003.

Dr. Griggs has developed an extensive portfolio of teaching experience with medical students, residents, and trainees. She designed, directs and teaches a course, "Multispecialty Breast Cancer Care" for third- and fourth-year students. For her efforts, she received the AAMC Humanism in Medicine Award in 2004. She also received awards for teaching excellence during her residency at Strong Memorial Hospital. At the University of Michigan, it is planned that Dr. Griggs will focus her activities toward trainees through didactic teaching, research training, and clinical mentoring. Dr. Griggs is Board Certified in Internal Medicine and in the subspecialty of Medical Oncology. She will conduct her clinical activities in the Breast Oncology Clinic in the Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center and on the Medical Oncology Service.

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

Reviewer A: "I was very impressed with [Dr. Griggs'] grasp of the issues related to health care disparities and her ability to articulate these concepts clearly and succinctly. I am also impressed in looking at her CV that she has been extremely productive for someone only eight years out of training, and her honors and responsibilities indicate that she is highly regarded."

Reviewer B: "Dr. Griggs' unique contributions to the field of oncology are based on her expertise in both the traditional skills of medical oncology with a concentration in breast cancer care and the new and important area of outcomes research and patient/survivor issues. Although many workers have expertise in one or the other of these fields, very few have gained mastery of both and been able to integrate this expertise successfully."

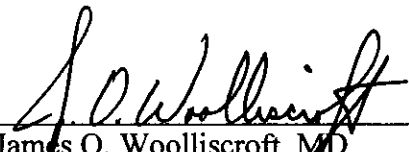
Reviewer C: “[Dr. Griggs] has an expansive fund of knowledge in the basic and translational biology of breast cancer, in the issues surrounding the care of those patients, and in the health services issues surrounding breast cancer care in diverse populations.”

Reviewer D: “[Dr. Griggs] is recognized in the oncology health services research community for her work on issues related to ethnic disparities in access to care as well as the effect of obesity on access to appropriate chemotherapy dosing. . . . Dr. Griggs would make a terrific addition to any faculty. She is an excellent clinician, teacher, and mentor.”


Reviewer E: “[Dr. Griggs] is among the top of the people at her level. . . . I believe that she is one of the finest researchers [of her generation] in the field in the country. . . . Her work is a significant contribution to her field.”

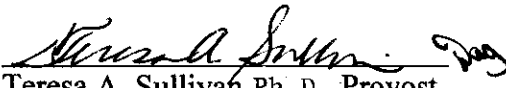
Dr. Griggs is nationally recognized as a breast cancer specialist with expertise in health services research. While she has developed a strong presence in her field, we believe that the environment at the University of Michigan will provide Dr. Griggs with greater opportunities for research collaborations and academic growth. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jennifer J. Griggs, M.D., as Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, without tenure. A tenure recommendation will be considered after Dr. Griggs’ effectiveness in the department has been assessed.

Recommended by


James O. Woolliscroft, MD
Interim 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

August 2006

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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

September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUESTED: Renewal of a Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Linda M. Chatters

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Public Health, with tenure, School of Public Health and
Professor of Social Work, without tenure, School of Social Work

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Professor of Social Work, without tenure, School of Social Work

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

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Linda M. Chatters as Professor of Social Work, without tenure, School of Social Work, effective September 1, 2006.

Linda Chatters received a Ph.D. of Psychology in 1983 from the University of Michigan and a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology from University of California, Berkeley in 1975. Since completing her education and training, Professor Chatters has served as a Research Fellow and Research Investigator at the University of Michigan, Institute for Social Research (1983 to 1985). In 1985 she accepted an Assistant Professorship at the Florence Heller Graduate School for Advanced Studies in Social Welfare, Brandies University. In 1988, she joined the University of Michigan as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Health Behavior and Health Education in the School of Public Health, was promoted to Associate Professor of Public Health, with tenure, in 1994 and was promoted to Professor of Public Health, with tenure, in 2005. She joined our faculty in 2003 as Associate Professor, without tenure and was promoted to Professor of Social Work, without tenure, in 2006.

For the past three years, Professor Chatters has demonstrated a deep commitment to the School of Social Work by teaching in the areas of health, gerontology, family and health and social environment (HSE), by working with School of Social Work and School of Public Health students in the dual degree program and by promoting the interdisciplinary programs between the schools.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Linda M. Chatters as Professor of Social Work, without tenure, School of Social Work effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Paula Allen-Meares, Dean
Norma Radin Collegiate Professor of Social Work
and Professor of Education

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



Kenneth E. Warner, Dean
Avedis Donabedian Distinguished University Professor of Public Health

September 2006

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

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

NAME: James S. Diana

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean, Professor of Natural Resources, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean, School of Natural Resources & Environment

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: One Year

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

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Natural Resources & Environment recommend the reappointment of Professor James S. Diana as associate dean for a one-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

Professor Diana earned his B.S. and M.A. degrees from California State University in 1974 and 1975, and his Ph.D. from the University of Alberta in 1979. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1979 as an assistant professor and assistant research scientist, and was promoted to associate professor and associate research scientist in 1984. Dr. Diana was promoted to professor of natural resources, with tenure, and associate research scientist, Center for Great Lakes and Aquatic Sciences in 1996. He was first appointed as associate dean in 1999.

This reappointment reflects that Professor Diana's responsibilities have grown continually over the years. He played a major role in the coordination and development of the School's revised Master's program plans. He continues to work closely with each faculty member on their teaching performance and teaching portfolios, helps oversee admissions and all matters pertaining to graduate education, and he maintains his own research, teaching and advising responsibilities.

The reappointment of James S. Diana as associate dean appropriately recognizes both the breadth of his responsibilities in the School of Natural Resources and Environment, and his exceptional skills in discharging those responsibilities.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

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

NAME: Richard I. Hume

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Chair and Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology

TERM: Two Years

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

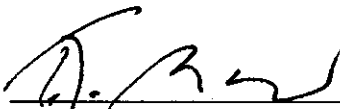
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the reappointment of Richard I. Hume as Chair of the Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology for a two-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

Richard Hume received his Bachelor of Arts at Wesleyan University in 1975 and Doctorate at Stanford University in 1980. Following a postdoctoral fellowship at Washington University Medical School, Professor Hume joined our faculty as assistant professor in 1983 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1995. He has been chair of his department since 2003.

Professor Hume is internationally known for his work on the cellular interactions involved in the formation and maintenance of synaptic connections in the nervous system. He has published 50 articles in refereed journals. He was honored with the College's Excellence in Education Award (1996), appointed Director of the Interdepartmental Neuroscience Graduate Program (1999-2003), and named Arthur F. Thurnau Professor by the University in 2003.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Richard I. Hume as Chair of the Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology for a two-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

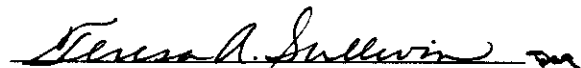
RECOMMENDED BY:



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

August 2006

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

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September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Henry O. Meares

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Dean, School of Education

TERM: Five years

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

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Henry O. Meares as assistant dean in the School of Education for a five-year term effective August 1, 2006 through July 31, 2011.

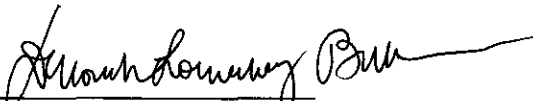
Dr. Meares received his B.S. degree from Fayetteville State University in 1963, and his M.Ed. and Ed.D. degrees from the University of Illinois in 1968 and 1982, respectively. He served as assistant principal of Urbana Junior High School, Urbana, IL, from 1968 to 1978; as associate principal of Urbana High School from 1978 to 1983; and as principal of Urbana Middle School from 1983 to 1991. He was the director of University High School at the University of Illinois from 1991 to 1993. Dr. Meares joined the faculty of the School of Education in 1993 as Instructor and Director of Field Services; from 1995 to 1996, he serves as Director of Teacher/Administrator Certification Services; and from 1996 to 2001, he served as Director of the Office of Student Services. He was appointed Assistant Dean in 1998.

While in Urbana, Illinois, and Ann Arbor, Michigan, Dr. Meares has participated extensively in service to the profession, the University and the community. He has consulted, made presentations, conducted workshop's, etc. with the Detroit Public Schools, Flint Public Schools, Health Occupations Partners in Education (HOPE), U.S. Department of Education, and Illinois State Board of Education, among many others. Dr. Meares is currently a member of the Ann Arbor Schools Equity Committee, the UM's Martin Luther King Jr. Planning Committee, and the UM's Academic Services Board.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Henry O. Meares as assistant dean in the School of Education for five-year term effective August 1, 2006 through July 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Dean, School of Education



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

August 2006

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Naomi André

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, and Associate Professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Residential College and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Women's Studies Program, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Naomi André as associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

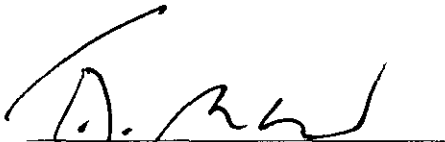
Naomi André earned her Bachelor of Arts, *magna cum laude*, at Columbia University in 1989. She attended Harvard University where she received her Master of Arts in 1993 and Doctorate in 1996. She was jointly appointed as assistant professor in the School of Music and the Women's Studies Program in 1995. When she was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2003, she shifted her appointment entirely into Women's Studies.

Professor André is a traditionally trained musicologist specializing in Italian opera. While her first book focused on Verde and gender, she desires to teach students who have an interest in music and the arts but not be constrained by the topical focus demanded by the Women's Studies curriculum, namely gender. The Residential College has a program in music to which Professor André is ideally suited. She intends to pursue her specialization in opera by developing interdisciplinary courses that cross boundaries between the study of music, literature, and theater. Her presence in the Residential College will create the possibility of cross-listed courses between the two units.

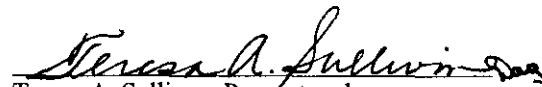
We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Naomi André as associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006.

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

August 2006

INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Wayne E. Baker
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Organizational Behavior and Human Resource Management, with
tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Sociology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Wayne E. Baker as professor of sociology, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

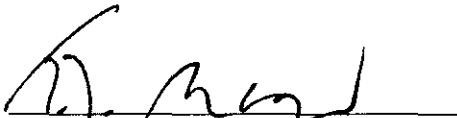
Wayne Baker attended Northern Illinois University where he earned his Bachelor of Science, *summa cum laude*, in 1974 and his Master of Arts in 1976. He attended Northwestern University where he completed his Doctorate in 1981. He was appointed to a two-year term as postdoctoral research fellow at Harvard University Graduate School of Business in 1985. Professor Baker began his teaching career at the University of Chicago as assistant professor in 1987 and was promoted to associate professor in 1990. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan School of Business Administration in 1995 as associate professor and was promoted to professor in 1999. He has been a faculty associate at the Institute for Social Research since 1998 and Director of the Center for Positive Organizational Scholarship since 2004.


Professor Baker's research tackles core questions of economic sociology – a field he helped to found – with insight, theoretical innovation, and methodological rigor. The recipient of the Max Weber Award for Distinguished Scholarship from the American Sociological Association in 1995, he is one of the best sociologists of economic and organizational processes of his generation. In addition to three books, Professor Baker has published numerous articles in the leading sociology journals. He will play a key role in expanding our research and teaching in the areas of economic sociology, organizational studies, and network analysis.

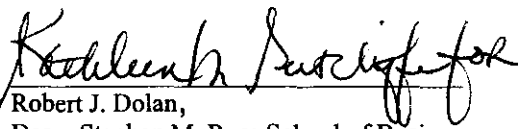
We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Wayne E. Baker as professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006.

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


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

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Timothy Chupp

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

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

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 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 Physics and the Department of Biomedical Engineering, I am pleased to recommend that Timothy Chupp be appointed as professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

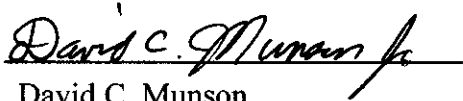
Timothy Chupp received his A.B. (with honors) in physics from Princeton University in 1977. He earned his M.Sc. and Ph.D. in physics from the University of Washington in 1978 and 1983, respectively. Following the completion of his Ph.D., Dr. Chupp joined Princeton University as an assistant professor. Dr. Chupp joined the University of Michigan in 1991 as associate professor of physics, with tenure, and was promoted to professor in 1994.

Dr. Chupp's research involves the development of precision measurement, optical pumping, and nuclear polarization techniques for application to a variety of fundamental and applied problems. One of his key experimental pursuits has been the use of polarized noble gases, ^3He and ^{129}Xe , for the enhancement of Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) for medical applications, especially for neurological studies of the functional imaging of cerebral blood flow. This program is a major collaboration involving researchers from Physics, Chemistry, Radiology, Neuroscience, and Clinical Medicine.

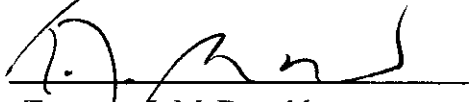
The other key direction of Dr. Chupp's research is the measurement of manifestations of elementary particle interactions at low and intermediate energies to study physics beyond the standard model of elementary particle interactions. One important pursuit is the search for CP-violating electric dipole moments of heavy atoms and the neutron, a problem closely related to understanding the apparent cosmological dominance of matter over antimatter. In this work, physics at short range is studied using symmetry and precision measurement techniques accessible with spin polarized systems.

With this additional appointment, Dr. Chupp is ideally suited to assist the Department of Biomedical Engineering by his active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Timothy Chupp as professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

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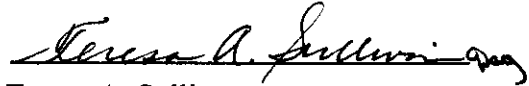


David C. Munson
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
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August 2006

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September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Gerald F. Davis

CURRENT TITLES: Wilbur K. Pierpont Collegiate Professor of Management, Professor of Organizational Behavior and Human Resources Management, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Sociology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Gerald F. Davis as professor of sociology, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Gerald Davis earned his Bachelor of Science at the University of Michigan in 1984. He attended Stanford University where he received his Master of Arts in 1987 and Doctorate in 1990. Professor Davis began his teaching career as assistant professor at Northwestern University in 1990. He was appointed associate professor at Columbia University in 1994 and professor at the University of Michigan School of Business Administration in 1998. He has held the title of Pierpont Collegiate Professor of Management since January 2006.

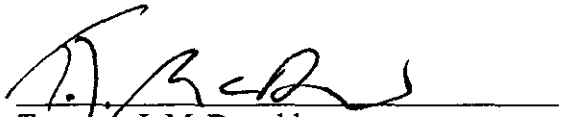
Professor Davis has an excellent reputation in the profession as a dynamic scholar publishing in the best journals. His work is broadly concerned with the role of organizations in modern society. He has been deeply influential in such diverse fields as corporate structure, social movements, economic networks, and institutional theory. He is an excellent teacher with a focus on and dedication to doctoral education.


Professor Davis has played an active role in the Department of Sociology in training graduate students. He will continue this work serving as mentor and will play a key role in expanding our research and teaching in the areas of economic sociology, organizational studies, and network analysis. He will provide assistance with the evaluations of preliminary examinations and participate in the wider intellectual life of the department.

We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Gerald F. Davis as professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006.

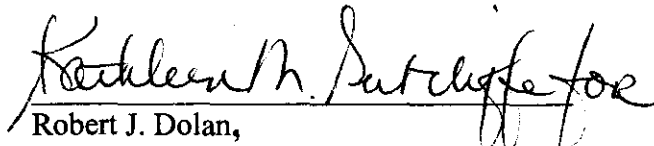
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Terrence J. McDonald,
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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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

August 2006

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Michael Gould

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Music (Percussion), with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Professor of Music (Percussion), with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and Associate Professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Residential College (RC) and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Michael Gould as associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Michael Gould received his Bachelor of Music from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in 1990, Master of Music from the University of Nevada at Las Vegas in 1992, and Doctorate from the University of Kentucky in 1999. Professor Gould began his teaching career as assistant professor in the School of Music, Theatre & Dance in 1998 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2005. He was appointed adjunct assistant professor in the RC Music Program in 2003 and adjunct associate professor in 2005.

Professor Gould is an innovative, forward-looking musician and accomplished performer. He crosses genres in ways that defy easy categorization and he is technologically fluent. He has developed cross-campus collaborations in the School of Art and Design and the Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning as well as in the RC, making him an effective ambassador for the School of Music, Theatre & Dance.

Professor Gould's teaching in the RC has been exemplary and his classes carry large waitlists. He combines technical training in percussion with music theory and has shown an extraordinary capacity to work with students of vastly different backgrounds and abilities. His enthusiasm, commitment, and flexible learning strategies have earned him high student ratings. Professor Gould has been a key figure in the transformation of the RC Music Program. He is now a central figure in the continuing efforts to develop new teaching strategies. Making his appointment permanent will do much to bolster the program and solidify its ties with the School of Music, Theatre & Dance.

We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Michael Gould as associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006.

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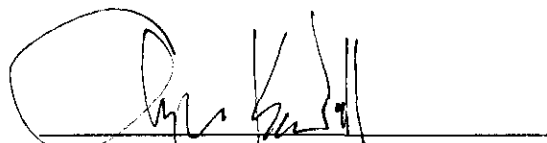
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

September 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment and Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship for a Faculty Member

NAME: James R. Hines, Jr.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Business Economics, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Richard A. Musgrave Collegiate Professor of Economics, Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor of Business Economics, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and the Law School, and with the endorsement of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the appointments of James R. Hines, Jr. as the Richard A. Musgrave Collegiate Professor of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011; and professor of law, with tenure, Law School, effective September 1, 2006.

Richard A. Musgrave was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1948 to 1959. The Richard A. Musgrave Collegiate Professorship in Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, was established by the Regents in August 2006. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

James Hines attended Yale University where he earned both his Bachelor of Arts, *cum laude*, and Master of Arts in 1980. He completed his Doctorate at Harvard University in 1986. Professor Hines began his career as a teaching fellow at Harvard (1982-1985). He accepted an appointment as assistant professor at Princeton University (1986-1991) before returning to Harvard as a visiting assistant professor (1991-1992) and associate professor (1992-1997). He joined the faculty at the Ross School of Business as associate professor, with tenure, in 1997 and was promoted to professor in 1999. He was appointed professor, with tenure, in the Department of Economics in 2002 and was a visiting professor in the Law School during 2005-2006.

Professor Hines studies provision and financing of public services. He has made numerous contributions to public finance across a broad array of topics. His principle work is in international taxation, studying the effects of tax and fiscal policies on international economic

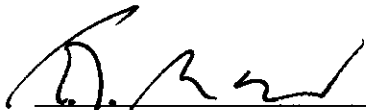
activity, with a special focus on multinational corporations. Since his appointment to Economics in 2002, he has published 25 articles and book chapters. These have appeared in the leading specialized journals and have been highly visible contributions in the *Handbook of Public Economics* and in publications of the National Bureau of Economic Research. He is a highly visible member of the profession, notably serving as co-editor of the prestigious *Journal of Economic Perspectives* (2004-present).

Professor Hines is an outstanding teacher both in the classroom and in graduate mentoring contacts. He consistently receives exceedingly high teaching evaluations, has won teaching awards, and supervises excellent research work of students. He has been an active participant in Law School faculty workshops and other collaborative environments. He is a collegial leader whose judgment is valued and whose rigor is treasured.


We are very pleased to recommend the appointments of James R. Hines, Jr. as the Richard A. Musgrave Collegiate Professor of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011; and professor of law, with tenure, Law School, effective September 1, 2006.

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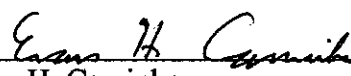
Terrence J. McDonald,
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College of Literature, Science, and the Arts



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



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



Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School

September 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Barbara C. Hodgdon

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of English Language and Literature, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Music (Theatre and Drama), without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through December 31, 2010

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance and with the endorsement of the dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Barbara Hodgdon as professor of music (Theatre & Drama), without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2006 through December 31, 2010.

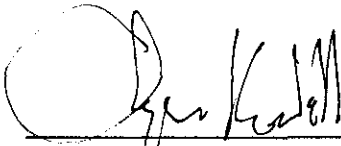
Dr. Hodgdon received her B.A. from Wellesley College and her M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of New Hampshire. In 1974, she joined Drake University as Assistant Professor of English. She was promoted to Associate Professor of English in 1978, and Professor of English in 1981. Dr. Hodgdon was appointed the Ellis and Nelle Levitt Distinguished Professor Emerita of English at Drake University in 2000. Dr. Hodgdon joined the University of Michigan in 2002, as Adjunct Professor of English, without tenure, in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts. She was appointed Professor of English, without tenure, in January 2006.

Dr. Hodgdon's primary focus has been on the works of Shakespeare. She has numerous publications in the form of books, book chapters, articles, and reviews. Dr. Hodgdon has given many presentations, seminars, and workshops on Shakespeare. She has taught numerous classes, and has provided professional service in areas involving Shakespeare and the Renaissance era. She holds professional memberships in such organizations as the Shakespeare Association of America, Modern Language Association of America, and The Renaissance Society of America.

The Department of Theatre & Drama is re-tooling the Ph.D. program in Theatre. Dr. Hodgdon's experience will help strengthen the program and enrich the study of Shakespeare in performance. She will also contribute to the Department's elective offerings for undergraduate students. Dr. Hodgdon is an accomplished and dynamic teacher and scholar, notably as it relates to the study of Shakespeare's plays. She is a wonderful collaborator and

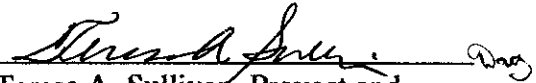
possesses an infectious enthusiasm for all of drama. We are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Barbara Hodgdon as Associate Professor of Music (Theatre & Drama), without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2006 through December 31, 2010.

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



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

September 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Suresh K. Mukherji, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Radiology, with tenure, and Professor of Otorhinolaryngology, without tenure

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Radiation Oncology, without tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

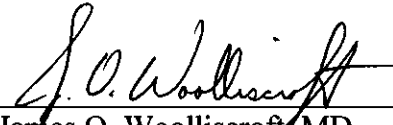
On the recommendation of Theodore S. Lawrence, M.D., Ph.D., the Isadore Lampe Professor and Chair of the Department of Radiation Oncology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Suresh K. Mukherji, M.D., as Professor of Radiation Oncology, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Dr. Mukherji received the M.D. degree from Georgetown University and completed fellowship training in head & neck and neuroradiology at the University of Florida in Gainesville. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2001 as Associate Professor of Radiology and Otorhinolaryngology and was promoted to his present rank of Professor in 2004. Since 2001, he has served as Division Director of Neuroradiology and Head & Neck Radiology in the Department of Radiology.

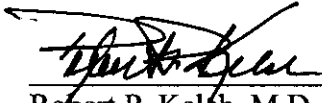
Dr. Mukherji's expertise in the area of functional imaging offers great opportunities to interact with Radiation Oncology faculty and staff. The area of functional imaging has become an important direction for research clinical care in the Department of Radiation Oncology, and Dr. Mukherji's appointment will greatly enhance the department's efforts to facilitate development of research projects, as well as the ability to recruit faculty for collaborative research efforts. Dr. Mukherji currently is co-investigator on a subproject of a National Cancer Institute Program Project and collaborates with a number of Radiation Oncology faculty colleagues. In addition, he is well regarded for his teaching contributions and has provided lectures for grand rounds, as well as for departmental and continuing medical education courses.


Dr. Mukherji's work has been and strongly remains interactive with the Department of Radiation Oncology. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Suresh K. Mukherji, M.D., as Professor of Radiation Oncology, without tenure.

Recommended by


James O. Woolliscroft, MD
Interim Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by


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


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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Raymond H. Van Dam

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

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of History, with tenure, and Professor of Near Eastern Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

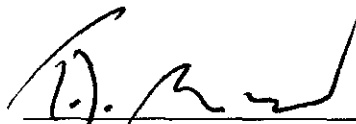
On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Near Eastern Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of History, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Raymond H. Van Dam as professor of Near Eastern studies, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

As Director of the Interdepartmental Program in Greek and Roman History (IPGRH), Professor Van Dam has become a strategic partner for the Department of Near Eastern Studies in the doctoral Program in Judaism and Christianity in the Graeco-Roman World. This collaboration has resulted in a series of impressive achievements, including two lecture series, the establishment of a minor in Early Christianity with the Department of Classical Studies, and a biennial summer program on Jews and Christians taking students to visit archaeological sites in Rome (2003), Naples (2005) and Jerusalem (projected 2007). We expect Professor Van Dam to continue to be a key presence in the Department of Near Eastern Studies.


We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Raymond H. Van Dam as professor of Near Eastern studies, without 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

September 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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Recommendations for approval of leaves of absence
for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Extension of Leave for a Faculty Member
NAME: Miranda D. Brown
CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Asian Languages and Cultures,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
TYPE OF LEAVE: Extension of a One-Year Leave
DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: January 1, 2006 through May 31, 2006
TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2007

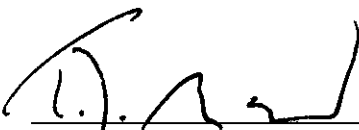
It is recommended that Miranda D. Brown be granted an extension of leave of absence for academic year 2006-2007, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2007.

Professor Brown was on her nurturance leave during winter term 2006. In the meantime she received a National Endowment for the Humanities award for academic year 2006-2007. Permitting this additional year of leave will allow Professor Brown to make significant progress on her research and writing for a book project on Chinese medical epistemology during the period of 350 B.C.E. through 220 C.E.


We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Miranda Brown.

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

September 2006

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Extension of Leave for a Faculty Member
NAME: Gayle S. Rubin
CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Anthropology, Assistant Professor of Comparative Literature, and Assistant Professor of the Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
TYPE OF LEAVE: Extension of a One-Year Leave
DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: January 1, 2006 through May 31, 2006
TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2007

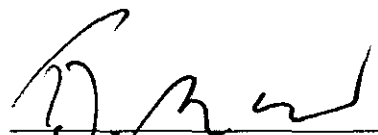
It is recommended that Gayle S. Rubin be granted an extension of leave of absence for academic year 2006-2007, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2007.

Professor Rubin was on her nurturance leave during winter term 2006. In the meantime she was awarded a fellowship from the Center for Advanced Study in Behavioral Sciences at Stanford University for academic year 2006-2007. This prestigious award will allow Professor Rubin to devote her attention to research and writing in preparation for tenure. Permitting this additional year of leave will allow Professor Rubin to expand her work on her current research topics, which will benefit the Department's intellectual mission.


We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Gayle Rubin.

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

**INTERIM APPROVAL
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August 2006

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Establishing and renaming professorships and selected
academic administrative positions.

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: Gayl A. Jones Collegiate Professorship in Afro-American Literature and Culture
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of Gayl A. Jones, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1976 to 1984. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Gayl Jones was born in Lexington, Kentucky in 1949. She earned her Bachelor of Arts from Connecticut College in 1971 and Doctorate from Brown University in 1975. While a student at Brown, she published her first novel, *Corregidora* (1975), and during a brief teaching stint at Wellesley College, she published her second novel, *Eva's Man* (1976). She joined our faculty as assistant professor in 1974 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1982. While at Michigan, she received fellowships from the National Endowment for the Arts and the Michigan Society of Fellows. She also published a collection of short stories, *White Rat* (1977), and two volumes of poetry, *Song for Anninho* (1981) and *The Hermit-Woman* (1983).

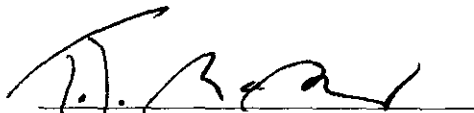
Professor Jones resigned from her faculty position at Michigan in 1984 and left the United States for Europe where she wrote her third novel, *Die Volgelfaengerin (The Birdwater)*, in Germany and a third volume of poetry, *Xarque and Other Poems* (1985). She returned to the United States in 1988 and published a work of literary criticism, *Liberating Voices: Oral Tradition in African American Literature* (1991), much of which was based on research she conducted at Michigan. She subsequently published two novels with Beacon Press, *The Healing* (1998) and *Mosquito* (1999).

Gayl Jones is a critically acclaimed writer who has excelled in a variety of forms that range from the novel, the short story, and poetry to literary criticism. She is best known as a novelist whose provocative subject matter, experimental style, and fascination with employing aspects of the African American oral tradition as a central part of her craft have made her the subject of a great deal of penetrating critical analysis. Her work marks her as one of the most important American novelists of the last quarter of the twentieth century.

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

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

August 2006

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: George Herbert Mead Collegiate Professorship in Education
EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

The School of Education seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of George Herbert Mead, 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.

George Herbert Mead was born in South Hadley, Massachusetts, on February 27, 1863, and died on April 26, 1931. He received a B.A. from Oberlin College in 1879 and taught grade school briefly. He earned his MA degree in philosophy from Harvard University in 1888. He was an instructor at the University of Michigan from 1891 to 1894. He went to the University of Chicago as assistant professor in 1894, was promoted to associate professor in 1902 and to professor in 1907.

George Herbert Mead taught philosophy and psychology at the University of Michigan at a time when these two disciplines were developing a new perspective on the study of learning and teaching. At Michigan he was a contemporary of John Dewey and Charles Horton Cooley, and together, these three scholars contributed to the invention of the field of social psychology as they attempted to construct a theory that explained why the individual and society could only be understood in relation to one another. Mead and Dewey became close personal and intellectual friends, finding much common ground in their interests in philosophy and psychology. Mead argued that the value of behavioral psychology was limited because it viewed humans as purely instinctual and reflexive beings. By ignoring the social dimension of human interaction, behaviorists had eliminated a critical factor in understanding the cognitive process. Mead's description of language as communication through significant symbols and his concept of the self as composed of "I" (actor) and "Me" (socially perceived subject) are examples of some of his many significant contributions to the theory of symbolic interactionism, which is today still a vital framework for understanding aspects of classroom discourse.

George Herbert Mead is a major figure in the history of American philosophy, one of the founders of Pragmatism along with Peirce, James, Tufts, and Dewey. Through his teaching, writing, and posthumous publications, he has exercised a significant influence in 20th century social theory, among both philosophers and social scientists. I am very pleased to recommend the establishment of the George Herbert Mead 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: Richard A. Musgrave Collegiate Professorship in Economics
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of Richard A. Musgrave, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1948 to 1959. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

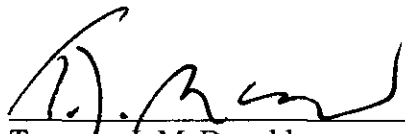
Richard Musgrave was born in Königstein, Germany, in 1910. He earned a Diplom Volkswirt from Heidelberg University in 1933 and attended Harvard University where he received a Master of Arts in 1936 and Doctorate in 1937. Professor Musgrave began his teaching career at Harvard where he was an instructor and tutor from 1936 to 1941. He served as an economist at the Federal Reserve Bank from 1939 to 1948. He joined our faculty as associate professor, with tenure, in 1948, and was promoted to professor in 1950. He resigned in 1959 to take positions at the Johns Hopkins University and later at Princeton University. He returned to Harvard in 1965 with an appointment in economics and law, and was granted emeritus status in 1981. He has been adjunct professor at the University of California, Santa Cruz since 1981.

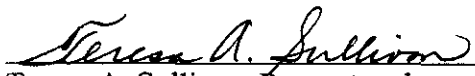
Richard Musgrave is one of the twentieth century's leading scholars of public finance. During his Michigan years he wrote his revolutionary *The Theory of Public Finance*, which changed the way future generations of researchers conceptualized key questions in this field. He published half a dozen other books, scores of articles, and Congressional testimonies. His work on public goods, tax progressivity, taxation and risk-taking, taxation and distributive justice, fiscal federalism, and the role of fiscal policy in stabilizing the economy represent major contributions.

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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professorship in the
History of Medicine

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professorship in the History of Medicine, effective August 1, 2006.

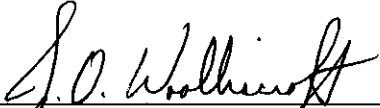
This collegiate professorship is made possible through funding from several gift accounts. It is intended to support research in the history of medicine and to further the Center for the History of Medicine's mission to preserve the history of the University of Michigan Medical School. The recipient of this professorship will be the Associate Dean of the Center for the History of Medicine and will be a faculty member who has distinguished her or himself as a national leader in the field of the history of medicine and who can advance research and education in new and creative directions. The initial appointment period for the Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professor will be five years, and the appointment may be renewed.

A pioneer in many respects, Dr. Zina Pitcher, a graduate of Middlebury College and Castleton Medical School, settled in Detroit in 1836 after eight years as a well-traveled U.S. Army surgeon. Once in Detroit, he married and began to practice medicine as licensed by the recently-formed Medical Society of Michigan. When the University of Michigan was founded one year after his arrival, Dr. Pitcher immediately began to urge that this young university establish a medical department. Toward that end, he opened a proprietary medical school in 1846 which, nonetheless, failed and closed just one year later. Yet, Dr. Pitcher continued to promote his plan. Indeed, after attending the first meeting of the American Medical Association in 1847, he became even more convinced that the State of Michigan and its residents needed and deserved a first-rate medical school. In early 1848, Dr. Pitcher presented a blueprint for the medical school to the Regents, requesting that they fulfill the "high and responsible duty in setting before such institutions in our organization, an example worthy of imitation." Dr. Pitcher's recommendation was unanimously approved, and a \$3,000 appropriation granted to construct a medical building that opened its doors to the first class of 90 medical students the following autumn. Dr. Pitcher then recruited the five additional men that constituted

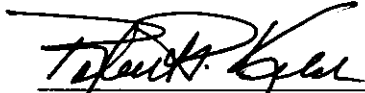
the initial Medical School faculty—Abram Sager, Silas Douglass, Moses Gunn, Jonathan Adams, and Samuel Denton—and who admirably taught the broad medical fields of the era. It is both extraordinary and humbling to realize that our great Medical School grew out of these initial commitments to and investments in medical education and health care in the State of Michigan, largely due to Dr. Pitcher's prescience and persistence.



Dr. Pitcher was truly a visionary. He not only recognized the importance of the establishment of a premier medical school to the State of Michigan, but also spearheaded one of the first medical schools that owned its facilities and paid the entire salaries of its professors. Thus, Dr. Pitcher created an enviable model that hundreds of American medical institutions have emulated over the past 150 years. I am very pleased to recommend the establishment of the Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professorship in the History of Medicine.

Recommended by


James O. Woolliscroft, MD
Interim 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 

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: James W. Rae Collegiate Professorship in
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the James W. Rae Collegiate Professorship in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, effective September 1, 2006.

This collegiate professorship is made possible through Medical School resources and intended to support the activities of the Chair of the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. The initial appointment period for the Rae Collegiate Professor will be five years, and the appointment may be renewed.

Dr. Rae received the M.D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1940. He completed a residency in medical rehabilitation at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota in 1950 and was immediately recruited to the University of Michigan by then-Dean Furstenberg to establish and direct the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (PM&R). Physical medicine and rehabilitation was a new interdisciplinary practice model led by physiatrists. The discipline was established by the American Board of Medical Specialties in 1947. When Dr. Rae started the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, he also distinguished the University of Michigan as one of the first major medical institutions in the United States to organize and develop an independent physical medicine and rehabilitation department.

As Dr. Rae had just completed his residency training in 1950, he was appointed to the junior rank of Assistant Professor, as well as Interim Department Chair, when he first began his academic career at the University of Michigan. He became permanent Department Chair in 1955. Dr. Rae was promoted to Associate Professor, with tenure, in 1952 and achieved the rank of Professor of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation in 1957. He was the youngest person to hold appointment as Professor and Chair in the history of the Medical School up to that time. Dr. Rae served as Chair for 27 years, ending his successful leadership of the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation in 1977, and he currently holds the title of Professor Emeritus of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. During his career on the faculty, Dr. Rae served as President of the American Congress of Rehabilitation Medicine.

Dr. Rae was a pioneer in the field of physical medicine and rehabilitation. This collegiate professorship serves to honor Dr. Rae and to recognize his numerous contributions to the University of Michigan and to his clinical discipline. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the James W. Rae Collegiate Professorship in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation.

Recommended by

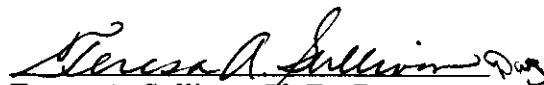
Recommendation endorsed by



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Interim 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of an Endowed Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Robert G. Rodkey Collegiate Professorship in Business Administration

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, authorization is requested to establish the Robert G. Rodkey Collegiate Professorship in Business Administration.

The Rodkey Collegiate Professorship was created in 2000 with a generous gift from William B. Corlis, MBA 1940. The professorship honors the life and career of the late Robert G. Rodkey, renowned professor of finance at the University of Michigan and the Stephen M. Ross School of Business. The purpose of the professorship is to increase knowledge and understanding of business and economic theory and practice through instruction and research in these and related fields.

Robert G. Rodkey first became a member of the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1914, after graduating from the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts. He subsequently earned his MA and PhD degrees at the University of Michigan in 1915 and 1928, respectively. From 1917 to 1918 he was associate professor of accounting at Washington University, and in 1918 served as captain in the Statistics Branch for the General Staff of the United States Army. From 1918 to 1921 he was director of personnel at Chase National Bank in New York, and in 1922 was appointed acting professor of economics at Tulane University. Returning to the University of Michigan, he advanced to professor of banking and investments in 1928.

Professor Rodkey's analysis of banking and investments drew hundreds of students to his courses. For many years he was a faculty representative on the Finance Committee of the University of Michigan Union and became highly regarded as an authority on banking. He brought to class his own experience as a banker and bank director. He served as a consultant for the Michigan State Banking Department and for the Securities Exchange Commission. He authored *The Banking Process*, *Legal Reserves in American Banking*, and *Sound Policies for Bank Management*, all widely read by both scholars and practitioners.

The establishment of the Robert G. Rodkey Collegiate Professorship in Business Administration at the Stephen M. Ross School of Business will allow us to support a senior research scholar at the Ross School and help attract or retain a faculty member worthy of a chaired professorship.

The Robert G. Rodkey Collegiate Professorship in Business Administration will be located in the Stephen M. Ross School of Business at the University of Michigan. The professorship is intended for a senior tenured faculty member who can provide immediate prominence in this area. Appointment to this professorship will be for a renewable term of up to five years.

We request approval for the establishment of the Robert G. Rodkey Collegiate Professorship in Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2006.

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

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

August 2006

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Change in Name of Existing Endowed Professorship
CURRENT TITLE: Stephen M. Ross Professorship in Real Estate Finance
RECOMMENDED TITLE: Stephen M. Ross Professorship in Business
EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

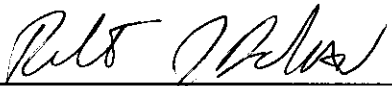
With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, it is recommended that the Stephen M. Ross Professorship in Real Estate Finance be renamed to the Stephen M. Ross Professorship in Business, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective August 1, 2006.

This professorship was established in 1988 as a result of a generous pledge of Mr. Stephen M. Ross who is a Ross School alumnus. Appointment to this professorship is for a five-year renewable term and will be held by a senior tenured faculty member of the Ross School.

This action is now being taken by the Ross School in keeping with the wishes of the Ross Foundation, which has stated that this change would be more reflective of Stephen Ross' interest and great success in the areas of business.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: Edward Sapir Collegiate Professorship in Linguistic Anthropology
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of Edward Sapir, who taught at the Linguistic Institute during the University of Michigan summer session in 1937. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

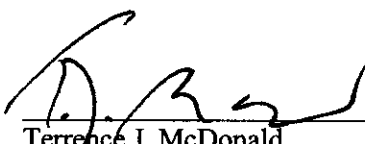
Edward Sapir was born January 1884 in Lauenberg, Germany, and emigrated to the United States with his parents in 1889. He attended Columbia University on a Pulitzer Scholarship where he earned his Bachelor of Arts in 1904 and Master of Arts in 1905. He was a research associate at the University of California, Berkeley, (1907-1908) before receiving his Doctorate at Columbia in 1909. Professor Sapir taught briefly at the University of California and at the University of Pennsylvania before being appointed director of anthropology in the Geological Survey of the Canadian National Museum (1910-1925). He joined the faculty at the University of Chicago (1925-1931) and was appointed Sterling Professor of Anthropology and Linguistics at Yale University (1931-1939).


Professor Sapir was known as a linguist, but he was also an anthropologist interested in cultural theory, social interaction, and the development of personality. He was one of the first to explore the relationship between language studies and anthropology. He touched many other fields through his research and vast corpus of publications. His seminal book, *Language* (1921), is still important today and eminently readable, as are his writings on culture and psychology. His most famous student was Benjamin Lee Whorf; together they are known for the Sapir-Whorf Hypothesis that language and culture, inextricably linked, have effects on perception and cognition. This hypothesis promoted many studies in psycholinguistics. Professor Sapir passed away in 1939.

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

August 2006

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September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: J. L. Styan Collegiate Professorship in Drama
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of John L. Styan, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1966 to 1974. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

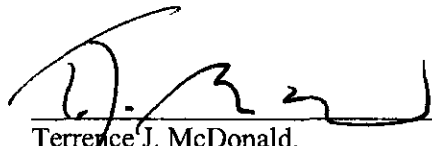
John Louis Styan was born in London on July 5, 1923. Following service in World War II, he attended Cambridge University where he received a Master of Arts in English literature in 1948. Professor Styan began his teaching career at the University of Hull in 1948. He joined our faculty as visiting associate professor (1965-1966) and was appointed professor, with tenure (1966-1974). He then accepted appointments as the Andrew W. Mellon Professor of English at the University of Pittsburgh (1974-1977) and professor at Northwestern University (1977-1987). He became the academic vice-president and chairman of the Advisory Council for the American branch of what became (in 1982) the International Shakespeare Globe Centre (1981-1987). He continued to write after his retirement from the Advisory Council and passed away in 2002.


Professor Styan developed his interest in understanding drama while on the faculty at the University of Hull and spent the rest of his career analyzing the ways in which the "details of actuality" could be orchestrated to create the artificial world of the theatre. The qualities of movement, tempo, and mood generated by a play's text were not a concern of literary criticism of his day, but Styan brought these to the forefront and helped to define performance criticism. His first book, *The Elements of Criticism* (1960), marked the beginning of a remarkably prolific career that resulted in 13 books and numerous articles for *Around the Globe*. During his tenure at Michigan he wrote one of his most influential books, *Shakespeare's Stagecraft* (1967), a classic of performance criticism that is still in print after nearly 40 years. In 1995, Professor Styan was awarded the Robert Lewis Medal for Lifetime Achievement in Theatre Research by Kent State University. His papers and personal library are now in their collection.

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

August 2006

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Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: Hal R. Varian Collegiate Professorship in Political Science
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

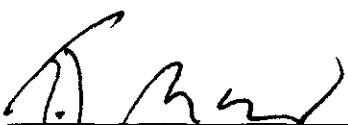
The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship in the name of Hal R. Varian, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1977 to 1996. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Hal Varian earned his Bachelor of Science from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) in 1969. He attended the University of California at Berkeley (UC-Berkeley) where he received both his Master of Arts and Doctorate in 1973. Professor Varian began his teaching career as assistant professor at MIT in 1973. He joined our faculty as professor in 1977 and was appointed the Reuben Kempf Professor of Economics in 1986. He has been the Class of 1944 Chair at UC-Berkeley since 1996.


Professor Varian has published numerous papers in economic theory, industrial organization, financial economics, econometrics, and information economics. He is the author of two major economics textbooks which have been translated into 22 languages and are taught in the economics curriculum of major universities around the world. His current research has been concerned with the economics of information technology and the information economy. He is co-author of a bestselling book on business strategy, *Information Rules: A Strategic Guide to the Network Economy*, and writes a monthly column for *The New York Times*. He is also a consultant to Google, Inc. He was a fellow of the Guggenheim Foundation, the Econometrics Society, and the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. He has served as co-editor of the *American Economic Review* and is on the editorial boards of several journals.

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

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

August 2006

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Renaming of an Existing Endowed Professorship

CURRENT NAME: George E. Wantz, M.D. Professorship in the History of Medicine

RECOMMENDED NAME: George E. Wantz, M.D. Distinguished Professorship in the History of Medicine

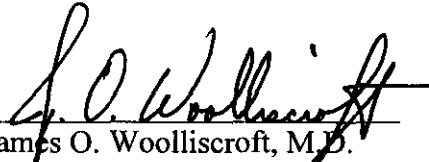
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the renaming of the current Wantz Professorship to the George E. Wantz, M.D. Distinguished Professorship in the History of Medicine, effective September 1, 2006.

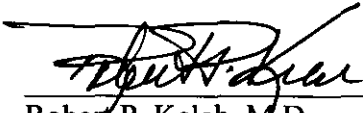
The establishment of this professorship was made possible through a generous pledge/gift from George E. Wantz, M.D. and Diana D. Wantz in 2000. This title change will honor our commitment to the formal gift agreement that the professorship would achieve "distinguished" status if the endowment exceeded the original funding goal.

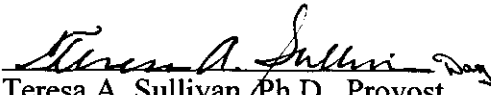
Dr. Wantz was one of those rare physicians with a deep appreciation for and knowledge of the history of medicine. It is my pleasure, therefore, to recommend the renaming of the existing Wantz Professorship to the George E. Wantz, M.D. Distinguished Professorship in the History of Medicine.

Recommended by


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Interim 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

September 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Establish a New Administrative Position
POSITION TITLE: Assistant Vice President for Development Services
EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2006

The Office of the Vice President for Development requests approval to establish the position of Assistant Vice President for Development Services, effective July 1, 2006.

This position will report directly to the Vice President of Development and serve as an integral member of the senior management team in the Office of University Development and will be responsible for providing oversight and management of four programs and supervision of three Directors, with broader responsibility for over 30 staff members. The two major components of this position are detailed below.

Management Team

As a member of the Senior Management team this position will be responsible for the strategic development, alignment and management of technical systems, gift processing, biographical maintenance and other administrative processes that facilitate the overall fundraising goals and mission of Office of University Development, the Development Community and the University community. The AVP will partner with various development and alumni relations staff across campus to identify and to implement beneficial solutions for providing infrastructural support, and will serve as OUD's principal liaison with other senior financial and IT professionals throughout the university.


Program Administration

The AVP for Development Services will serve as the direct-line supervisor and manager of Gift Administration, Alumni Records, Information Technology and Reporting Services. The scope of these programs is vast with over 470,000 living alumni records, 19 schools/colleges and 22 non-degree granting units and over 100,000 gift transactions processed annually.


Because of the critical role this new position will play to the overall mission of the Office of University Development, I therefore request the Board of Regent's approval to establish this position, effective July 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Jerry A. May
Vice President for Development



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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Appointment to a Titled Professorship

NAME: Gautam Ahuja

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Corporate Strategy and International Business, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Harvey C. Fruehauf Professor of Business Administration

TERM: Five Years

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

Upon the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Gautam Ahuja as the Harvey C. Fruehauf Professor of Business Administration, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

The Harvey C. Fruehauf Professor of Business Administration was established in 1992 to help increase knowledge and understanding of business and economic theory and practice through instruction and research in these and related fields. Additionally, appointment to this professorship is reserved for a senior faculty member who can provide immediate and continuing prominence to the Harvey C. Fruehauf Professorship and prestige to the Stephen M. Ross School of Business. Funding for this professorship is provided by the trustees of the Fruehauf Foundation.

Professor Ahuja received his B.A. degree with honors from Delhi University in 1984, his M.B.A. degree from the Indian Institute of Management in 1986, and his Ph.D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1996. Upon completion of his Ph.D. degree in 1996, Professor Ahuja joined the faculty of the University of Texas at Austin as Assistant Professor. He joined the Stephen M. Ross School of Business in 2001 as Associate Professor of Corporate Strategy and International Business and was promoted to Professor, with tenure, in 2003. He currently serves as the Area Chair of Strategy.

Professor Ahuja addresses important substantive issues in strategy and organization theory, typically working with a data set that he developed with exceptional care. His papers explicate methodological issues very well, often contain original conceptual ideas, and are well argued and written. He is one of the contributors to serious behavioral literature in the area of technology-related strategy issues. He has proven his capacity to publish in top journals in both organizational and strategy, a pattern that enriches both strategy and organization theory.

Professor Ahuja is one of our finest teachers. He has won the award as Outstanding MBA Program Professor many times for his strategy courses. He serves his profession as a member of the Executive Committee of the Technology and Innovation Management Division of the Academy of Management. He is a reviewer for some of his fields' top journals, including Administrative Science Quarterly, the Academy of Management Journal and the Strategic Management Journal.

We believe that Gautam Ahuja exemplifies the criteria outlined for appointment to the Harvey C. Fruehauf Professorship. Therefore, approval is hereby requested to appoint Professor Ahuja as the Harvey C. Fruehauf Professor of Business Administration effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Robert J. Dolan, Dean
School of Business Administration



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

September 2006

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Eugene Anderson

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Marketing, with tenure, and
Associate Dean, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE: D. Maynard Phelps Collegiate Professor of Business
Administration

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 appointment of Eugene Anderson as the D. Maynard Phelps Collegiate Professor of Business Administration, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

The D. Maynard Phelps Collegiate Professorship in Business Administration was established in 1992 to honor Professor Emeritus D. Maynard Phelps. Professor Phelps enjoyed a distinguished 40 year career on the faculty of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business in the field of marketing.


Professor Anderson received his B.Sc. and M.B.A. degrees from the University of Illinois in 1981 and 1983, respectively, and his Ph.D. degree from the University of Chicago in 1989. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in 1989, and was promoted to professor in 2000. He is one of the core faculty members who developed and implemented the Quantitative Skills Workshop for incoming M.B.A. students, a flagship early preparation program. He was the first director of the School's Executive M.B.A. program, having led the development and implementation of this highly successful new degree offering.

Professor Anderson has served as the Associate Dean for Degree Programs at the Ross School for the last four years. In that capacity, he guided the restructuring of the core curriculum of our MBA Program and the transition of the BBA Program to its new 3-year schedule. In addition, he has been the source of a number of innovations on our signature action-based learning programs. He is a dedicated and exacting teacher, with a clear focus on providing the best possible educational experience to students. His research is concentrated on the antecedents and consequences of customer satisfaction, one of the core concepts of marketing. Professor Anderson combines research quality with teaching

excellence and a strong record of leadership. He has assumed responsibility for our student programs where his leadership is making a real difference.

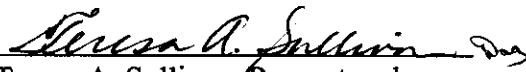
Approval is hereby requested to appoint Professor Anderson as the D. Maynard Phelps Collegiate Professor of Business Administration effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

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

September 2006

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Michael Awkward

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, and Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Gayl A. Jones Collegiate Professor of Afro-American Literature and Culture, Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, and Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael Awkward as the Gayl A. Jones Collegiate Professor of Afro-American Literature and Culture for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Gayl A. Jones was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1976 to 1984. The Gayl A. Jones Collegiate Professorship in Afro-American Literature and Culture was established by the Regents in August 2006. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

Michael Awkward earned his Bachelor of Arts, *cum laude*, from Brandeis University in 1980. He attended the University of Pennsylvania where he received his Master of Arts in 1982 and Doctorate in 1986. Professor Awkward began his teaching career as assistant professor at the University of Michigan in 1986 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1995. He joined the faculty at the University of Pennsylvania as professor in 1997 and was appointed the Longstreet Professor of English and Afro-American Literature at Emory University in 2003. He returned to Michigan as professor in 2006.

The hallmark of Professor Awkward's work is his willingness to engage in dialogue with critics and theorists in a number of fields outside African-American literary studies, especially but not exclusively with those working in feminist theory and criticism. His books take up a number of different topics in and related to African-American literary and cultural studies, but they cohere


around a common project: the systematic interrogation of the discursive limits that emerged to encompass the Black experience in America.

Professor Awkward's teaching is accomplished at a high level indeed. He consistently scores well above the median in the varied courses he has taught. He has also served as mentor to numerous graduate students and younger faculty. He has selflessly served throughout his own institutions and the profession at large in a number of capacities.

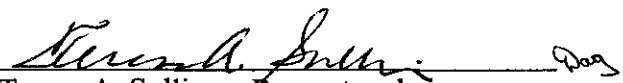
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael Awkward as the Gayl A. Jones Collegiate Professor of Afro-American Literature and Culture, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

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

September 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Enoch Brater

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Theatre, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Kenneth T. Rowe Collegiate Professor of Dramatic Literature, Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Theatre, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

TERM: Five Years

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Enoch Brater as the Kenneth T. Rowe Collegiate Professor of Dramatic Literature for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Kenneth T. Rowe was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1928 until his retirement in 1971. The Kenneth T. Rowe Collegiate Professorship in Dramatic Literature was established by the Regents in July 2006. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

Enoch Brater earned his Bachelor of Arts, *magna cum laude*, at New York University in 1965. He attended Harvard University where he completed his Master of Arts in 1967 and Doctorate in 1971. Professor Brater began his teaching career as assistant professor at the University of Pennsylvania in 1971. He joined our faculty as assistant professor in 1975 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1987. He was appointed professor of theatre, without tenure, in the School of Music, Theatre & Dance in 1989.

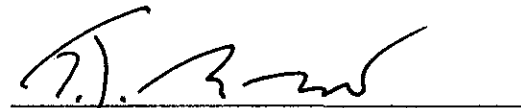
Over the course of some thirty years at the University of Michigan, Professor Brater has established himself as one of the world's foremost authorities on contemporary drama. His name is indelibly linked to two of the century's most influential playwrights – Samuel Becket and Arthur Miller. His work has garnered an audience well beyond the University and he receives invitations to teach and lecture around the world.

Professor Brater has been advisor and mentor to a long list of doctoral students whose projects he has supervised and he has served as dissertation advisor or committee member for 21 students. He has served on just about every committee there is in the Department of English Language and Literature. He has served on the College's Executive Committee and Divisional Evaluation Committee. At the University level he most recently served on the Advisory Committee for the Arthur Miller Theater.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Enoch Brater as the Kenneth T. Rowe Collegiate Professor of Dramatic Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Recommended by:

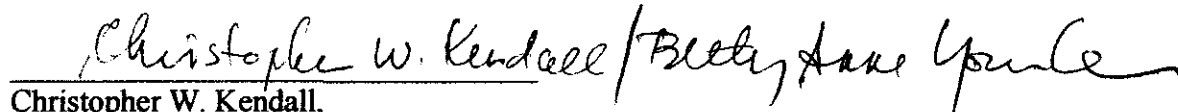
Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Daniel G. Brown

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Research, School of Natural Resources and
Environment

TERM: Three Years

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

The Dean of the School of Natural Resources and Environment recommends the appointment of Daniel G. Brown as associate dean for research in the School of Natural Resources and Environment for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009.

Professor Brown earned his Bachelor of Arts at Shippensburg University in 1987, his Master of Arts at University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1989, and his doctorate from University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1992.

Professor Brown is respected nationally and internationally. He is a highly productive scholar. His work demonstrates how to employ disciplinary expertise in geographic information science (GIS), an emerging multidisciplinary field of scholarship that encompasses geography, computer science, cartography, surveying, planning, natural resources, and other application areas. He has been an active leader in working to build a truly interdisciplinary research agenda and academic program within the School of Natural Resources and Environment and the University of Michigan. He is clearly recognized nationally and internationally as being at the top of his field. He successfully teaches rigorous courses in geographic information science, and is a strong, committed graduate mentor. His service record is exemplary.

I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Daniel G. Brown as associate dean for research in the School of Natural Resources and Environment for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

September 2006

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Bogdana Carpenter

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

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

TERM: Two Years

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

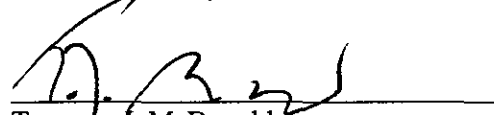
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the appointment of Bogdana Carpenter as Chair of the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures for a two-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

Bogdana Carpenter earned her Master of Arts at the University of Warsaw in 1963 and Doctorate from the University of California, Berkeley, in 1974. Professor Carpenter began her teaching career as assistant professor at the University of Washington in 1974. She joined our faculty as assistant professor in 1983 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1991. She previously served two terms as chair of her department (1991-1995, 1998-1999).

Professor Carpenter's research focuses on 20th-century Polish literature with special interest in poetry and translation. Other interests include Polish and European avant-garde, and modern European drama and poetry. She has published two books, edited a third, and has another in progress; as well as numerous book chapters, translations, and articles. Among her awards she counts the Golden Cross of Merit, conferred by the President of Poland in 1999.

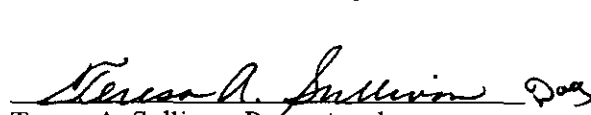
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Bogdana Carpenter as Chair of the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a two-year term, effective July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Dimitri N. Coucouvanis

CURRENT TITLES: Lawrence S. Bartell Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Lawrence S. Bartell Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five years, renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Chemistry and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Dimitri N. Coucouvanis as the Lawrence S. Bartell Collegiate Professor of Chemistry for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Lawrence Bartell, Philip J. Elving Professor Emeritus of Chemistry, served on the faculty at the University of Michigan from 1965 to 1993. The Lawrence S. Bartell Collegiate Professorship in Chemistry was established by the Regents in August 2001. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Dimitri Coucouvanis earned his Bachelor of Science at Allegheny College in 1963 and completed his Doctorate at Case Institute of Technology in 1967. Following postdoctoral work at Columbia University in 1968, he began his teaching career as assistant professor at the University of Iowa in 1968 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1975. He joined our faculty as professor in 1983.

Professor Coucouvanis' research program in general transition metal chemistry continues to be highly innovative and interdisciplinary. Since his appointment to the Bartell Collegiate Professorship in 2001, he has published 17 articles in peer-reviewed journals and has four in press. In 2001 he edited volume 33 of *Inorganic Synthesis*. In 2005 he was Chair of the organizing committee for the International Conference in Bioinorganic Chemistry, received the Outstanding Alumnus Award from Case Western Reserve University, and elected Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Professor Coucouvanis is a dedicated teacher and mentor. He was Chair of the departmental Graduate Committee and member of the Awards Committee and of the Search Committee.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Dimitri N. Coucouvanis as the Lawrence S. Bartell Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Jennifer K. Crocker

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

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Claude M. Steele Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jennifer K. Crocker as the Claude M. Steele Collegiate Professor of Psychology for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Claude M. Steele was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1987 to 1993. The Claude M. Steele Collegiate Professorship in Psychology was established by the Regents in July 2006. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

Jennifer Crocker earned her Bachelor of Arts at Michigan State University in 1975 and completed her Doctorate at Harvard University in 1979. Professor Crocker began her teaching career as assistant professor at Northwestern University in 1979. She joined the faculty at the State University of New York, Buffalo, as associate professor in 1985 and was promoted to professor in 1989. She was appointed research professor in the Research Center for Group Dynamics, Institute for Social Research, in 1994 and professor in the Department of Psychology in 1995.

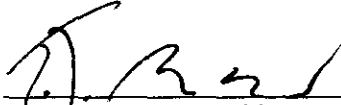
Professor Crocker is highly regarded by her peers in the field of social psychology. Her current research focuses on self-esteem and the contingencies of self-worth. Her work is creative and her research papers win major awards. Her exceptional level of external grant support also points to the high regard the field has for her empirical and theoretical contributions. Professor Crocker received an Independent Scientist Award (2000-2005) from the National Institute of Mental Health. She is an elected fellow to the American Psychological Association (1988) and the American Psychological Society (1990).

Professor Crocker is a superb teacher and an excellent mentor at both undergraduate and graduate levels. She is a model citizen and has served the discipline of social psychology as Chair of the Executive Committee of the Society for Experimental Social Psychology (1989-1990), as President of the Psychological Study of Social Issues (2000-2001), and as Associate Editor or Consulting Editor on several psychology journals.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Jennifer K. Crocker as the Claude M. Steele Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Robert J. Dolan

CURRENT TITLES: Dean, Professor of Marketing, with tenure, and Gilbert and Ruth Whitaker Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Dean, Professor of Marketing, with tenure, and Stephen M. Ross Professor of Business, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

TERM: Five Year Term

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

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert J. Dolan as the Stephen M. Ross Professor of Business, for a five year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

The Stephen M. Ross Endowed Professorship in Real Estate Finance was first established by the Regents in 1987 and is supported by a grant from Stephen Ross. In 2006, Mr. Ross indicated that he wished the chair to be renamed as the Stephen M. Ross Professorship in Business and this was approved by the Regents in August 2006. The purpose of the chair is to support a senior professor with outstanding research and teaching credentials in management.


Dr. Dolan received his PhD from the University of Rochester in 1977, and began his professional career at the University of Chicago's Graduate School of Business in 1976 where he was promoted to associate professor in 1980. Dr. Dolan later joined the marketing area at the Harvard Business School as an Associate Professor; was promoted to Professor with tenure in 1985, and became the Edward W. Carter Professor of Business Administration in 1990. His research on new product development and pricing policy has had great impact on both academics and practitioners. His teaching materials distributed by Harvard Business School Publishing have sold over 1.5 million copies. He is the author or co-author of eight books and numerous journal articles.

In 2001, Dr. Dolan became the Dean of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business at the University of Michigan and the Gilbert and Ruth Whitaker Professor of Business Administration. Dr. Dolan's term as Dean has been marked by programmatic innovation better preparing students for work managing global operations. The Ross

School is widely regarded as one of the best business schools in the world. Dr. Dolan's record of accomplishment in research and management of the Ross School indicate that he exemplifies the expectations of this Professorship.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert J. Dolan as the Stephen M. Ross Professor of Business effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Respectfully Submitted by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Teresa A. Sullivan", with a small flourish at the end.

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

September 2006

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Yaron Z. Eliav

CURRENT TITLES: Jean and Samuel Frankel Professor of Rabbinic Literature and Associate Professor of Rabbinic Literature, with tenure, Department of Near Eastern Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Jean and Samuel Frankel Professor of Rabbinic Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Near Eastern Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Frankel Center for Judaic Studies, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Yaron Z. Eliav as the Jean and Samuel Frankel Professor of Rabbinic Literature for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

This professorship is the result of a generous gift from Jean and Samuel Frankel and the Ira and Nicki Harris Challenge Fund, and was established by the Regents in June 1997.

Eliav Yaron received his Bachelor of Arts, *cum laude*, at the Open University of Israel in 1990. He attended Hebrew University where he earned his Master of Arts, *summa cum laude*, in 1993 and Doctorate in 1999. He was a postdoctoral fellow at New York University in 1998 and joined our faculty as assistant professor in 2000. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2006.

Since his reappointment to the Frankel Professorship in 2003, Professor Eliav's book, *God's Mountain: The Temple Mount in Time, Space, and Memory*, has been published to wide acclaim. The book received the 2006 Salo Baron Prize for the best first book in Jewish studies from the American Academy for Jewish Research. It was also awarded the best academic book in theology and religious studies in 2005, a prize given by the Professional and Scholarly Division of the Association of American Publishers.

Professor Eliav's recent work includes co-editing an extensive two-volume compilation of articles presented as a conference on statuary in the Greco-Roman world and co-editing a volume of articles drawn from a conference on text and context in Jewish culture. Both

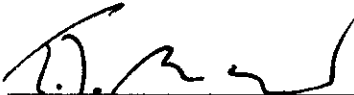
conferences held at Michigan were successful and Professor Eliav played a significant role in organizing them.

In a joint effort with a fellow faculty member, Professor Eliav introduced a graduate program on Judaism and Christianity in the Greco-Roman world. The program is attracting positive attention in academia and several students are now enrolled. He continues to be an effective instructor of undergraduates and mounting enrollments indicate that he has developed an excellent reputation despite the relatively arcane subject matter of his courses on rabbinic literature.


We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Yaron Z. Eliav as the Jean and Samuel Frankel Professor of Rabbinic Literature for a five-year renewable 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

September 2006

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Additional Appointment to a Named Professorship

NAME: Sylvie Garneau-Tsodikova

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, without tenure,
College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDED TITLES: John Gideon Searle Assistant Professor of Medicinal Chemistry
and Assistant Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, College of
Pharmacy

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Pharmacy, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sylvie Garneau-Tsodikova as the John Gideon Searle Assistant Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, College of Pharmacy, for a three-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009.

The John Gideon Searle Assistant Professorship was established in May 2000, in addition to the previously established John Gideon Searle Professorship, through a generous endowment gift by Mr. John G. Searle in 1977. The assistant professorship was established to recognize a promising scholar at the junior level in any discipline within the College of Pharmacy.

Dr. Garneau-Tsodikova received her B.Sc. in chemistry and her M.Sc. in organic chemistry, both from the Université Laval in Québec, Canada, in 1995 and 1997, respectively. She completed her Ph.D. in organic chemistry in 2003 from the University of Alberta. Upon graduation, she began a three-year postdoctoral fellowship at Harvard Medical School, which she completed before joining the University of Michigan on August 1, 2006, as assistant professor of medicinal chemistry, College of Pharmacy, and research assistant professor, Life Sciences Institute.

Dr. Garneau-Tsodikova has received several honors during her academic career and possesses outstanding credentials in the areas of bioorganic, organic, and medicinal chemistry, as well as natural products biosynthesis. Her research goals include the study and development of new anticancer agents from marine sources and novel antibiotics.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sylvie Garneau-Tsodikova as the John Gideon Searle Assistant Professor of Medicinal Chemistry for a three-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Frank J. Ascone
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

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**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

August 2006

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Appointment to an Endowed Visiting Professorship
NAME: Patrick Grim
RECOMMENDED TITLE: Marshall M. Weinberg Endowed Distinguished Visiting Professor of Philosophy
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006

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 Patrick Grim to the Marshall M. Weinberg Endowed Distinguished Visiting Professor of Philosophy, effective September 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006.

The Weinberg Distinguished Visiting Professorship was created by a generous gift from Marshall M. Weinberg (Bachelor of Arts, 1950). This endowment enables the Department of Philosophy to appoint scholars bringing exciting new ideas and stimulating the ongoing philosophical enterprise. This visiting professorship was established by the Regents in May 1999.


Patrick Grim earned his Bachelor of Arts at the University of California, Santa Cruz, in 1971 and Bachelor of Philosophy at the University of St. Andrews in 1975. He attended Boston University where he received both his Master of Arts and Doctorate in 1976. Following a one-year appointment as visiting assistant professor at the State University of New York at Stony Brook, Professor Grim joined their faculty as assistant professor in 1978 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1994.

Professor Grim is the author of two books, editor of one book, co-editor of 17 volumes in a 25-volume series, and author of more than sixty articles in logic, computational modeling, ethics, metaphysics, philosophy of religion, and philosophy of science. He is an award-winning instructor at SUNY where he has held the President's Award for Excellence in Teaching and the President's Award for Excellence in Teaching. Professor Grim will teach an undergraduate course in normative ethics and a graduate seminar in philosophical logic at Michigan.

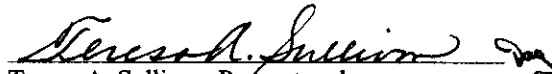
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Patrick Grim to the Marshall M. Weinberg Endowed Distinguished Visiting Professor of Philosophy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



Terrence G. 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Titled Professorship
NAME: Benjamin J. Howard
TITLE: T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics
TERM: Three Years, Non-renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009

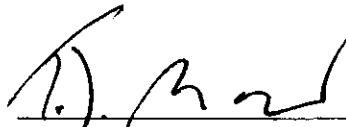
On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Mathematics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Benjamin J. Howard as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics for a three-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

The T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships are awarded in honor of T.H. Hildebrandt, who long served the Department of Mathematics as professor and chair, and whose work brought much distinction upon the University. Individuals named as T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professors are given a reduced teaching load to allow them to concentrate to a greater degree on their research. In nominating mathematicians for the T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships, preference is given to those candidates whose doctorate was received within the last two years.

Benjamin Howard attended Tennessee Technological University where he earned a Bachelor of Science in 1998 and Master of Science in 2000. He attended the University of Maryland where he received his Doctorate in 2006. His current research is the study of weight varieties. He has published five papers, delivered eight presentations at invited seminars, and was a lecturer at the University of Maryland (summer 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005). He received the S. A. Patil Award at Tennessee Technological University (1999) and was a VIGRE Research Fellow at the University of Maryland (2005).

We are pleased to recommend that Benjamin J. Howard be appointed as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics for a three-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.


Recommended by:



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

August 2006

Recommendation endorsed by:



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

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Title

NAME: Edward A. Hurvitz, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, with tenure

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Professor of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, with tenure; and Chair of the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Edward A. Hurvitz, M.D., as Chair of the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, effective September 1, 2006.

Dr. Hurvitz received the M.D. degree from Wayne State University and completed a residency in physical medicine and rehabilitation at Sinai Hospital of Detroit. He then undertook fellowship training in pediatric rehabilitation at the University of Michigan. In 1995, Dr. Hurvitz was appointed Assistant Professor of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation at the University of Michigan and was promoted to his current rank of Associate Professor, with tenure, in 2002.

Dr. Hurvitz has an established national reputation as a pediatric rehabilitation medicine clinician and scientist. His research is focused on children with cerebral injury. His primary lines of investigation in this area are motor dysfunction, especially measurement of the effects of intervention and outcome of cerebral injury, including complications, functional outcome, and psychosocial outcome. His bibliography reflects 30 peer-reviewed publications, six chapters in books, and numerous non-peer-reviewed articles and abstracts. He is co-director of a NIH Rehabilitation Research Training Center grant and also is co-director of a T32 training grant sponsored by the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development. Nationally, Dr. Hurvitz is a member of several professional organizations, including the American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation and the American Academy of Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Medicine for which he currently serves on the International Membership Committee. Institutionally, Dr. Hurvitz has been a member of numerous departmental committees, including promotion and tenure, research advisory, and the PM&R executive committee, and he currently serves on the Medical School's Committee for Student Biomedical Research.

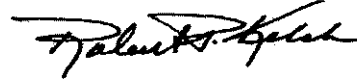
Dr. Hurvitz has proven to be a most valuable asset to the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. He is an enthusiastic teacher of residents and students, an outstanding clinician, and a nationally recognized investigator. It is the judgment of the Executive Committee that Dr. Hurvitz is well qualified for this administrative post. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Edward A. Hurvitz, M.D., as Chair of the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation.

Recommended by

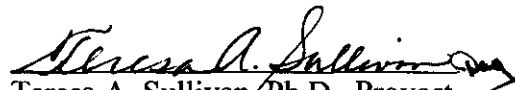


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Interim Dean, Medical School

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

August 2006

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GRANTED**

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Raymond J. Hutchinson, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases,
with tenure

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases,
with tenure, and Assistant Dean for Research Regulatory
Affairs, Medical School

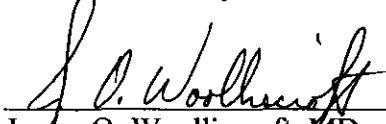
EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2006

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Raymond J. Hutchinson, M.D., as Assistant Dean for Research Regulatory Affairs, effective August 1, 2006. Dr. Hutchinson replaces Dr. Ronald Maio who recently stepped down from this administrative position.

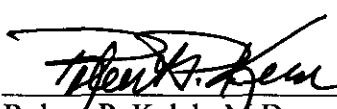
Dr. Hutchinson joined the University of Michigan faculty in 1978, and has held his current rank of Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure, since 1993. During his tenure at Michigan, Dr. Hutchinson has served as Clinical Director of the Pediatric Bone Marrow Transplant Program and Clinical Director of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology. Since 2004, he has been a co-chair of the IRBMED. He is an accomplished and well funded clinical researcher in the field of pediatric oncology. Dr. Hutchinson has served on a number of national committees and study groups in the field of oncology, including the executive committee of the Children's Cancer Group, and he currently is a member of the NCI Pediatric Central IRB.


It is the judgment of the Executive Committee that Dr. Hutchinson is well qualified to hold this administrative post. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Raymond J. Hutchinson, M.D., as Assistant Dean for Research Regulatory Affairs in the Medical School.

Recommended by


James O. Woolliscroft, MD
Interim 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Judith T. Irvine

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, and Chair, Department of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Edward Sapir Collegiate Professor of Linguistic Anthropology, Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, and Chair, Department of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Judith T. Irvine as the Edward Sapir Collegiate Professor of Linguistic Anthropology for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Edward Sapir was a faculty member at the University of Michigan during the summer session in 1937. He is one of the founding figures of anthropology in the United States. The Edward Sapir Collegiate Professorship in Linguistic Anthropology was established by the Regents in August 2006. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

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 and was appointed Chair of the Department of Anthropology in July 2006.

Professor Irvine is one of the leading figures of her generation in linguistic anthropology and a major contributor to anthropological theory and analysis. Her research has been at the cutting edge of her field since the 1970s and at every phase of her career, her work has redefined the direction of the field. At every stage she has produced articles that have spurred an entire body of research and have become defining moments for linguistic anthropology. She is also an outstanding historian of anthropology and is editor of two massive volumes collecting the writings on culture and ethnology of Edward Sapir

Professor Irvine is an outstanding and challenging instructor, and her courses receive uniformly high evaluations. Student comments highlight the clarity with which she explains complex

concepts, the extent to which her lectures thoroughly explore core concepts in the field, and her deftness at managing classroom interaction. She was past president of the Society for Linguistic Anthropology and is former editor of the central disciplinary journal, 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 the Edward Sapir Collegiate Professor of Linguistic Anthropology for a five-year renewable 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

September 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship
NAME: Christopher Kendall
CURRENT TITLES: Dean and Professor of Music (Conducting), with tenure,
School of Music, Theatre & Dance
RECOMMENDED TITLES: Dean, Professor of Music (Conducting), with tenure, and
Paul Boylan Collegiate Professor of Music,
School of Music, Theatre & Dance
TERM: Five-year renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2005 through July 31, 2010

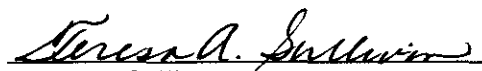
I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Christopher Kendall, Dean and Professor of Music (Conducting), as the Paul Boylan Collegiate Professor of Music for a term concurrent with the deanship of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective August 1, 2005 through July 31, 2010.

The Paul Boylan Collegiate Professorship in Music was established by the Board of Regents, effective July 1, 2000, through the generosity of Charles and Jean Walgreen. Paul Boylan received his Ph.D. degree in Musicology in 1968 from the University of Michigan where he served for thirty-eight years in the then School of Music beginning as a Teaching Fellow in 1962 and stepping down as Dean in 2000. Appointments to the professorship are concurrent with the appointment as Dean of the School of Music, Theater & Dance. Income from the endowment is available for use solely at the discretion of the Dean for any worthy purpose in the School of Music, Theatre & Dance.

Dean Kendall received a Bachelor of Music degree from Antioch College in 1972 and a Master of Music degree from the University of Cincinnati College Conservatory of Music in 1974. He was the Director of the University of Maryland School of Music from 1996 to 2005. He joined the University Michigan in 2005 as Dean of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance and Professor of Music (Conducting).

Since assuming the leadership role in the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, Dean Kendall has been successfully engaged in collaborative efforts to grow the excellence of the School's faculty, students, and facilities. He is overseeing the completion of the Walgreen Drama Center on North Campus that will house the Arthur Miller Theatre, along with the departments of theater, drama and musical theater. Christopher Kendall is an accomplished leader and a superb musician. With enthusiasm, I recommend his appointment as the Paul Boylan Collegiate Professor of Music for a term concurrent with the deanship of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective August 1, 2005 through July 31, 2010.

Respectfully submitted,



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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Joseph S. Krajcik
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Education, with tenure
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Research
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Joseph S. Krajcik as Associate Dean for Research in the School of Education, effective August 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007.

Professor Krajcik received his B.A. in 1973 and M.S. in 1982 both from the University of Wisconsin and his Ph.D. degree from the University of Iowa in 1986. From 1977 to 1983, Professor Krajcik was a high school science teacher in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. From 1983 to 1986, he was an instructor at the University of Iowa and from 1986 to 1989 he was an assistant professor at the University of Maryland. He joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in 1990 as an assistant professor, promoted to associate professor in 1993 and was promoted to professor in 1994.

Professor Krajcik's research focuses on re-engineering science classrooms so that students engage in solving authentic, complex and intellectually challenging questions through investigations, collaboration and the use of computing and communication technologies. His goal is to create classroom environments where students are actively doing the intellectual work so that such educational environments help learners develop deep understanding of content as well as strategies for generating new understandings.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Joseph S. Krajcik as Associate Dean for Research in the School of Education, effective August 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Dean, School of Education



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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Vassilios Lambropoulos

CURRENT TITLES: C. P. Cavafy Professor of Modern Greek Studies, Professor of Modern Greek Studies, with tenure, Department of Classical Studies, and Professor of Comparative Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: C. P. Cavafy Professor of Modern Greek Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Classical Studies and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Vassilios Lambropoulos as the C. P. Cavafy Professor in Modern Greek Studies, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011. He also holds an appointment as adjunct assistant research scientist in the Kelsey Museum of Archeology.

As a result of a generous gift from the Foundation for Modern Greek Studies, the C. P. Cavafy Professor in Modern Greek Studies was established by the Regents in July 2001. This professorship is intended as a foundational element in the University's commitment to Modern Greek studies, from elementary language sequence through advanced cultural studies.

Vassilios Lambropoulos received his Bachelor of Arts from the University of Athens in 1975 and his Doctorate from the University of Thessaloniki in 1980. Following a postdoctoral appointment at the University of Birmingham, he began his teaching career as assistant professor at the Ohio State University in 1981 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1992. He joined our faculty as professor in 1999.

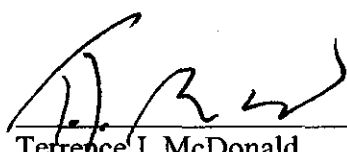
Professor Lambropoulos has continued to play an indispensable role in the Department of Classical Studies. He has helped to create one of the strongest programs in Modern Greek in the country with large and growing undergraduate enrollments. The Program has particular strength in literature, literary theory, travel narratives, diaspora, and popular culture. The presence of Modern Greek has broadened the intellectual scope of the Department and has offered new

opportunities for fundraising. In all of this, Professor Lambropoulos has played a key role. He is an indefatigable organizer of events, symposia, and celebrations. He is a well-published scholar who has produced another book on the timely topic of *Hubris* entitled *The Tragic Idea*, forthcoming from Duckworth Publishers.


We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Vassilios Lambropoulos as the C. P. Cavafy Professor in Modern Greek Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable 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 

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Magdalene Lampert

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: George Herbert Mead Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education

TERM: Five years, renewable

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

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Magdalene Lampert to the George Herbert Mead Collegiate Professor of Education, effective September 1, 2006 for a five-year term, with the possibility of renewal.

George Herbert Mead taught philosophy and psychology at the University of Michigan at a time when these two disciplines were developing a new perspective on the study of learning and teaching. He is a major figure in the history of American philosophy, one of the founders of Pragmatism along with Peirce, James, Tufts, and Dewey. Through his teaching, writing, and posthumous publications, he has exercised a significant influence in 20th century social theory, among both philosophers and social scientists. The George Herbert Mead Collegiate Professorship in Education was established by the Regents in August 2006. A stipend funded from School resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Lampert received her B.S. degree in 1969 from Chestnut Hill College. She earned a M.Ed. in 1971 from Temple University and a second M.Ed. in 1973 from Antioch New England Graduate School of Education. Her Ed.D. was awarded by Harvard University in 1981. From 1969 to 1972, Professor Lampert taught secondary mathematics and humanities in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. She served as assistant professor of education at Wheelock College and adjunct professor of teacher education at Lesley College before joining the faculty of the College of Education, Michigan State University in 1984 as an assistant professor. There, she was promoted to associate professor in 1986 and to professor in 1992. Professor Lampert joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in 1993.

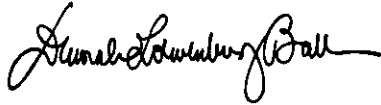
Professor Lampert teaches teacher education and mathematics education, especially focusing on understanding and portraying the world of classroom practice to the academic community, providing images of practice that make the proposed reforms in mathematics education concrete, and experimenting with interactive multimedia tools for both analyzing and representing the work of teaching mathematics for understanding in school.

Professor Lampert is a member of the National Academy of Education, and her work has been broadly influential both nationally and internationally. Her book, *Teaching Problems and Problems of Teaching*, is considered a landmark study of the practice of teaching. Several of her

journal articles are considered seminal in the field of education. Professor Lampert is also an outstanding teacher and highly sought after by students.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Magdalene Lampert to the George Herbert Mead Collegiate Professor of Education for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
William H. Payne Collegiate Professor
and Dean, School of Education

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

September 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Douglas Laycock

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

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Yale Kamisar Collegiate Professor of Law and Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School

TERM: Five Years

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

The Law School is pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Douglas Laycock as the Yale Kamisar Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Yale Kamisar was professor of law from 1957 to 2004. Professor Kamisar is best known for his work in constitutional criminal procedures, a field that his writings have transformed. The Yale Kamisar Collegiate Professorship in Law was established by the Regents in August 2006.

Professor Laycock received a B.A. with high honors from Michigan State University, The Honors College in 1970, and a J.D. *cum laude* in 1973 from the University of Chicago. Since completing his J.D., Professor Laycock clerked for Judge Walter Cummings, U.S. Court of Appeals for the 7th Circuit, 1973-74; from 1974-76 worked as a solo practitioner on complex civil litigation cases in association with attorneys in Chicago, Illinois; joined the University of Chicago Law School as an Assistant Professor in 1976; received tenure in 1980. In 1981 he joined the faculty of the University of Texas School of Law. He joined our faculty as professor of law, with tenure, September 2006.

Professor Laycock is widely recognized as one of the top two leading legal scholars in two different fields, the first being remedies, and the second being the U.S. Constitution's religion clauses. He has published two prominent and significant books as well as additional articles on remedies, and he has published many significant articles on various topics concerning religion, focusing on both the prohibition against the establishment of religion and the protection of religious liberty. Professor Laycock is also an accomplished Supreme Court and appellate advocate on issues of religious liberty, and he is widely known to be a person of great integrity and collegial energy.


Professor Laycock is a nationally renowned scholar and considered a leading academic of his generation. He has an eye for interesting and significant topics and, particularly in the field of

religious liberty, he has been integrally involved as a scholar, as a courtroom advocate, and as a legislative advisor on the most central and socially contested constitutional issues over the past 15 years. He has a long and strong record of being a valued colleague and a superb teacher.


We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Douglas Laycock to the Yale Kamisar Collegiate 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 Caminker
Dean, Law School



Mary Sue Coleman
President

September 2006

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Research Professorship
NAME: Yang Liu, Ph.D.
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Surgery, with tenure
RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Surgery, with tenure, and
Charles B. de Nançrède Research Professor of Surgery
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2006, through August 31, 2011

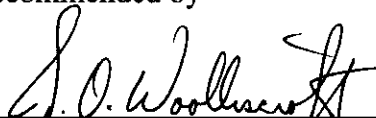
On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Coller Distinguished Professor of Surgery and Chair of the Department of Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Yang Liu, Ph.D., as the Charles B de Nançrède Research Professor of Surgery, effective August 1, 2006.

This research professorship was established in July 2006 and intended to recognize an outstanding faculty member in the Department of Surgery for superior achievement in education, clinical care, and research. Dr. de Nançrède came to the University of Michigan in 1889, where he pioneered surgical teaching methods, the use of x-ray technology and the use of anesthesia.


Dr. Liu joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in June 2006, and is Director of the Division of Immunotherapy within the Department of Surgery. He is a distinguished scientist in the field of cellular immunology. Dr. Liu has received international recognition for his studies on the mechanism of antigen presentation by tumor cells and the co-stimulatory process in immune responses.


Dr. Liu is an internationally recognized scholar in tumor immunology research. I am very pleased to recommend his appointment as the first Charles B. de Nançrède Research Professor of Surgery.

Recommended by


James O. Woolliscroft, MD
Interim 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: David K. Lubensky

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Norman M. Leff Assistant Professor of Physics and Assistant Professor of Physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years

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

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Physics and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of David K. Lubensky as the Norman M. Leff Assistant Professor of Physics for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2011.

As a result of a generous gift from Norman M. and Dale E. Leff, the Norman M. Leff Assistant Professorship in Physics was established by the Regents in July 2004. This assistant professorship is used to attract outstanding candidates to the University of Michigan.

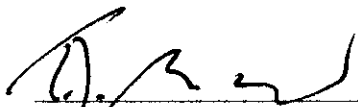
David Lubensky earned a Bachelor of Arts, *summa cum laude*, at Princeton University in 1994. He attended Harvard University where he received his Master of Arts in 1997 and Doctorate in 2001. He was appointed as a postdoctoral member of the technical staff at Bell Laboratories, Lucent Technologies (2001-2006). He joined our faculty as assistant professor in 2006.


Professor Lubensky is a theoretical biophysicist who is known for his work on DNA. His recent work on models of pattern formation in multi-cellular organisms reveals new facts about underlying processes.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of David K. Lubensky as the Norman M. Leff Assistant Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 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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September 2006

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Arthur Lupia

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

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Hal R. Varian Collegiate Professor of Political Science and Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Arthur Lupia as the Hal R. Varian Collegiate Professor of Political Science for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Hal Varian was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1977 to 1996. The Hal R. Varian Collegiate Professorship in Political Science was established by the Regents in August 2006. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

Arthur Lupia received a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Rochester in 1986. He attended the California Institute of Technology where he earned a Master of Science in 1988 and Doctorate in 1991. Professor Lupia began his teaching career at the University of California, San Diego, as an assistant professor in 1990 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1998. He joined our faculty as professor in 2001.

Professor Lupia is widely recognized as one of the world's leading scholars of politics in his generation. His work covers an extraordinary range, including electoral behavior, public opinion, and electronic media, among others. He studies politics in the United States and in Europe. He has written two books, edited two more, and is completing another. He has published nearly 50 scholarly articles and book chapters – the articles appearing in the top journals and the chapters in distinguished and influential collections. He has won numerous awards and was most recently inducted into the American Association for the Advancement of Science (2004).


Professor Lupia is a dedicated and successful teacher in and out of the classroom. His courses are challenging, yet students testify to his remarkable generosity. By giving them his full and

patient attention, he instills in them a sense of confidence. He is a conscientious and effective force for the common good – both at the departmental level and to the discipline as a whole – and has compiled a record of extraordinary, high-level service.


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Arthur Lupia as the Hal R. Varian Collegiate Professor of Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable 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

September 2006

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Arvind-Pal S. Mandair

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Asian Languages and Cultures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Tara Singh and Balwant Kaur Chattha and Gurbax Singh and Kirpal Kaur Brar Sikh Studies Professor and Assistant Professor of Asian Languages and Cultures, 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 Asian Languages and Cultures, and with the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Arvind-Pal S. Mandair as the Tara Singh and Balwant Kaur Chattha and Gurbax Singh and Kirpal Kaur Brar Sikh Studies Professor for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Arvind-Pal Mandair received his Bachelor of Science, with first class honors, from the Council for National Academic Awards in 1985 and his Master of Arts from the University of Warwick in 1994. He was awarded a Doctorate in chemistry from Aston University in 1989 and a Doctorate in philosophy and religion from the University of Warwick in 1998. Professor Mandair was a research fellow at the University of London (1999-2001) prior to joining the faculty at Hofstra University as the S. K. K. Bindra Endowed Chair in Sikh Studies and assistant professor in 2001. He joined our faculty as assistant professor in 2006.

Professor Mandair is a highly productive scholar whose work is rigorous, deeply grounded, theoretically sophisticated, and interdisciplinary. He is co-author of *Teaching of the Sikh Gurus: Selections from Sikh Scriptures* (2005) and author of numerous articles in leading academic journals, including the *Journal of the American Academy of Religion* and the *Bulletin of the School of Oriental and African Studies*, among others. He is the founder and editor of a new journal, *Sikh Formations: Religion, Culture, and Theory*, and has submitted a book prospectus to the University of Chicago Press entitled *Religion and the Politics of Translation: Sikhism, India, and the Spectre of the West*.


Professor Mandair has been a very successful instructor and has taught large survey courses as well as small upper-level seminars. Peer teaching observations/evaluations attest to his

excellence and students find his overall performance to be outstanding. He also has an exemplary service record. In addition to the normal departmental and university service, he has been active in a wide range of community work, including the organization of eight conferences and outreach programs aimed at extending instruction in Sikh Studies to members of the community beyond the local environs.

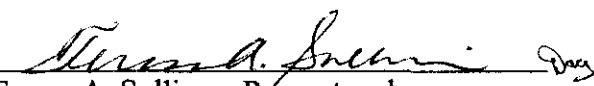
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Arvind-Pal S. Mandair as the Tara Singh and Balwant Kaur Chattha and Gurbax Singh and Kirpal Kaur Brar Sikh Studies Professor for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

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

September 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Howard Markel, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of History, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts; Professor of Health Management and Policy, without tenure, School of Public Health; Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure; Professor of Psychiatry, without tenure; and George E. Wantz, M.D. Professor in the History of Medicine, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: George E. Wantz, M.D. Professor in the History of Medicine, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2005, through August 31, 2011

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Howard Markel, M.D., Ph.D., as the George E. Wantz, M.D. Professor in the History of Medicine, for the period October 1, 2005, through August 31, 2011.

This professorship was established on July 1, 2000, and intended to support the activities of the Director of the Historical Center for the Health Sciences at the University of Michigan Medical School.

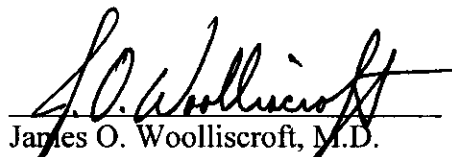
Dr. Markel joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1993 as Assistant Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases and advanced through the academic ranks to achieve his current title as Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases in 2002. He also holds faculty appointments as Professor of Psychiatry, Professor of History, and Professor of Health Management and Policy.

Dr. Markel was named Director of the Historical Center for the Health Sciences in 1996. His background as a medical historian brings a unique perspective to the University of Michigan and to the arena of academic medicine. His research and writings on historical trends in public health policies dealing with epidemics and quarantine have been cited by authorities in the field as significant, scholarly, and thought provoking. Dr. Markel frequently is invited to present his work at national and international venues.

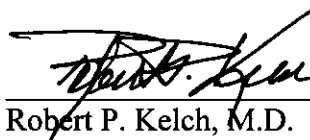
Dr. Markel is a nationally and internationally recognized medical historian who has ably directed the programs of the Historical Center for the Health Sciences since 1996. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Howard Markel, M.D., Ph.D., as the George E. Wantz, M.D. Professor in the History of Medicine.

Recommended by

Recommendation endorsed by



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




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



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



Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
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Kenneth E. Warner, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

**INTERIM APPROVAL
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August 2006

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Titled Professorship
NAME: Djordje Milićević
TITLE: T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics
TERM: Three Years, Non-renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Mathematics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Djordje Milićević as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics for a three-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

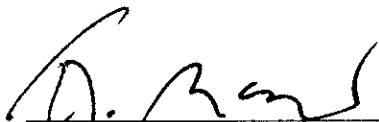
The T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships are awarded in honor of T.H. Hildebrandt, who long served the Department of Mathematics as professor and chair, and whose work brought much distinction upon the University. Individuals named as T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professors are given a reduced teaching load to allow them to concentrate to a greater degree on their research. In nominating mathematicians for the T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships, preference is given to those candidates whose doctorate was received within the last two years.


Djordje Milićević was awarded a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Belgrade in 2000 and Doctorate from Princeton University in 2006. His current research interests include analytic theory of automorphic L -functions. He received the Grand First Prize in the International Mathematics Competition for University Students (1999) and First Prize (1997). He was a Fellow of the Serbian Academy of Sciences and the Arts (1999-2000) and Visiting Research Fellow at Moscow State University (2000).

We are pleased to recommend that Djordje Milićević be appointed as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics for a three-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 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


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

August 2006

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Jeffrey E. Mirel

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education; and Professor of History, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: David L. Angus Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education

TERM: Five years, renewable

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

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Jeffrey E. Mirel to the David L. Angus Collegiate Professor of Education, effective September 1, 2006 for a five-year term, with the possibility of renewal.

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. He 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. The David L. Angus Collegiate Professorship in Education was established by the Regents in July 2006. A stipend funded from School resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Mirel earned his B.A. degree from Ohio State University in 1970; an M.A. degree from Ohio State University in 1971 and an M.A. from the University of Michigan in 1982; he received his Ph.D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1984. He joined the faculty of Northern Illinois University in 1984 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor in 1990 and to professor in 1995. In 1998, he moved to Emory University as professor and director of the Division of Educational Studies; he was also an associated faculty member in the Department of History. Professor Mirel joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in January of 2001 and serves as associate dean in the School of Education from 2002 to 2005.

Professor Mirel's major areas of interest are the history and politics of urban education and the history of school reform, particularly high school curriculum reform. He is the author of *The Rise and Fall of an Urban School System: Detroit 1907-81* which won the 1995 Outstanding Book Award of the American Educational Research Association and the 1995-96 Outstanding Book Award of the History of Education Society. His most recent book, co-authored with David Angus, is *The Failed Promise of the American High School; 1890-1995* was published in 1999. He is currently working on the history of civic education.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jeffrey E. Mirel to the David L. Angus Collegiate Professor of Education for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:

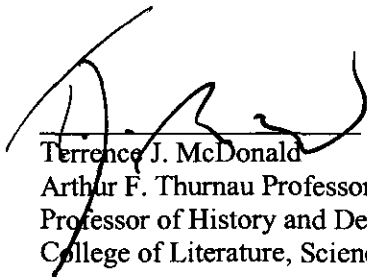
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Dean, School of Education



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



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

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August 2006

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September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Titled Professorship
NAME: Sophie Morier-Genoud
TITLE: T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics
TERM: Three Years, Non-renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009


On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Mathematics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sophie Morier-Genoud as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics for a three-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

The T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships are awarded in honor of T.H. Hildebrandt, who long served the Department of Mathematics as professor and chair, and whose work brought much distinction upon the University. Individuals named as T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professors are given a reduced teaching load to allow them to concentrate to a greater degree on their research. In nominating mathematicians for the T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships, preference is given to those candidates whose doctorate was received within the last two years.

Sophie Morier-Genoud attended the University of Lyon where she received her Master of Science in 2002 and Doctorate in 2006. Her current research area is representation theory of finite-dimensional semi-simple Lie algebras. She has three publications and has delivered four presentations at invited seminars.

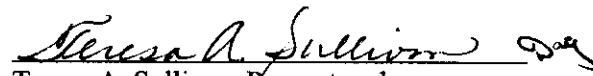
We are pleased to recommend that Sophie Morier-Genoud be appointed as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics for a three-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

Recommended by:


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

August 2006

Recommendation endorsed by:


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

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GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Judith S. Olson

CURRENT TITLES: Richard W. Pew Collegiate Professor of Human-Computer Interaction, Professor of Information, with tenure, and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, School of Information, Professor of Computer and Information Systems, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Psychology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Richard W. Pew Collegiate Professor of Human-Computer Interaction

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

The faculty of the School of Information with the approval of the Deans of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Stephen M. Ross School of Business recommend the reappointment of Judith S. Olson, as the Richard W. Pew Collegiate Professor of Human-Computer Interaction for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2010.

Richard W. Pew was a professor of Psychology at the University of Michigan from 1963-1974. The Richard W. Pew Collegiate Professorship in Human-Computer Interaction was established by the Regents in December 2000.

Professor Olson was educated at Northwestern University (B.A., 1965), and the University of Michigan (M.A., 1967, Ph.D., 1969). She was first on the University of Michigan faculty from 1970-1980, where she earned tenure in the Department of Psychology. After three years at Bell Labs, 1980-1983, she returned to Michigan, with her primary appointment in the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and title in the Psychology Department. Since 1995 she has also been a charter faculty member of the School of Information.

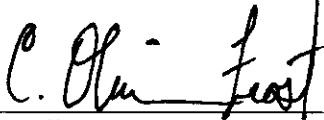
Professor Olson's scholarship and contributions to the field were recently recognized by the CHI Lifetime Achievement Award, an honor given by the international conference on human-

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 her contributions to forming the School of Information, Professor Olson has been a senior researcher in the Cognitive Science and Machine Intelligence Laboratory and then the Collaboratory for Research on Electronic Work, both cross-campus research programs supporting multi-disciplinary research on cognitive and social issues concerning new information technologies. She has led the development of the Human-Computer Interaction Program at the School of Information, and has served on key faculty committees at both the Business School and the School of Information.

Professor Olson is a leading authority on both how to design technology to fit human needs and capabilities and how information technology can be used to support remote work and intensely collocated work. She is frequently invited to give talks and serve on national task forces on these topics, including the National Research Council's Committee on Human Factors. She has an excellent record of securing research funding from both the National Science Foundation and corporate sources. In addition, she is an outstanding teacher, receiving the AMOCO Outstanding Teaching Award early in her career.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Judith S. Olson as the Richard W. Pew Collegiate Professor of Human-Computer Interaction for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY:

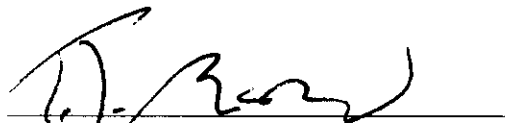


C. Olivia Frost
Interim Dean, School of Information

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



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

**INTERIM APPROVAL
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of a Professional Administrative Appointment

NAME: Marilynn E. Paine

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Assistant Vice President for Medical Affairs and Chief of Staff

TERM: Two Years

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs recommends the appointment of Marilynn E. Paine as Assistant Vice President for Medical Affairs effective September 1, 2006, for a two-year renewable term.

Ms. Paine earned her Nursing degree from Eastern Kentucky University in 1971 and her Masters in Public Health with a concentration in Health Services Administration and a minor concentration in epidemiology and biostatistics from Boston University. She has worked in the Office of the Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs since 1999 and currently holds the title of Chief of Staff.

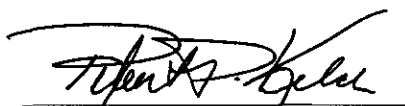
Ms. Paine brings breadth and depth to this role. Prior to coming to the University of Michigan, she designed clinical trials at both Tufts University and Yale University, and served as a clinical instructor in the Yale Graduate School of Nursing. Since joining the University of Michigan staff in 1990, she has been instrumental in designing the Medical School curriculum, planning and program design of the East Ann Arbor Health Center, developing the Medical Staff Services Office in the Office of Clinical Affairs and developing Clinical Information and Decision Support Services to support clinical quality initiatives.


More recently while in the Office of the Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs, Ms. Paine led the redesign of the Health System Compliance Office, has overseen a successful search for Hospital and Health Centers CEO, has played a major role in the Michigan Healthy Community Initiative, and played a major role in launching the Faculty Group Practice/Ambulatory Care Services progressive integration process. Her responsibilities have grown steadily over the past two to three years as she is committed to achieving the Health System strategic goals.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Marilyn E. Paine as Assistant Vice President for Medical Affairs, effective September 1, 2006 for a two-year renewable term.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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**INTERIM APPROVAL
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September 22, 2006

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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: James E. Penner-Hahn

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Chair, Biophysics Research Division

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, and Associate Dean for Natural Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Three Years

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

The Dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommends the additional appointment of James E. Penner-Hahn as Associate Dean for Natural Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009. This appointment is subject to satisfactory performance, conduct, and continued funding.

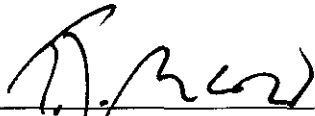
James Penner-Hahn received his Bachelor of Science from Purdue University in 1979 and Doctorate from Stanford University in 1984. He began his teaching career as assistant professor at the University of Michigan in 1985 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1994. He was appointed associate faculty member of the Biophysics Research Division (BRD) in 1991 and has been Chair of BRD since 2002. He served as Associate Chair for Undergraduate Affairs in the Department of Chemistry (1995-1998), on the Department's Executive Committee (1992-1995; 1999-2000), was a member of the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies' Executive Board (1997-2000), and Associate Vice President for Research (2000-2002).

Professor Penner-Hahn's current research interests include biophysical chemistry and physical inorganic chemistry. He is the author of over 170 publications in peer-reviewed journals and is on the editorial boards for the *Journal of Inorganic Biochemistry* and the *Journal of Biological Inorganic Chemistry*. He is a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and was recently named a Senior Fellow in the Michigan Society of Fellows. Other recognition for his research and teaching include fellowships from the Dreyfus (1985), Sloan (1991-1993), and Fogarty Foundations (1998-1999); the Akron Section Award of the American Chemical Society (2000); the Farrel Lytle Award (2003); and the University's Faculty Recognition Award (1994).

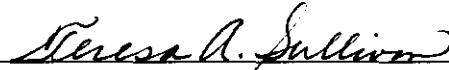
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of James E. Penner-Hahn as Associate Dean for Natural Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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

August 2006

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Elizabeth M. Petty, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Human Genetics, without tenure

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Student Programs, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 1, 2006

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Elizabeth M. Petty, M.D., as Associate Dean for Student Programs, effective October 1, 2006. Dr. Petty replaces Dr. Brian Zink who recently resigned his faculty and administrative appointments at this institution.

The Associate Dean for Student Programs provides leadership for the Medical School's programs which support medical students including admissions, financial aid, orientation, counseling, and graduation. Dr. Petty will provide direction and support for these services and programs and will serve as the primary liaison between the medical students and the Medical School Administration.

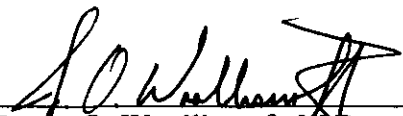
Dr. Petty received the M.D. degree from the University of Wisconsin, where she also pursued a pediatric internship and residency training. She then completed a fellowship in medical genetics and a fellowship in clinical molecular genetics at the Yale School of Medicine. Dr. Petty joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine in 1994 and received a secondary appointment in 1996 as Assistant Professor of Human Genetics. She was promoted to her current rank of Associate Professor in 2000.

While maintaining an active basic science research program and a clinical practice, Dr. Petty also has acquired significant experience in medical education, including teaching, mentoring, and counseling. She has been a key instructor in the first-year medical student genetics course and also directed medical student and resident rotations in clinical genetics. She has been a lecturer and small group leader for first-year medical students over the past 10 years and served as a research mentor for second-year medical students in the Summer Biomedical Fellowship Program. She also has served as

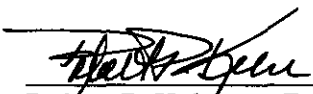
medical director for the Genetic Counselor Training Program since 1996. Dr. Petty has held membership on several key Medical School committees, including curriculum, student awards, and student biomedical research, as well as committees for the Comprehensive Cancer Center and the Life Sciences Initiative—Values and Society Program. She has been engaged in considerable outreach to the community and frequently participates in discussions on medical ethics, as well as presenting testimony before the State of Michigan Legislature on the issue of protection against genetic discrimination.

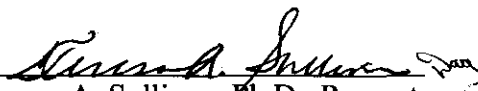
It is the judgment of the Executive Committee that Dr. Petty is well qualified to hold this administrative post. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Elizabeth M. Petty, M.D., as Associate Dean for Student Programs, Medical School.

Recommended by


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

Recommendation endorsed by


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


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

September 2006

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Peter A. Railton

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, John Stephenson Perrin Professor, and Professor of Philosophy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: John Stephenson Perrin Professor, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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 reappointment of Peter A. Railton as the John Stephenson Perrin Professor for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

As a result of a generous gift from George Marshall Perrin, the John Stephenson Perrin Professorship was established by the Regents in July 1995 and revised in December 2000. This professorship is intended to strengthen present efforts in the area of undergraduate education by the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and will be an enduring benefit to the University of Michigan and to future generations.

Peter Railton received his Bachelor of Arts at Harvard University in 1971 and Doctorate at Princeton University in 1980. Professor Railton joined our faculty as assistant professor in 1979 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1990. He has received fellowships from the Society for the Humanities (Cornell University, 1987), the American Council of Learned Societies (1988, 2000), and the National Endowment for the Humanities (1999). He was appointed Thurnau Professor in 1989 and the John Stephenson Perrin Professor in 2001.

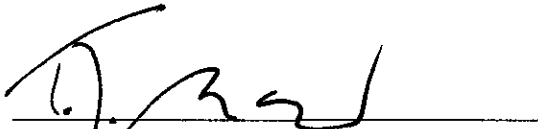
Professor Railton ranks among the most distinguished philosophers of his generation. He is a leading figure in ethics and the philosophy of science. In the years since he first received the Perrin, he received a Guggenheim Fellowship (2001) – a rare honor for a philosopher – and was elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences (2004). As further evidence of his high professional standing, Cambridge University Press recently published a volume of his collected papers entitled *Facts, Values, and Norms: Essays Toward a Morality of Consequence*.


Professor Railton is an uncommonly talented and dedicated instructor of both undergraduate and graduate students. He has been more than willing to teach large undergraduate classes and has served as chair or member of eight dissertation committees since 2001. He has also done more than his share of departmental and College service, including Chair of the Department of Philosophy (2002-2004) and member of the Humanities Divisional Evaluation Committee (2005-2006).

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Peter A. Railton as the John Stephenson Perrin Professor, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable 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

August 2006

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Douglas O. Richstone

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Astronomy, with tenure, and Chair, Department of Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Lawrence H. Aller Collegiate Professor of Astronomy, Professor of Astronomy, with tenure, and Chair, Department of Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Douglas O. Richstone as the Lawrence H. Aller Collegiate Professor of Astronomy for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Lawrence H. Aller was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1948 to 1962. The Lawrence H. Aller Collegiate Professorship in Astronomy was established by the Regents in July 2006. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Richstone received his Bachelor of Science from the California Institute of Technology in 1971 and Doctorate from Princeton University in 1975. He came to the University of Michigan as a visiting professor in 1980, joined our faculty as assistant professor in 1982, and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1988. He has held appointments at the National Observatory of Japan, the Institute for Advanced Study, and the Institute for Theoretical Physics at the University of California in Santa Barbara. He is currently on the NASA Space Sciences Advisory Committee and the AURA Oversight Committee for Gemini, and was past chair of the Space Telescope Institute Council (the committee that oversees and sets the scientific agenda of the Hubble Space Telescope). He was Chair of the Department of Astronomy from 1985 to 1990 and was reappointed in 2000.

Professor Richstone is internationally known for his scientific research. His investigations demonstrating the existence of massive black holes at the centers of many galaxies, and the relationship between black hole mass and galaxy mass constitute one of the major achievements in astronomy and astrophysics in the past two decades. He is the leader of an international collaboration of ten scientists studying the nuclei of galaxies and is a member of the Large

Interferometry Space Antenna (LISA) Science Team. He has nearly 200 scholarly publications and nearly 800 citations rank him among the most productive and influential of researchers in astrophysics.

During his career at Michigan, Professor Richstone has taught and advised numerous students. Two have become leading theorists in their research areas. Over the last five years, he has created or made enormous changes to three upper level classes. One of these was extremely challenging because of the rapid developments in our understanding over the last few years. Students have said that he gives well-organized and lucid lectures, and was very approachable during and after class.

Professor Richstone has served on many committees at the departmental, College, and University level. He is on his second consecutive term chairing the Department of Astronomy, which has changed dramatically over the last several years, and his leadership has been the essential factor in this development. He has also provided meritorious service to a number of influential national committees.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Douglas O. Richstone as the Lawrence H. Aller Collegiate Professor of Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



Terrence J. McDonald,
Arthur F. Thuman 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: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Terry E. Robinson

CURRENT TITLES: Elliot S. Valenstein Collegiate Professor of Behavioral Neuroscience and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Elliot S. Valenstein Collegiate Professor of Behavioral Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 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 Terry E. Robinson as the Elliot S. Valenstein Collegiate Professor of Behavioral Neuroscience for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Elliot Valenstein held an appointment at the University of Michigan as professor of psychology from 1970 to 1994. The Elliot Valenstein Collegiate Professorship in Behavioral Science was established by the Regents in June 2001 and corrected to the Elliot Valenstein Collegiate Professorship in Behavioral Neuroscience in September 2001. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Terry Robinson earned his Bachelor of Arts in psychology at the University of Lethbridge in 1972, his Master of Arts in physiological psychology at the University of Saskatchewan in 1974, and his doctorate at the University of Western Ontario in 1978. Professor Robinson began his teaching career as a lecturer in the Department of Psychology at the University of Western Ontario in 1977. He joined our faculty in 1978 as assistant professor of psychology and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1989.

Professor Robinson's research program is among the most influential in the Department of Psychology. He continues to make outstanding substantive and theoretical contributions in neuroscience, specifically in the areas of neuroplasticity and drug addiction. He is an active collaborator and is one of the most highly cited faculty in the Department. His scientific leadership contributed to a recent ranking as the best behavioral neuroscience program in the country. Since his original nomination in 2000, he has published over 55 peer-reviewed

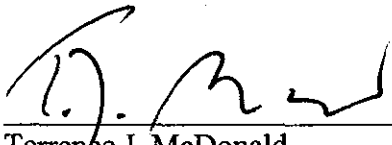
articles, several in top journals. He was also awarded the prestigious Merit Award from the National Institute on Drug Abuse.

Professor Robinson takes teaching seriously. He regularly teaches a large upper division course that is well received by students even though the course is academically challenging. His ratings are consistently in the mid to high range. He supervises at least ten undergraduates each semester in his laboratory, and he has an active contingent of graduate students. He is also actively involved in service at all levels of this University and he continues to serve as Editor-in-Chief of *Behavioural Brain Research*.

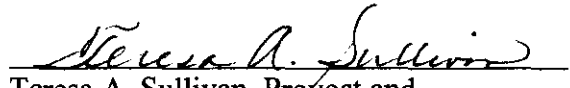
We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Terry E. Robinson as the Elliot S. Valenstein Collegiate Professor of Behavioral Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

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

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REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Endowed Professorship
NAME: Cindy A. Schipani
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Business Law, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Merwin H. Waterman Collegiate Professor of Business Administration
TERM: Five Years
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011

Upon the recommendation of the Dean and the Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Cindy A. Schipani, Professor of Business Law, be named the Merwin H. Waterman Collegiate Professor of Business Administration, for a five year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

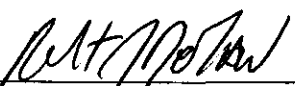
The Merwin H. Waterman Collegiate Professorship in Business Administration was approved at the July 1994 Regents meeting with an effective date of September 1, 1994. Funding for the professorship is provided through unrestricted private funds of the School of Business Administration and through contributions by the Waterman family. The purpose of the professorship is to recognize achievements in and foster development of research in international finance and capitalization. Appointment to the professorship is for five years, and is renewable.

Professor Schipani received her B.A. degree from Michigan State University in 1979 and her J.D. degree from the University of Chicago Law School in 1982. She joined the Stephen M. Ross School of Business as Assistant Professor in 1986, and was promoted to Associate Professor, with tenure, in 1993 and Professor in 1997. She has held many prestigious visiting positions, including Parsons Fellow at the University of Sydney Faculty of Law (Australia) and Visiting Scholar at Erasmus University in Rotterdam.

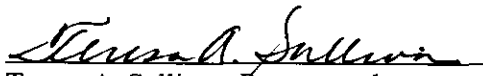

Dr. Schipani is an accomplished researcher with an impressive list of publications and conference presentations. She has received numerous awards and honors. She has served as staff editor of the *American Business Law Association Journal* and is referee for several prestigious journals. She has been the Area Chair for Law, History and Communication in the Stephen M. Ross School of Business since 1996.

We wish to honor Professor Schipani for her outstanding record and to support her professional endeavors by naming her the Merwin H. Waterman Collegiate Professor of Business Administration, effective September 1, 2006.

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 

September 2006

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Susan L. Siegfried

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of the History of Art, with tenure, and Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Acting Director, Women's Studies Program, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: One Year

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

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the appointment of Susan L. Siegfried as Acting Director of the Women's Studies Program for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2007.

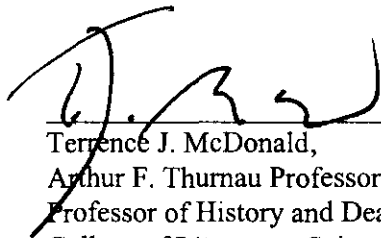
Susan Siegfried earned her Bachelor of Arts at Wellesley College in 1971. She attended Harvard University where she received her Master of Arts in 1976 and Doctorate in 1980. Professor Siegfried began her teaching career as an assistant professor at Northwestern University in 1980. She was appointed Rhodes Visiting Fellow at the University of Oxford (1982-1985), and then recruited by the J. Paul Getty Trust as research projects manager of the Getty Art History Information Program (1985-1995). She was appointed professor at the University of Leeds in 1996 and joined our faculty in 2002.

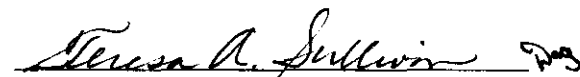
Professor Siegfried's field is late eighteenth- and early nineteenth-century French painting. Specific research topics include gender and viewing in the thematics of art, especially painting and social spaces for viewing art. She is an exceptionally effective instructor and a generous mentor of students.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Susan L. Siegfried as Acting Director of the Women's Studies Program, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Sidonie A. Smith

CURRENT TITLES: Martha Guernsey Colby Collegiate Professor of English and Women's Studies, Chair and Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, and Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Martha Guernsey Colby Collegiate Professor of English and Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five years, renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Sidonie A. Smith as the Martha Guernsey Colby Collegiate Professor of English and Women's Studies for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Martha Guernsey Colby was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1921 until her retirement in 1950. The Martha Guernsey Colby Collegiate Professorship in English and Women's Studies was established by the Regents in August 2001. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Sidonie Smith earned both her Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts at the University of Michigan in 1966 and completed her Doctorate at Case Western Reserve University in 1971. Professor Smith began her teaching career as assistant professor at the University of Arizona in 1973 and was promoted to associate professor in 1978. She was appointed associate professor at Binghamton University in 1983 and promoted to professor in 1989. She joined our faculty as professor in 1996. She has been Chair of the Department of English Language and Literature since 2003.

Professor Smith is one of the most visible and prolific scholars and theorists of female autobiography with six books, seven co-edited volumes, a co-edited book forthcoming, and numerous scholarly articles. She has been a leader in establishing women's first person writing in the canon of English and American literature, and as her productivity confirms, she has continued to

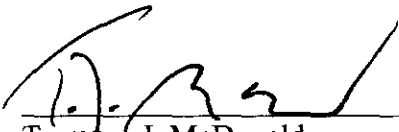
expand her range of vision. Along with that, she expanded the range of what we think of as autobiographical writing and what we think of as "life-writing."

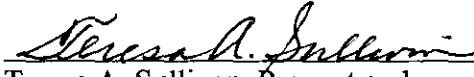
Professor Smith's scholarship, her daunting intellectual energy and output, as well as her proven commitment to the ideal of collaborative work all confirm her stature in her profession. She continues to receive numerous invitations to deliver keynote speeches at national conferences and lectures at universities abroad, to review programs at other institutions, to serve on important committees, and she has recently been elected as a member of the executive council of the Modern Language Association. She also serves on the editorial boards of *Modern Fiction Studies*, *A/B: Auto/Biography Studies*, and *New England Women's Diaries* Projects, among others.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Sidonie A. Smith as the Martha Guernsey Colby Collegiate Professor of English and Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Titled Professorship
NAME: Alexander I. Sotirov
TITLE: T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics
TERM: Three Years, Non-renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009

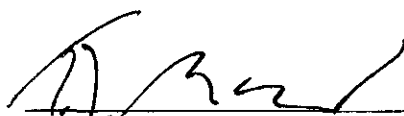
On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Mathematics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Alexander I. Sotirov as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics for a three-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

The T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships are awarded in honor of T.H. Hildebrandt, who long served the Department of Mathematics as professor and chair, and whose work brought much distinction upon the University. Individuals named as T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professors are given a reduced teaching load to allow them to concentrate to a greater degree on their research. In nominating mathematicians for the T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships, preference is given to those candidates whose doctorate was received within the last two years.

Alexander Sotirov received his Bachelor of Arts, *summa cum laude*, from Columbia University in 2002. He attended Stanford University where he was awarded a Master of Science and Doctorate in 2006. His current research interests include partial differential equations and kinetic theory. He has published two papers and was an instructor during summer quarter 2005 at Stanford. He received the Waldemar Trjitzinsky Mathematical Award from the American Mathematical Society in 2001.

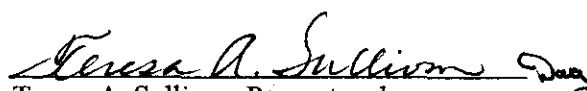
We are pleased to recommend that Alexander I. Sotirov be appointed as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics for a three-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

Recommended by:


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

August 2006

Recommendation endorsed by:


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

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Kathleen M. Sutcliffe

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Faculty Development and Research, and Professor of Organizational Behavior and Human Resource Management, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Gilbert and Ruth Whitaker Professor of Business Administration

TERM: Five Year Term

EFFECTIVE DATE: 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 appointment of Kathleen M. Sutcliffe as the Gilbert and Ruth Whitaker Professor of Business Administration effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

This professorship was established by friends and supporters of Gilbert and Ruth Whitaker, through their generous financial commitment and approved by the Regents in 1999. Gilbert Whitaker was Dean of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business from 1979-1990, and Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs at the University of Michigan from 1990-1995. This professorship is intended for a senior tenured faculty member who can provide immediate prominence in higher education and help increase knowledge and understanding of business theory and practice through research and instruction. The professorship can be held for a five year term with the possibility of renewal.

Professor Sutcliffe received her PhD from the University of Texas in 1991 and moved to Michigan in 1994 after three years at the University of Minnesota. She was tenured in 2001 and promoted to Professor in 2005.

As Associate Dean Professor Sutcliffe has primary responsibility for faculty research and development and the School's doctoral program. Professor Sutcliffe has served as core course coordinator in management and organizations for many years, and for the past several years has chaired the School's Doctoral Studies Committee while also serving as doctoral coordinator for the area.

Professor Sutcliffe has also achieved international stature as an intellectual leader in Management & Organizations through her sustained accumulation of research on organizational cognition, resilience, and medical safety. She has demonstrated her

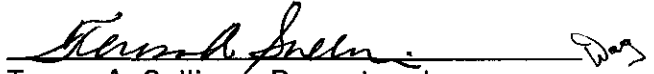
commitment to service at the school and in the profession more broadly. Professor Sutcliffe will most certainly continue to provide prominence in higher education and research. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Kathleen Sutcliffe as the Gilbert and Ruth Whitaker Professor of Business Administration effective 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

September 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Titled Professorship

NAME: Jan Svejnar

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Public Policy, with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, Professor of Economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Everett E. Berg Professor of Business Administration, and Professor of Business Economics, Corporate Strategy and International Business, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Everett E. Berg Professor of Business Administration, 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 Jan Svejnar as the Everett E. Berg Professor of Business Administration, effective September 1, 2006. Dr. Svejnar was first appointed to the Everett E. Berg Professorship in 1996.


Jan Svejnar joined the faculty of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business in 1996 and assumed leadership of the William Davidson Institute until 2004. Prior to that time he had been at the University of Pittsburgh as Distinguished Service Professor of Economics and had also been the Director of the Economics Institute at the Academy of Science of the Czech Republic in Prague.

Professor Svejnar is one of the leading scholars working on the economic problems of transitional economies. His academic work is considered to be innovative and, in some cases, path-breaking, and he has been almost uniquely influential in bringing serious economic analysis to bear on the problems of transitional economies. In addition, he has an extraordinary record as an institution builder, and is internationally recognized for his leadership of the Center for Economic Research and Graduate Education at Charles University, Prague and for his leadership during his tenure as Director of the William Davidson Institute in the Stephen M. Ross School of Business. His academic excellence and institutional leadership bring enormous value to the Ross School of Business, and his international reputation and relationships perfectly complement our developing global programs.

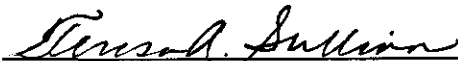
Jan Svejnar is an excellent scholar and an outstanding leader in the transition of socialist economies to market-based economies. As holder of the Everett Berg chair, he honors the intent of the chair to honor a nationally recognized senior professor in a programmatic area offering maximum strategic value to the Ross Business School. We enthusiastically recommend his reappointment as the Everett E. Berg Professor of Business Administration for a five-year term, from September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.


RECOMMENDED BY:

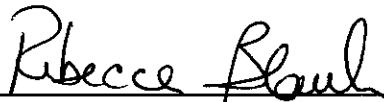
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:




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



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



Rebecca M. Blank,
Joan and Sandford Weill Dean
of Public Policy
Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy



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

September 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Sarah G. Thomason

CURRENT TITLES: William J. Gedney Collegiate Professor of Linguistics and Professor of Linguistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: William J. Gedney Collegiate Professor of Linguistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five years, renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Sarah G. Thomason as the William J. Gedney Collegiate Professor of Linguistics for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

William Gedney served on the faculty at the University of Michigan from 1960 to 1981 and was chair of Linguistics from 1972 to 1975. The William J. Gedney Collegiate Professorship in Linguistics was established by the Regents in August 2001. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Sarah Thomason earned her Bachelor of Arts at Stanford University in 1961. She attended Yale University where she completed her Master of Arts in 1965 and Doctorate in 1968. Professor Thomason began her teaching career as an instructor at the University of Pittsburgh in 1967 and was a lecturer at Yale University from 1968 to 1972. She returned to the University of Pittsburgh as a visiting assistant professor in 1972, was appointed assistant professor in 1973, and promoted through the ranks to professor in 1986.

Professor Thomason is one of the world's leading authorities on language contact and language change, and she has continued to cement this pre-eminent position in her research over the past five years. She seeks out ways to convey the significance of her scholarship to the community of scholars, her students, and the general public. In addition to her 2001 textbook that is expected to become a standard reference, she has added 15 papers either published or in press to her curriculum vitae.

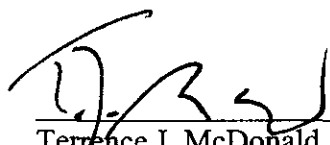
The long list of academic honors and appointments that Professor Thomason has received is striking evidence of her outstanding reputation. In 2001, she was elected to the Executive Committees of both the Linguistics Society of America and the Society for the Study of Indigenous Languages of the Americas. She served as Secretary of the Linguistics and Language Sciences section of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (2001-2005) and is a member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology (2001-2006). These elections and appointments reflect more than her standing in the field; they indicate as well her colleagues' recognition of her integrity, breadth of knowledge, and interest in reaching out to a wide-ranging scholarly community.

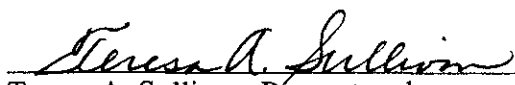
Professor Thomason brings to her teaching the same enthusiasm for making linguistics, and especially issues surrounding multilingualism and language change, broadly accessible. A notable contribution over the past two years has been her efforts to help develop the Department's new undergraduate track *Linguistics in a Multicultural World*, including a course that focused on global multilingualism. She has also thrown herself wholeheartedly into the service of the Department, the College, and the University.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Sarah G. Thomason as the William J. Gedney Collegiate Professor of Linguistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable 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

August 2006

**INTERIM APPROVAL
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

ACTION REQUESTED: Correction to effective date of appointment

NAME: Huey-Ming Tzeng


In the March 2006 Regents Communication requesting Huey-Ming Tzeng be appointed as Associate Professor of Nursing, without tenure, her appointment effective date was noted incorrectly. Following is the corrected appointment effective date.

Effective Date: September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2011


Please accept this correction and our apologies for the inconsistency in Dr. Huey-Ming Tzeng's appointment information.

Recommended By:

Recommendation Endorsed By:



Richard W. Redman
Interim Dean and Professor,
School of Nursing



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

September 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

- ACTION REQUEST:** Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member
- NAME:** John H. Vandermeer
- CURRENT TITLES:** Arthur F. Thurnau Professor; Margaret Davis Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology; Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts; and Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, without tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment
- ADDITIONAL TITLE:** Acting Chair, Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
- EFFECTIVE DATES:** September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2007

The Dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts is pleased to recommend the appointment of John H. Vandermeer as Acting Chair of the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2007.

John Vandermeer received his Bachelor of Science from the University of Illinois in 1962, Master of Science from the University of Kansas in 1964, and Doctorate from the University of Michigan in 1968. Following an appointment as a Sloan Foundation Postdoctoral Fellow at the University of Chicago, Professor Vandermeer joined our faculty as assistant professor in 1970. He was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1981. He has also held an appointment as professor in the School of Natural Resources and Environment since 2003.

Professor Vandermeer's scholarship has been in three major areas of ecology: theoretical ecology, tropical rain forest ecology, and agricultural ecology. He has been extraordinarily productive with nine books (both popular and academic), over 140 scholarly articles and book chapters, and numerous other articles communicating scientific concerns to the public. He has served as associate editor or consulting editor of several prestigious journals and given talks at numerous seminars and symposia around the world.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of John H. Vandermeer as Acting Chair of the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2007.

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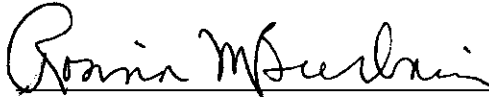


Terrence J. McDonald
Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,
Professor of History and Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts



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

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GRANTED**



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

August 2006

Approved by the Regents

September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Rob Van der Voo

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Frank H. T. Rhodes Collegiate Professor of Geological Sciences, and Professor of Geological Sciences, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Frank H. T. Rhodes Collegiate Professor of Geological Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Geological Sciences and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Rob Van der Voo as the Frank H. T. Rhodes Collegiate Professor of Geological Sciences for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

Frank H. T. Rhodes was professor of geology from 1968 to 1977. He was also appointed dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts (1971-1974) and vice-president for academic affairs (1974-1977). He left the University of Michigan to become president of Cornell University. The Frank H. T. Rhodes Collegiate Professorship in Geological Sciences was established by the Regents in July 2001. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Rob Van der Voo attended the University of Utrecht in the Netherlands where he received his Bachelor of Science in 1961, Master of Science in geology in 1965, Master of Science in geophysics in 1969, and Doctorate in 1969. Professor Van der Voo began his teaching career at Michigan as a visiting assistant professor in the Department of Geological Sciences in 1970. He joined our faculty as assistant professor in 1972 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1979. He twice served as department chair (1981-1988, 1991-1995), and was appointed to the Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship in 1994 and the H. T. Rhodes Collegiate Professorship in 2001.

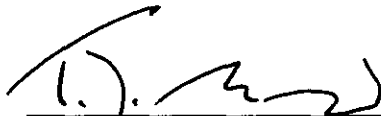
Over the past thirty years, Professor Van der Voo has been the driving force in the international effort to understand the tectonic evolution of the Atlantic-bordering continents. His papers are highly cited and he has received the highest recognition for his work from a number of important

professional geoscience organizations and science academies. Most recently he was awarded the Benjamin Franklin Medal in Earth Sciences from the Franklin Institute (2001), served as president of the Geological Society of America (2004), and became editor of *Earth Science Reviews* (2006). As a scholar and colleague at the University of Michigan, Professor Van der Voo has received numerous recognitions, including the Margaret and Herman Sokol Faculty Award in the Sciences (2006). He is a dedicated teacher and mentor for students and a valued citizen of the Department. He is a role model and mentor for junior faculty, and currently serves on the departmental Executive Committee.


We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Rob Van der Voo as the Frank H. T. Rhodes Collegiate Professor of Geological Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable 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

September 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: James Westphal

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Robert G. Rodkey Collegiate Professor of Business Administration

TERM: Five Years

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

The Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business and I are pleased to recommend the appointment of James Westphal as the Robert G. Rodkey Collegiate Professor of Business Administration effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

The Robert G. Rodkey Collegiate Professorship in Business Administration fund was established in August 2006 in honor of Professor Robert G. Rodkey. The purpose of this fund is to help increase knowledge and understanding of business practices through instruction and research. Additionally, appointment to this professorship is reserved for a senior faculty member

Dr. Westphal received his Ph.D. in 1996 and his M.S. in 1993 both from the J.L. Kellogg Graduate School of Management at Northwestern University. He received his B.A. in Economics with highest honors in 1988 from the University of California at Davis.

Professor Westphal was an Assistant Professor of Management, School of Business, University of Texas at Austin from 1996-2001. In 2001 he was promoted to Professor of Management at the McCombs School of Business. Since 2002 he held the title of Ed and Molly Smith Chair in Business Administration also at the McCombs School. He joined the Stephen M. Ross School of Business in 2006 as Professor of Strategy, with tenure.

Professor Westphal's research develops and tests social perspectives on corporate governance. In particular, his work draws upon sociological and social psychological theories of organizational behavior to explore the larger social context in which corporate governance occurs, as well as the micro-social processes that mediate governance. In addition, he examines how such social processes can explain the impact of corporate governance on strategic change and performance. His research has shown how and why governance policies may be formally adopted but not implemented, and how changes in governance that are assumed to promote shareholder interests, such as greater board

independence from management, may prompt political behavior by top managers that blunts their effects on policy outcomes. This program of research has made important contributions to the larger literatures on institutional processes and symbolic management, interorganizational networks, and socio-political dynamics in the corporate elite.

Professor Westphal has served on the editorial boards of the top journals and is currently serving as the President of the Business Policy and Strategy Division of the Academy of Management.

Therefore, it is with great pleasure that I recommend James Westphal as the Robert G. Rodkey Collegiate Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

September 2006

Approved by the Regents
September 22, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: William B. Worthen

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

RECOMMENDED TITLES: J. L. Styan Collegiate Professor of Drama and Professor of
English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of
Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of William B. Worthen as the J. L. Styan Collegiate Professor of Drama for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

John L. Styan was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1966 to 1974. The J. L. Styan Collegiate Professorship in Drama was established by the Regents in August 2006. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.


William Worthen received his Bachelor of Arts, *summa cum laude*, from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst, in 1977 and his Doctorate from Princeton University in 1981. Professor Worthen began his teaching career as an assistant professor at the University of Texas, Austin, in 1981 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1992. He has held appointments as professor at Northwestern University (1992-1996); University of California, Davis (1996-1999); and the University of California, Berkeley (1999-present). He joined our faculty as professor in 2006.

Professor Worthen is widely acknowledged to be one of the leading experts in drama studies. His research fields include dramatic literature and theory, performance theory, modern drama, and Shakespeare. He has authored four books with a fifth scheduled for publication later this year, as well as an important textbook, several anthologies, and numerous articles. He will bring commanding strength to the Department's field of drama studies and broad national attention.

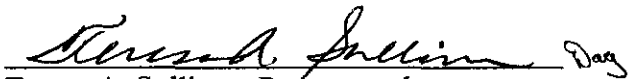
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of William B. Worthen as the J. L. Styan Collegiate Professor of Drama for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

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

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Michael Harkness

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Accounting and Finance, with tenure,
School of Management

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Acting Chair, Department of Accounting and Finance, School of
Management

TERM: One year

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

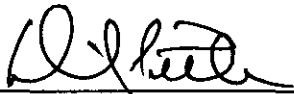
On the recommendation of the Dean of the School of Management, and the Provost and Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Michael Harkness as acting chair of the Department of Accounting and Finance. This appointment would be effective for one year, from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

Michael Harkness received his Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting in 1991; Master of Accountancy in 1992; and Ph.D. in Accounting in 1999. All degrees were conferred at the University of South Florida. Professor Harkness joined the faculty of the School of Management, University of Michigan-Dearborn, in 1997.

Professor Harkness is an active faculty member in the School of Management. He serves as the faculty advisor to the Beta Alpha Psi National Honors Fraternity for Financial Information Professionals. He currently serves on the School of Management Assessment Program Committee and Curriculum Committee. Nationally, he has served as the Midwest Region Liaison for the Information Technology Section, Reviewer for the Midwest Regional Conference and the Best Practices in Assessment Committee for the American Accounting Association.

Michael Harkness will be an effective leader during this interim period. I am pleased to recommend his appointment as acting chair of the Department of Accounting and Finance, effective July 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

August 2006

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Gail R. Luera
CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Interim Associate Dean, School of Education
EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Education along with the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs recommend the appointment of Gail R. Luera as interim associate dean in the School of Education effective July 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006.

Professor Luera received her B.A. in English Literature at California State University in 1980. In 1984 she attended Northern Illinois University where she completed her M.S. degree in Education: Outdoor Teacher Education. Professor Luera was hired by the School of Education in 1998 as an assistant professor of science education and earned her Ph.D. that same year in Environmental Education from the University of Michigan. She was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

Professor Luera's research interests include discovering common misconceptions individuals possess about scientific concepts and developing interventions to address those misconceptions. She is also interested in the use of educational technology as an assessment tool and to facilitate student learning and interaction with other students. Professor Luera was a participating investigator in two Eisenhower grants; one, for collaboration in developing inquiry-based science courses for future teachers, and the other, the Dearborn/Detroit Alliance in Science and Mathematics for Urban Schools. She was also project director for a FIPSE grant in which a capstone course was developed connecting pre- and in-service teachers in integrating science and sustaining professional development in Elementary Science Education.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Gail R. Luera as interim associate dean in the School of Education effective July 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006.

Recommended by:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Marilyn R. McFarland

TITLE: Associate Professor of Nursing, School of Health Professions and Studies

TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

The Dean and the Department of Nursing, School of Health Professions and Studies at the University of Michigan-Flint, recommend the appointment of Marilyn R. McFarland as Associate Professor of Nursing, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Dr. McFarland received her B.S. and M.S. degrees and her Ph.D. from Wayne State University in 1969, 1982 and 1995, respectively. Dr. McFarland became nationally certified as a Family Nurse Practitioner in 2006 after completing a Family Nurse Practitioner Certificate Program at Saginaw Valley State University in 2005.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Dr. McFarland served as adjunct faculty member and clinical nursing instructor for the Crystal M. Lange College of Nursing and Health Sciences at Saginaw Valley State University, adjunct faculty/associate professor of nursing at Madonna University, nursing continuing education coordinator at Delta College, and a clinical nursing instructor at Oakland Community College. While teaching at Saginaw Valley State University, she also served as coordinator and interim director for Project OPEN (Opportunities for Professional Education in Nursing).

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Dr. McFarland is an experienced nurse educator and a practicing and nationally certified Family Nurse Practitioner and Certified Transcultural Nurse. She is recognized by the International Transcultural Nursing Society as a leader and scholar in the specialty of transcultural nursing. She has co-authored two textbooks with the founder of transcultural nursing, Dr. Madeleine Leininger, and has published extensively in refereed journals. Highly sought after as a lecturer, Dr. McFarland is frequently invited to deliver presentations at international, national, and regional conferences, workshops, and symposia. Dr. McFarland's research interests have been focused on elderly clients from diverse cultures. She has completed transculturally-focused research on the culture care of elderly Anglo Americans, African Americans, Polish Americans,

Mexican Americans, and German Americans. She currently is in the process of conducting a metasynthesis of research with the use of Leininger's Culture Care Theory and the ethn nursing method. Although Dr. McFarland has been actively engaged in service to her local and state education and health care communities, some of her most significant contributions are to the International Transcultural Nursing Society serving on numerous committees and task forces. Formerly Editor of the *Journal of Transcultural Nursing*, Dr. McFarland serves on the Editorial Board.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A: Dr. McFarland "...became our first transcultural gerontological nurse worldwide and remains an active scholar, researcher, and practitioner with this focus...she is a scholar who teaches, writes, and practices transcultural nursing using the hallmarks of scholarship and effective outcomes."

Reviewer B: Dr. McFarland is "an energetic and creative scholar, with a passion for ongoing learning, teaching, and development of new knowledge in the discipline of nursing. She has been able also to pair her scholarly achievements with dedication and proficiency in the area of nursing practice, a rare and valuable combination. She is, in addition, a sensitive and compassionate teacher and student advocate who is able to identify and nurture the potential for success in others."

Reviewer C: Dr. McFarland is "an outstanding scholar and teacher. [Who will] continue to make valuable contributions to the discipline of nursing and the nursing profession."

Reviewer D: Dr. McFarland's "relentless pursuit of excellence in nursing education, scholarship, service and practice." She also noted that Dr. McFarland is "passionate about providing health care for the underserved and addressing the diversity of the nursing workforce....Dr. McFarland demonstrates the highest integrity as a human being and colleague. She uses her expertise at work and in society to benefit human and social welfare."

Reviewer E: Dr. McFarland's "consistent scholarly approach in caring that promotes the spark of knowledge in young scholars." He also notes that "it is her willingness to give of her talents as an educator in a generous and truly transcultural nursing spirit that sets her apart."

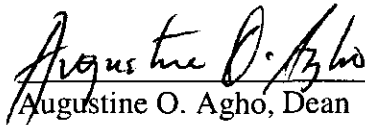
PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

Dr. McFarland is one of the foremost experts, scholars, researchers, and leaders in transcultural nursing in the world. While pursuing her Ph.D. in Nursing at Wayne State University, Dr. McFarland was mentored by Dr. Madeleine Leininger, the founder of transcultural nursing, and subsequently has published and conducted research on topics of relevance and interest in transcultural nursing. Dr. McFarland is an outstanding scholar and educator who will bring accolades to the University of Michigan-Flint.


SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

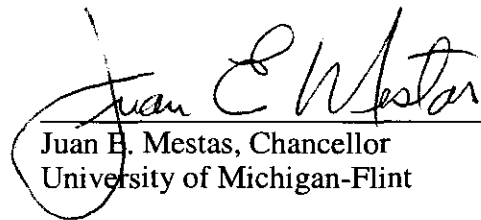
The Dean and the Department of Nursing, School of Health Professions and Studies are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Marilyn R. McFarland as Associate Professor of Nursing, without tenure, effective September 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Augustine O. Agho, Dean
School of Health Professions and Studies

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 other personnel transactions
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Establish a New Academic Administrative Position

POSITION TITLE: Associate Dean of Education, Education Department,
School of Education and Human Services


EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

The dean and the executive committee of the School of Education and Human Services request approval to establish the position of associate dean of education in the Education Department for the School of Education and Human Services, effective September 1, 2006.

The associate dean will work under the direct supervision of the dean. The associate dean will be a current full-time faculty member. Responsibilities may include seeking and obtaining national accreditation for education certificate programs; developing and maintaining active communication between education and the College of Arts and Sciences' teacher certification program; overseeing and reporting of all teacher certification MTTC scores to required state and national educational agencies; promoting and positioning teacher preparation as a university wide initiative; representing and promoting the Education Department into strategic roles in the state and national teacher preparation agenda; facilitating compliance with all appropriate and/or required state and/or national accrediting organizations; representing the Department at all appropriate university, local, state and/or national events as directed; and, other functions as assigned by the dean.

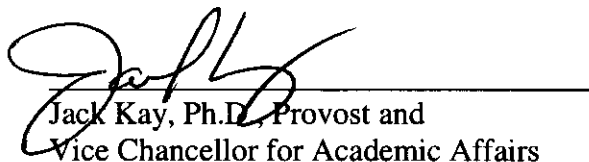
We respectfully request that the Regents endorse this request to establish the position of associate dean of education in the Education Department for the School of Education and Human Services, effective September 1, 2006.

Recommended by:

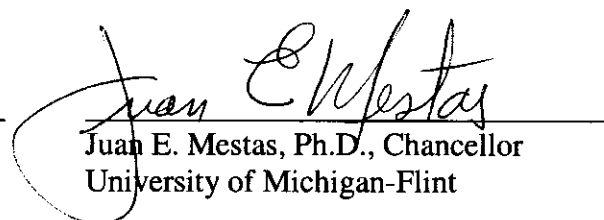


Susanne Chandler, Ph.D., Dean
School of Education and Human Services

Recommendation endorsed by:



Jack Kay, Ph.D., Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Juan E. Mestas, Ph.D., Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Establish a New Academic Administrative Position

POSITION TITLE: Chair, Early Childhood Education Department,
School of Education and Human Services

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2006

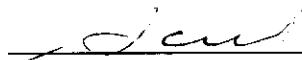
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Education and Human Services request approval to establish the position of chair of the Early Childhood Education Department, School of Education and Human Services, effective September 1, 2006.

The chair will work under the direct supervision of the dean. The chair will be a current full-time, tenure track faculty member. The Department will consist of three current full-time, tenure track faculty members, with plans to add additional faculty within the next three years.

Responsibilities will include oversight of the Department, maintaining and developing alumni relations, committee meetings, coordinating the annual and major evaluations for lecturers, course scheduling, catalog revisions, preparation for accreditation, and may also include grant development.

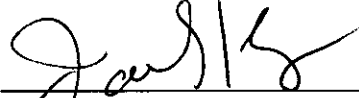
We respectfully request that the Regents endorse this request to establish the position of chair of the Early Childhood Education Department, School of Education and Human Services, effective September 1, 2006.

Recommended by:




Susanne Chandler, Dean
School of Education and Human Services

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-FLINT
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Michael J. Pardales

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Education, Education Department,
School of Education and Human Services

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Education Department, School of Education and Human Services

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009

On the recommendation of the Education Department and the Executive Committee of the School of Education and Human Services at the University of Michigan-Flint, the dean recommends that Michael J. Pardales be appointed as Chair of the Education Department for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009.

Dr. Pardales received his B.A. degree from Michigan State University in 1992, his M.Ed. degree from Montclair State University in 1993, and an M.A. degree and his Ed. D. from Michigan State University in 1997 and 2001, respectively. He joined the faculty in 2001 as an assistant professor.

Since joining the faculty of the University of Michigan-Flint, Dr. Pardales has served on the Executive Committee since 2004, School Code Committee since 2006, Strategic Planning Committee since 2005, Nominating Committee from 2001 to 2003, and the Curriculum Committee from 2002 to 2003 of the School of Education and Human Services. He served on the Dean of the School of Education and Human Services Search Committee, the Student Services Advisory Committee, and the Thompson Center for Learning and Teaching Advisory Board. Dr. Pardales currently serves as a member of the Blue Ribbon Commission on Academic Affairs and General Education Reform Steering Committee.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael J. Pardales as Chair of the Education Department for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009.

Recommended by:

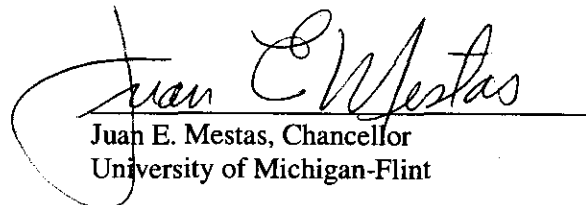


Susanne Chandler, Dean
School of Education and Human Services

Recommendation endorsed by:



Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Juan E. Mestas, Chancellor
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