THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Proposed Regents’ Bylaws Revisions

Action Requested: Revisions to Regents’ Bylaw 6.02 (Undergraduate and Graduate Degree Programs) and 11.02 (The School of Art and Design Executive Committee)

Background

At their meeting of September 20, 2012, the regents approved changing the name of the School of Art and Design to the Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design. This necessitates a corresponding change to the two regents’ bylaws that reference this school, Bylaw 6.02 and Bylaw 11.02, as follows (additions underlined and italicized):

Sec. 6.02. Undergraduate and Graduate Degree Programs

There are 19 schools and colleges on the Ann Arbor campus of the University of Michigan, 4 schools and colleges on the Dearborn campus, and 4 schools and colleges on the Flint campus.

The University offers four types of degree programs: Undergraduate (“U”), Rackham graduate (“RG”), non-Rackham graduate (“NRG”), and graduate professional (“GP”). Graduate degrees fall under the aegis of the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies or the individual schools and colleges, as indicated below.

The following is a list of the schools and colleges and degree programs offered at each. The Office of the Registrar on each campus maintains an official list of all specific degrees offered at every school and college on that campus.

Ann Arbor Campus

A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning (U, NRG, RG)

Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design (U, RG)

Stephen M. Ross School of Business (U, NRG, RG)

School of Dentistry (U, RG, GP)

School of Education (U, RG)

College of Engineering (U, NRG, RG)

Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies (RG)

School of Information (NRG, RG)

School of Kinesiology (U, RG)

Law School (GP)

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts (U, RG)

Medical School (GP, RG)

School of Music, Theatre & Dance (U, NRG, RG)

School of Natural Resources and Environment (RG)

School of Nursing (U, RG)

College of Pharmacy (U, RG, GP)

School of Public Health (NRG, RG)
Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy (U, RG)
School of Social Work (NRG, RG)

University of Michigan-Dearborn
College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters (U, RG, NRG)
College of Business (U, NRG)
School of Education (U, NRG, RG)
College of Engineering and Computer Science (U, NRG, RG)

University of Michigan-Flint
College of Arts and Sciences (U, NRG, RG)
School of Health Professions and Studies (U, NRG)
School of Education and Human Services (U, NRG)
School of Management (U, NRG)

Sec. 11.02. The Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design Executive Committee

The executive committee will consist of the dean and four additional members of the faculty to be appointed by the board on recommendation by the president. The appointed members will hold office for two years and will not be eligible for reappointment until after the lapse of one year. The terms will be adjusted so that two will expire each year. The dean will chair the committee.

Recommendation

We recommend approval of revisions to Regents’ Bylaws Sections 6.02 and 11.02, as outlined above.

Respectfully submitted:

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