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

(1) Borcea, Liliana, professor of mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2013.

(2) Lucas, Ashley, associate professor of theatre & drama, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013.

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

(1) Feng, Changyong, associate professor of nursing, without tenure, School of Nursing, effective January 1, 2013.

3. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected administrative/professional staff.

(1) Wade, Kathleen, assistant dean for hospital social work services, School of Social Work, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2015.

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

(1) Eagle, Kim, A., M.D., professor of health management and policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2013 (also Albion Walter Hewlett Professor of Internal Medicine, and professor of internal medicine, with tenure, Medical School.)

(2) Francis, Anthony H., associate dean for special projects, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective November 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and professor of chemistry, with tenure.)

(3) Kolars, Joseph C., M.D., Josiah Macy, Jr. Professor of Health Professions Education, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017 (also senior associate dean for education and global health initiatives, and professor of internal medicine, with tenure.)
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4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic administrative staff.

   (4) Ringold, Vicki Ellingrod, John Gideon Searle Professor, College of Pharmacy, effective December 1, 2012 through November 30, 2017 (also professor of pharmacy, with tenure, College of Pharmacy, and professor of psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School.)

   (5) Shore, Susan E., associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2012 (also Joseph E. Hawkins, Jr. Collegiate Professor, and associate professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, Medical School.)

   (6) Solomon, Michael J., associate dean for academic programs and initiatives, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, effective January 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016 (also professor of chemical engineering, with tenure, and professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)

   (7) Tsai, Billy, Ph.D., Corydon Ford Collegiate Professor, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017 (also associate professor of cell and developmental biology, with tenure.)

   (8) Verhey, Kristen J., Ph.D., A. Kent Christensen Collegiate Professor, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017 (also associate professor of cell and developmental biology, with tenure.)

   (9) Zazove, Philip, M.D., chair, Department of Family Medicine, and George A. Dean, M.D. Chair of Family Medicine, Medical School, effective December 1, 2012 (also clinical professor of family medicine.)

   (10) Zuo, Weiping, Charles B. de Nancède Research Professor of Surgery, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017 (also professor of surgery, with tenure.)

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

   (1) Approval to establish a new academic administrative position as associate dean for philanthropy, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012.
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5. Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic administrative positions.
   (2) Approve to establish a Collegiate Professorship as the Jerome W. Conn Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012.
   (3) Correction to title of a Collegiate Professorship as the Sonya O. Rose Collegiate Professorship in History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective November 1, 2012 (currently Sonya Rose Collegiate Professorship in History.)

6. Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff.
   (1) Correction to Collegiate Professorship title for Lawrence, Daniel A., Ph.D., Frederick G.L. Huetwell Collegiate Professor of Basic Research in Cardiovascular Medicine, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 (currently Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor of Basic Research in Cardiovascular Medicine.)
   (3) Lynch, Timothy G., vice president and general counsel, Office of the Vice President and General Counsel, effective January 7, 2013 through January 6, 2018.

DEARBORN CAMPUS

7. Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure.
   (1) Balakrishnan, Nagraj, dean, effective February 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018, and professor of management, with tenure, College of Business, effective February 1, 2013.

8. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic administrative staff.
   (1) Kettenbeil, Kenneth, vice chancellor for external relations, effective November 15, 2012.
Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure
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 Liliana Borcea as professor of mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2013.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Liliana Borcea received her Master of Arts (physics) at the University of Bucharest in 1987. She attended Stanford University where she completed a second Master of Arts (scientific computing and computational mathematics) in 1994 and her Doctorate in 1996.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Following a one-year appointment as a National Science Foundation fellow at the California Institute of Technology (1996-1997), Professor Borcea joined the faculty at Rice University as an assistant professor in 1996 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2007. She was also appointed as the Noah G. Harding Professor of Computational and Applied Mathematics in 2007.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Borcea is an applied mathematician whose work includes new approaches to real-world problems as well as rigorous analyses of these and other approaches. She received the National Academies Keck Futures Initiative Award in 2011 and was appointed as a research professor at the Mathematical Sciences Research Institute at Berkeley in 2010. Professor Borcea was elected chair of the Imaging Science Activity Group of the Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics. She also receives many invitations to speak at conferences around the world.
Professor Borcea is a good teacher who received strong classroom evaluations from her students. She has been active in supervising graduate students and post-doctoral researchers. She currently serves on the editorial boards of several journals and has been on the organizing or scientific committees of many conferences.

PUBLICATIONS


EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWERS

Reviewer (A)
“...[Professor Borcea] authored in 2002 one of the prestigious invited topical reviews in the journal Inverse Problems. These reviews are only sought from the top experts in their fields. ...I regard her as a diligent and academically rigorous scientist, who contributes many original ideas and is open to new directions. ... Her lectures are well received.”

Reviewer (B)
“Liliana Borcea is working in the field of inverse problems and mathematical imaging, maybe the fastest growing area in applied mathematics... ...I consider the expertise of Liliana Borcea very timely. ...in this generation I can think of no one I would easily rank higher that Liliana... I think she is one of the top figures...”

Reviewer (C)
“Professor Borcea is already an established world leader in the field of inverse problems with a bright future ahead of her. Any mathematics department in the world would benefit from her being on its faculty.”

Reviewer (D)
“The publication list of Liliana Borcea is impressive, both in quantity and quality. ...although most of her papers are published in top journals in mathematics, she is also able to write papers suitable for physics journals. ...the quality of the research of Liliana Borcea can be measured by the inspection of the quality of her collaborations. ...in each domain, Liliana Borcea is collaborating with the leading experts.”
Reviewer (E)
"...Liliana is an outstanding applied mathematician. She has broad research interests and she is very original. The quality of her publications is extremely impressive. ...She has already emerged as a research leader in her field and is one of the most active researchers working on inverse problems and time reversal imaging."

Reviewer (F)
"Prof. Borcea is an outstanding scientist, lecturer, and teacher. She is also an excellent role model, and mentor for...students interested in mathematics and science."

Reviewer (G)
"She has developed analytical and new numerical methods for solving these inverse problems. She is now an expert in this field, and has written and lectured widely on it. She has also been very active in advising students, in reviewing and refereeing papers, in organizing meetings..."

SUMMARY

Professor Borcea is a world leader in her research field. She is also an excellent teacher and mentor, as well as an active citizen in her discipline. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Liliana Borcea as professor of mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:  RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Terrence J. McDonald, Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs
Professor of History and Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

November 2012
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Ashley Lucas

TITLES: Associate Professor of Theatre & Drama, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and Associate Professor in the Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure (School of Music, Theatre & Dance) Without Tenure (Residential College)

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2013

With the support of the Executive Committees of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, the Residential College, and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Ashley Lucas as associate professor of theatre & drama, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013.

ACADEMIC RECORD
Professor Lucas holds a B.A. in English and theatre studies, with distinction, from Yale University (2001), and a M.A. in ethnic studies from the University of California, San Diego (UCSD) (2003), with a Masters’ Thesis on “The Politics of the Chicana/o Body.” In 2006 she earned a Ph.D. in ethnic studies and drama and theatre from UCSD and the University of California at Irvine, having completed her dissertation on “Preforming the (Un)Imagined Nation: The Emergence of Ethnographic Theatre in the Late Twentieth Century.” From 2006 to 2009, Professor Lucas held a Carolina Post-doctoral Fellowship for Faculty Diversity in the Department of Dramatic Art at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD
In 2001, Professor Lucas began her academic career as a teaching assistant/research assistant/doctoral student at the University of California, San Diego. In 2005, she was appointed as an associate-in professor also at UCSD. From 2006 through 2008, she was a Carolina Post-doctoral Fellow for Faculty Diversity at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. She was subsequently appointed to the faculty at the University of North Carolina (UNC) in 2008, where she is currently an assistant professor in the Department of Dramatic Art. For the last year, she has also been a faculty fellow at UNC’s Institute for Arts and Humanities.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION
Professor Lucas’s brilliant success as a theatre scholar, playwright, teacher, actor, as well as her knowledge and experience with the University of Michigan’s Prison Creative Arts Program (PCAP) make her the ideal and uniquely qualified candidate for this appointment.
EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWERS

Reviewer A: “Her work suggests immense versatility across the fields of performance, development of new works, commitment to providing life-changing experiences to underrepresented communities and providing social awareness of these communities. The breadth and depth of the work also suggests an artist/scholar who is at home in the academy and who understands the academy’s role in educating society.”

Reviewer B: “Here is a scholar and artist whose professional passions have caused her to have a significant impact upon her university, professional, and public environments. Ashley Lucas is a unique and promising scholar of prison studies and Latina/o Theater particularly as a result of the creativity in her methodological approaches and her strong analysis, curation, and creation of Latina/o Theatre. Her contributions make her an absolute value for any university.”

Reviewer C: “Professor Lucas strikes me as a unique scholar-artist with an excellent track record and enormous potential to contribute to the department and field. Her work is extremely impressive. There are very few people who can move back and forth between scholar and practitioner while making deep and serious contributions to both communities.”

Reviewer D: “Professor Lucas’s work covers an unusual range of material. She is ideally suited to be in an interdisciplinary department as well as to be a widely circulating faculty member at any major research university. Although her primary research and disciplinary training are in dramatic art and American studies, she also has expertise in performance theory, film, playwriting, documentary theatre, contemporary feminist theory, popular culture, Latino/a studies and political theory. Indeed, it is her distinct ability to combine her understanding of these different fields that gives her scholarship such originality.”

Reviewer E: “It takes a huge amount of labor to make the kinds of institutional as well as intellectual connections among disparate groups and ideas that I find the hallmark of Ashley’s dossier.”

Reviewer F: “In addition to her outstanding scholarly and pedagogical activities, Dr. Lucas has also been active in professional service. From serving on university-wide initiatives on diversity, to founding Uniendo Nuestra Comunidad Latina/o Caucus, to serving on search committees, to hosting residencies and play readings, Dr. Lucas has proven her commitment to service.”

Reviewer G: “I believe that the academic career that Dr. Ashley Lucas has embarked on is sterling. Her pursuit of socially relevant, academic research meshed with a creative, activist sensibility is beyond laudable; it reflects a model that could drive humanities faculty into the future.”

Reviewer H: “As her work continues, I look forward to reading her scholarly writings and witnessing her narrative exploration that will continue to unravel a strategy for including the disadvantaged, the silenced, and the oppressed in the national narratives of citizenship and social equality.”
PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY
Already an accomplished scholar and performer, some of Professor Lucas’ most recognized work is represented by a self-scripted, one-woman play, “Doin’ Time: Through the Visiting Glass.” This play examines the impact of incarceration on families. She created this play in 2004, and has performed it widely. She began conducting research for this project when her father was denied parole in the summer of 2003. As a graduate student in the Theatre and Ethnic Studies at UCSD, she wanted to simultaneously study the unrecognized community of prisoners’ families and write a play about the experience of having a loved one in prison. Professor Lucas has performed Doin’ Time in theatres, universities, conferences, and in political bookstores throughout the U.S., as well as at the Dublin Fringe Festival and in two women’s prisons in Ireland. She has also acted in eight other plays other than her own and has been involved in six productions, including being playwright and director for Voices of Resilience Before, During, and After Hurricane Katrina in July 2007.

Since 2009, Professor Lucas has been an associate of the University of Michigan Prison Creative Arts Project (PCAP). Professor Lucas has interviewed in depth, some several times, students in the courses, members of PCAP, the formerly incarcerated, and liaisons in the high schools and youth facilities. She is currently the evaluator for the Kresge Foundation of PCAP’s use of a Kresge grant. One of Professor Lucas’ primary responsibilities for LSA and the Residential College is to become the new faculty director of PCAP. In this role, we expect her to function as a conduit between PCAP, Interarts and the Department of Theatre & Dance, and to find ways of strengthening the ties between North and Central Campus and among LSA, School of Music, Theatre & Dance and Art and Design. The opportunity to work with PCAP will provide students from across these disciplines with new perspectives on issues connected to incarceration and its impact on society, on issues that will put the students in contact with youth facilities, high schools, and prisons, where families, sexuality, and both mental and physical health are crucibles for dramatic dialogue.

Book Manuscript
Professor Lucas’ most recent book manuscript, Performing the Imagined Nation: Ethnographic Theatre Confronts Gentrification, Homophobia, and Incarceration (currently under review at the UM Press), will become her signature academic contribution to the study of ethnographic theatre and to notions of cultural citizenship. The emergent field of ethnographic theatre, she argues, is well suited to both depict people generally excluded from a mainstream American narrative – such as undocumented workers, homosexuals, prisoners – and to serve as a tool to demand a level of full inclusion that would, by necessity, transform the overarching national culture. Ethnographic theater sits at the nexus of anthropological techniques, documentary playwriting and embodied performance, bridging the gap between the social sciences and the arts. Capturing aspects of speech and movement, patterns of interactions, kinship ties and folkways, it can shed light on daily lives, and in turn, the quotidian of identities that are far too often regarded as inexorably foreign.

SERVICE
Professor Lucas has rendered an extraordinary amount of service to her department and to the UNC as well as to her profession. Most notably, at UNC, she has served as the producing artistic
director of the Teatro Latina/o Series and has played a leading role in Carolina Latina/o Collaborative, which seeks to build collaborative relationships across and throughout the UNC campus in scholarship, education and community engagement. She has also served on several departmental committees appropriate to her rank. Nationally, she has held leadership positions for the Women and Theatre Program, a focus group of the Association for Theatre in Higher Education, including serving as President from 2008-2010.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION
In summary, we believe that Ashley Lucas has established a solid record and a firm foundation on which she will continue to build in her scholarship and performance, her teaching and her service. We also believe that she would bring a unique set of assets to a joint position in the Department of Theatre & Dance and the Residential College, and that she is ideally suited to take over the leadership of PCAP as it moves into its next phase of existence. Finally, and above all, we believe that she will bring new energy and fresh insights to our units and to the University of Michigan as a whole. We are therefore pleased to recommend the appointment of Ashley Lucas as associate professor of theatre & drama, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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

RECOMMENDED BY:

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

November 2012
Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, without tenure
With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Nursing, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Changyong Feng as associate professor of nursing, without tenure, School of Nursing, effective January 1, 2013.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Feng received his bachelors of science in operations research and masters of science in operations research from the University of Science and Technology of China in 1991 and 1994, respectively. He received a second masters in statistics and a doctorate in statistics from the University of Rochester in 1999 and 2002, respectively.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Feng began his career as a biostatistician at the University of Rochester Medical Center in New York in 2001, and has held appointments within various centers and institutes within that university including the Multi-Center Automatic Defibrillator Implantation Trail (2001-2002); the Eastman Institute for Oral Health (2003-present); the Clinical Translational Science Institute (CTSI) (2003-2010); the Department of Urology (2004-present); and the James P. Wilmot Cancer Center (2008-present). He held an appointment as a biostatistician at the University of Kansas Medical Center within the Kansas Cancer Institute from 2002-2003. He began his academic career as an assistant professor of biostatistics at the University of Kansas Medical Center in the Departments of Preventive Medicine and Family Medicine in 2002-2003. In 2003 he was appointed as a research assistant professor of biostatistics at the University of Rochester Medical Center in the Department of Biostatistics and Computational Biology and was reappointed in the same department as an assistant professor of biostatistics in 2006. He was promoted to associate professor without tenure in biostatistics at the University of Rochester Medical Center in 2012. Taken together, he has 11 years of biostatistician experience.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Feng is building a solid program of scholarship. He has disseminated his research and scholarly work through a total of 76 peer-reviewed publications which are both in statistical and
collaborative journals, five book chapters, and other proceedings and reports. This includes 17 first authored and three second authored papers. There is evidence that Professor Feng is developing a national reputation for his science particularly in survival analysis and he has been invited to speak at eight major universities including the University of Pittsburgh, Drexel University, and Tufts University.

Professor Feng’s scholarship spans two areas, advancing statistical methods for analyzing clinical data and collaborative work with clinical colleagues. Professor Feng continues to develop novel methods for handling clinical data and recently submitted an R01 application to develop a more efficient method of handling multi-trial data. Much of Professor Feng’s scholarship includes collaboration with clinical investigators and has been peer-reviewed at the highest level. He has been involved in seven major grants as co-investigator or lead statistician.

Professor Feng has been actively involved in teaching at the undergraduate and graduate levels. He has taught graduate courses in statistics and public health including biostatistics, probability theory, linear modeling, and survival analysis as well as developed five graduate level courses. His solid teaching experience is reflected in the types and numbers of courses he has taught. Professor Feng has been on the committee of ten completed dissertations and master’s thesis committees and is currently supervising one doctoral student.

Professor Feng’s record of service demonstrates his commitment to responsible academic citizenship at the institutional level. He has served on several committees for faculty searches, protocol review, and student admissions.

PUBLICATIONS


EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWERS

Reviewer (A)
"[Professor] Feng’s research abstracts and conference proceedings demonstrate that his work is considered by his peers to be timely, original, and worthy of presentation at prestigious national meetings."

Reviewer (B)
"… it is clear that he is a competent and diligent analyst…"

Reviewer (C)
"[Professor Feng’s]… record of scholarly attainment… is impressive."

Reviewer (D)
"He has made important methodological contributions, and is a superb collaborating biostatistician with a strong commitment to the advancement of clinical research."

Reviewer (E)
"His training and publication record illustrate a broad background in methodology. His quantitative research skills are impressive…"

Reviewer (F)
"His versatility in teaching of multiple undergraduate or graduate level statistical courses is definitely an asset…"

SUMMARY

Taken together, Professor Feng’s record of teaching, scholarly achievements, national reputation, research achievements, and academic leadership meet the criteria for appointment as associate professor of nursing, without tenure. I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Changyong Feng as associate professor of nursing, without tenure, School of Nursing, effective January 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY: RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Kathleen Potempa Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Dean, School of Nursing Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
Recommendations for approval of reappointments
of regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff
ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Kathleen Wade

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Dean for Hospital Social Work Services, School of Social Work

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Assistant Dean for Hospital Social Work Services, School of Social Work

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2015

The School of Social Work is pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kathleen Wade as the assistant dean for hospital social work, School of Social Work, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2015.

Kathleen Wade earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology from William Paterson College in New Jersey in 1976; she earned her Masters of Social Work from New York University in 1984. She began her Doctor of Social Welfare Program at City University of New York in 1990 and completed this program in December 2003. She has had an extensive career in social work as a social worker and case manager in the Division of Youth and Family Service; as the director of social work in a community hospital in New Jersey; as the social work preceptor/supervisor and AIDS program coordinator at Mount Sinai Medical Center in New York City; as the assistant director of social work at New York Presbyterian Hospital and as assistant vice president of clinical services and as director of social work at Beth Abraham Health Services in the Bronx. In conjunction with these appointments, she has held academic appointments at Mount Sinai School of Medicine and at Columbia University in New York City. In October 2000, she was hired to be the director of social work services for the University of Michigan Hospital. In September 2001, she was appointed as the assistant dean for hospital social work in the School of Social Work and in September 2006, she was appointed as a research assistant professor.

Ms. Wade has a distinguished record of scholarly activities and research that focuses on evaluation and enhancement of social service delivery systems. She has worked on several research projects as the principal investigator, co-principal investigator and consultant. She has co-authored a number of publications and her record of presentations and workshops is impressive. She has served as consultant and as a member of a number of advisory boards for medical facilities and health care organizations. She is a confirmed scholar, instructor and health care administrator. Her experiences as a medical social work administrator serve to enrich her teaching and have resulted in her reputation as an effective classroom instructor. Similarly, her research and publications serve to enrich her teaching and work as an administrator.
In all of these assignments and administrative roles, Ms. Wade has exemplified the goals of the School by performing as an outstanding, capable professional leader. It is important to note that the School’s educational and research programs conducted with the University Hospitals have expanded and improved during her tenure as the assistant dean of hospital social work.

As a clinician, researcher and colleague, Kathleen Wade is among the best and her reappointment as assistant dean will allow continuation of this leadership. It is for these reasons that the School of Social Work is pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kathleen Wade as assistant dean for hospital social work, School of Social Work, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2015.

Recommended by:

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

November 2012

Recommendation endorsed by:

Philip J. Hanlon
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs
Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments
or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected
academic administrative staff
Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

Kim A. Eagle, M.D.

Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Albion Walter Hewlett Professor of Internal Medicine, Medical School

Professor of Health Management and Policy, without tenure, School of Public Health

January 1, 2013

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, and with the endorsement of the Medical School, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Kim A. Eagle, M.D. as professor of health management and policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2013.

Dr. Eagle received his B.S. degree from Oregon State University in 1976 and his M.D. degree from Tufts University School of Medicine in 1979. Following his internship and residencies at Yale-New Haven Hospital, he completed fellowships at Harvard Medical School and Massachusetts General Hospital. He joined the faculty at Harvard Medical School in 1986 as an instructor, was appointed as an assistant professor in 1988 and was promoted to an associate professor in 1994. He joined the University of Michigan Medical School in 1994 as associate professor of internal medicine, with tenure, and was promoted to professor in 1997. In 1997 he was named the Albion Walter Hewlett Professor of Internal Medicine. Dr. Eagle also serves as chief of clinical cardiovascular medicine, and director and education lead, Cardiovascular Center, Medical School.

Dr. Eagle has long-standing research interests in outcomes research in cardiovascular medicine, cost reduction strategies, clinical decision guidelines in heart care, cost effectiveness, quality assessment, and appropriateness assessment. He oversees a vigorous outcomes research program focusing on quality, cost-effectiveness, use of practice guidelines in cardiovascular care, evaluation and management of acute coronary syndromes, the evaluation and management of aortic dissection, and the use of modern mathematical models to assess outcomes and risk. He served as co-director of the University of Michigan/Pfizer Fellowship in Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research from 2001–2006 and has worked with many School of Public Health students. His research has resulted in more than 500 publications.

More recently, Dr. Eagle has engaged in research on childhood obesity which he intends to expand. We view a joint appointment in the School of Public Health as a means to facilitate additional collaborations with various faculty in the School and we look forward to the opportunities for productive collaboration.
We are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Kim A. Eagle, M.D. as professor of health management and policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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

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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D.
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for Faculty Member

NAME: Anthony H. Francis

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Special Projects, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Anthony H. Francis as associate dean for special projects, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective November 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013.

Anthony Francis received a Bachelor of Science at Yale University in 1964 and Doctorate at the University of Michigan in 1969. He did post-doctoral work from 1970 through 1971 at the University of California, Berkeley, and was a lecturer there from 1971 through 1972. He was appointed as an assistant professor at the University of Illinois in 1972 and then joined our faculty as an associate professor in 1976. He was promoted to professor in 1984. He served as associate dean for research, computing, and facilities from 1997 through 2000, associate dean for research and graduate studies from 2000 through 2001, associate vice president for research from 2003 through 2004, associate dean for budget from 2004 through 2009, acting dean from July 2009 through August 2009 and, most recently, completed a term as associate dean for special projects. Professor Francis was recognized with an Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship in 1997. He has been the recipient of the Phi Lambda Upsilon Teaching and Leadership Award, Amoco Teaching Award, UM Faculty Fellowship, LSA Excellence in Research Award, and LSA Excellence in Education Award.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Anthony H. Francis as associate dean for special projects, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective November 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Joseph C. Kolars, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Senior Associate Dean for Education and Global Health Initiatives, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Josiah Macy, Jr. Professor of Health Professions Education, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017

On the recommendation of James O. Woolliscroft, M.D., the Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine and Dean of the Medical School, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Joseph C. Kolars, M.D. as the Josiah Macy, Jr. Professor of Health Professions Education, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017.

The Josiah Macy, Jr. Professorship in Health Professions Education was established in 2012 through funds from the Josiah Macy, Jr. Foundation. It is intended to support a faculty member in the Medical School who is a national leader in advancing teaching, research and professional training in health professions education.

Joseph Kolars received his M.D. degree in 1982 from the University of Minnesota. He completed an internship and residency at Abbott Northwestern Hospital in Minneapolis, a fellowship in gastroenterology at the University of Minnesota and a fellowship in hepatology at the University of Michigan. Dr. Kolars joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1989 as an instructor, and rose through the ranks to an associate professor, with tenure. He was appointed as associate chair for graduate medical education and residency program director in 1993.

Dr. Kolars was appointed as a professor at Shanghai Medical University in 1996, where he established a western-based healthcare system in China. He returned to the United States in 1999 and was appointed as a professor at the Mayo Clinic. While there, Dr. Kolars served as the internal medicine residency program director for five years. In 2009, he returned to the University of Michigan as a professor, with tenure, and as senior associate dean for education and global initiatives, overseeing the education mission and global initiatives of the Medical School.
has been selected as a scientific advisor for the Global Independent Commission on the Education of Health Professionals. Dr. Kolars is an advisor to the NIH/PEPFAR Medical Education Partnership Initiative’s coordinating center at George Washington University. He is co-director of a joint institute between the University of Michigan Medical School and Peking University Health Science Center for translational research and education.

Dr. Kolars has had a long and distinguished career as a medical educator and has received numerous awards for his teaching and mentorship. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Joseph C. Kolars, M.D. as the Josiah Macy, Jr. Professor in Health Professions Education, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
The John Gideon Searle Professorship was established by the Regents in October 2012 through a generous endowment gift from Mr. John G. Searle in 1977. It was created in addition to the John G. Searle Professorship and the John Gideon Searle Assistant Professorship, with permission from the Searle family, to utilize the substantial income from the endowment to recognize a promising scholar at the senior level in any discipline within the College of Pharmacy.

Professor Ringold received her Bachelor of Science degree in 1992 and her Doctor of Pharmacy degree in 1994, both from the University of Minnesota. In 1996 she completed a two-year clinical research fellowship in psychopharmacology at the University of Iowa College of Pharmacy, and she received board certification in psychiatric pharmacy in 1997. Professor Ringold was appointed as director of the Pharmacogenetics Laboratory at the University of Iowa College of Pharmacy in 1998. She became an assistant professor in 1999 and received a promotion to associate professor, with tenure, in 2004, when she was also appointed as chair of the Clinical Pharmaceutical Sciences Graduate Program. She joined the University of Michigan in 2006 as associate professor of pharmacy and was promoted to the rank of professor in 2012.

Professor Ringold is considered a pioneering leader in the field of psychiatric pharmacogenetics. She is one of only a few clinical pharmacy faculty in the country to conduct research in this area and is one of a very small number of pharmacy translational scientists who have received federal funding for their work. The trajectory of her research program has been remarkable. She has published numerous papers in leading scientific journals, and she has had a significant impact on the knowledge in her field.
Professor Ringold is an extremely dedicated and innovative educator whose philosophy is to help students become successful critical thinkers. She utilizes active learning strategies and a team-based learning approach, requiring student preparation prior to class and then offering opportunities to apply what they have learned through in-class discussions and laboratory activities. Her cutting-edge teaching methods are helping to shape the way pharmacy education will be provided in the future, and we applaud Professor Ringold for her leadership in this area and for the excellent teaching evaluations she has received. Professor Ringold is also an outstanding mentor, highly sought after by pharmacy students, research fellows, and other clinical scientists.

Professor Ringold has been an outstanding contributor in terms of service to science, pharmacy, and the University. She is a founding member of the College of Psychiatric and Neurologic Pharmacists, which was established in 1998, and continues to contribute to that organization in many ways, including service as chair of the Research Committee (2006-2009), secretary of the Board of Directors, and member of the Programming Committee. She has also been very active in the American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP). She was elected to the ACCP Research Institute Board of Trustees for 2010-2014 and is currently serving as president. Beyond pharmacy, she was appointed to the National Alliance on Mental Illness’ Scientific Research Council and is one of only two pharmacists on this committee. Professor Ringold also provides significant service to the University of Michigan through her work with the Depression Center and the Michigan Institute for Clinical and Translational Research. She has been the leading force behind the College’s recent faculty development activities, as well as a leader in adopting the College’s new team-based learning pedagogy.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Vicki Ellingrod Ringold as the John Gideon Searle Professor, College of Pharmacy, for a five-year renewable term, effective December 1, 2012 through November 30, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Frank J. Asciot
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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

November 2012
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION  

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member  

NAME: Susan E. Shore  

CURRENT TITLES: Joseph E. Hawkins, Jr. Collegiate Research Professor, and Associate Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, without tenure, Medical School  

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2012  

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, with the endorsement of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Susan E. Shore as associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Department of Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2012.  

Professor Shore earned her B.A. in speech pathology and audiology, and her M.A. in hearing science (cum laude) from the University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa in 1972 and 1976, respectively. She received her Ph.D. from the Louisiana State University Medical Center in 1981. She served as a post-doctoral fellow at the University of Pittsburgh in 1981. Professor Shore then completed a post-doctoral fellowship at the University of Michigan Kresge Hearing Research Institute between 1982 and 1984. Professor Shore has held several positions in Kresge between 1984 and 2000, including research investigator, visiting scientist, and adjunct assistant research scientist. She was then appointed as an assistant research scientist in 2000 and promoted to research associate professor in 2002 and to research professor in 2008. In 2006, Professor Shore was appointed as an associate professor, without tenure, in the Department of Molecular and Integrative Physiology.  

The objectives of Professor Shore's laboratory are to study the role of neural connections from other parts of the brain to the cochlear nucleus. A strong emphasis of their studies is two major projection systems: the somatosensory innervation to the external regions of the cochlear nucleus, and descending connections from other auditory structures to core regions of the cochlear nucleus. In addition to the normal innervation, they also study changes in these pathways after various forms of hearing loss, and their possible roles in tinnitus, loudness recruitment and central auditory processing.  

Professor Shore's lab uses tract-tracing and immune-histochemical methods to study neural connections and single and multi-unit neurophysiology to study the responses of neurons to sounds. The implementation of multichannel recording and drug-delivery electrodes expedites their studies of single cell responses. Lesion studies and neuropharmacology are used to assess the role of extracochlear pathways in sound coding.
With this joint appointment, Professor Shore is ideally suited to assist the Department of Biomedical Engineering by her active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Susan E. Shore as associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Department of Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2012.

RECOMMENDED BY:  

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

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

November 2012

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Philip J. Hanlon  
Provost and Executive Vice President  
for Academic Affairs
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We are extremely pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael J. Solomon as associate dean for academic programs and initiatives, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, effective January 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

Michael J. Solomon earned his B.S. degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1990 and his Ph.D. from the University of California in 1996. He served as a post-doctoral fellow at the University of Melbourne, Australia in 1996-1997 and joined the faculty of the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in the Department of Chemical Engineering in 1997. In addition to this appointment, in 1999 Mr. Solomon was appointed as an assistant professor in the Macromolecular Science and Engineering Program. He was promoted in 2003 to associate professor, with tenure, in Chemical Engineering and associate professor, without tenure, in Macromolecular Science and Engineering and in 2009 was promoted to professor, with tenure, in Chemical Engineering and professor, without tenure, in Macromolecular Science and Engineering.

Professor Solomon has published articles in such publications as *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, Journal of Infectious Diseases, Current Opinion in Colloid Interface Science, Applied and Environmental Microbiology, Soft Matter, Korea-Australia Rheology Journal, Physical Review Letters, Nature, and Macromolecular Rapid Communications, and Langmuir*. His research interests are in the area of complex fluids and his group has applied new 3D confocal microscopy methods to generate discoveries in nanocolloidal assembly, colloidal gelation, and the biomechanics of bacterial biofilms. His work has also included discovery of a universal scaling for polymer scission in turbulence that identifies the limits that scission imposes on turbulent drag reduction. Other research interests have included the rheology of polymer nanocomposites, the microrheology of complex fluids and the microfluidic synthesis of anisotropic particles.
Professor Solomon was awarded the 2011 Soft Matter Lectureship which is given annually by the Royal Society of Chemistry’s journal Soft Matter, the College of Engineering’s 2010 Education Excellence Award, and a 2008 Faculty Recognition Award from the Rackham Graduate School. In 2006 the University of Michigan Chapter of the American Society of Engineering Education named him Outstanding Professor of the Year and in 2003 he received the University’s Henry Russel Award. In addition to his academic achievements, Professor Solomon has extensive administrative experience at the University of Michigan, currently serving on the Department of Chemical Engineering’s Undergraduate Committee, as a member of the Rackham Graduate School’s Mentoring Others Results in Excellence (MORE) Committee, and as faculty advisor to the University’s Leadership and Integration in Faculty Transitions (LIFT) program. He has served as the College of Engineering’s Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) Review liaison to the College of Literature, Science, and Arts (2010-2011), as chair of the Chemical Engineering Faculty Search Committee (2009-2011), as a member of the Faculty Recognition Award Selection Committee at the Rackham Graduate School (2009-2012), as chair of the Chemical Engineering Undergraduate Program Committee (2005-2009), and as a member of the College of Engineering’s McIvor Award Selection Committee (2007-2011).

Professor Solomon’s teaching, research, and administrative service have equipped him well to carry out the duties of associate dean. We are confident that he will provide strong and effective encouragement and leadership for academic program development, interdisciplinary initiatives, and graduate education more generally. We are therefore pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael J. Solomon as associate dean for academic programs and initiatives, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, effective January 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Philip J. Hanlon  
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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

November 2012
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Billy Tsai, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology, with tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Corydon Ford Collegiate Professor, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017

On the recommendation of James Douglas Engel, Ph.D., the G. Carl Huber Professor 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 Billy Tsai, Ph.D. as the Corydon Ford Collegiate Professor, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017.

The Corydon Ford Collegiate Professorship was established in 2012 through funds derived from the G. Carl Huber Professorship. It is intended to support a tenured faculty member in the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology with a focus on research and teaching.

Billy Tsai received his Ph.D. from Harvard University in 1999. He completed a fellowship at that institution. In 2003, Dr. Tsai was appointed as an assistant professor at the University of Michigan in the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology. He was promoted to an associate professor, with tenure, in 2008.

Dr. Tsai’s research focuses on understanding the molecular basis of viral and microbial pathogenesis. His laboratory seeks to clarify how the DNA tumor virus family of polyomaviruses and the bacterial toxin cholera toxin penetrate the host endoplasmic reticulum membrane to reach the cytosol, a decisive infection step. This research is supported by two R01 NIH grants and a Burroughs Wellcome Fund grant. Dr. Tsai’s internationally-recognized work has led to an invitation for him to serve as an editorial board member of the Journal of Virology and to a standing membership on a NIH study section. He has also received two nominations by the NIAID for a Presidential Early Career Award and numerous invited talks at prestigious institutions and national meetings.

Dr. Tsai is a Biological Sciences Scholar at the University of Michigan. He has published 29 articles in high-impact journals including the Journal of Cell Biology, Molecular Biology of the Cell and the Journal of Biological Chemistry. He has taught numerous courses and has been a
mentor to graduate students, fellows, post-doctoral students and served on multiple thesis committees.

Dr. Tsai is established as one of the foremost scholars in his discipline and well deserves the honor of this endowed chair. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Billy Tsai, Ph.D. as the Corydon Ford Collegiate Professor, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Kristen J. Verhey, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology, with tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: A. Kent Christensen Collegiate Professor, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017

On the recommendation of James Douglas Engel, Ph.D., the G. Carl Huber Professor 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 Kristen J. Verhey, Ph.D. as the A. Kent Christensen Collegiate Professor, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017.

The A. Kent Christensen Collegiate Professorship was established in 2012 through funds derived from the G. Carl Huber Professorship. It is intended to support a tenured faculty member in the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology with a focus on research and teaching.

Kristen J. Verhey received her Ph.D. in biological chemistry and molecular planning from Harvard University in 1995. She completed a fellowship in cell biology at that institution. She was a visiting assistant professor at Wellesley College from 2001-2002, and joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology as an assistant professor in 2002. Dr. Verhey was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2008.

Dr. Verhey’s research focuses on the basic mechanisms by which microtubules and their associated motor proteins carry out intracellular trafficking events. Her research is not only seminal, but has potential therapeutic implications. Dr. Verhey’s work has been funded by multiple NIH grants and her work has been published in top-tier journals. She has mentored students and post-doctoral fellows who have continued on to win international awards and fellowships. Dr. Verhey’s teaching is exemplary. She has been course director of CDB530 Cell Biology and in that role has transformed the course into an interactive learning experience. She also lectures graduate students and medical students.

Dr. Verhey has served on numerous departmental and university committees. She has served the scientific community nationally and internationally as an ad hoc and standing member of an NIH study section, by reviewing grants for professional organizations, chairing sessions at major scientific conferences, and by serving on the program committee for the American Society of Cell Biology.
Dr. Verhey's scholarship, research, service and teaching make her a most appropriate holder for this professorship. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Kristen J. Verhey, Ph.D. as the A. Kent Christensen Collegiate Professor, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment and an Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Philip Zazove, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Interim Chair, Department of Family Medicine, and Clinical Professor of Family Medicine, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Chair, Department of Family Medicine, George A. Dean, M.D. Chair of Family Medicine, and Clinical Professor of Family Medicine, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 1, 2012

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Philip Zazove, M.D. as chair, Department of Family Medicine, and as the George A. Dean, M.D. Chair of Family Medicine, Medical School, effective December 1, 2012.

Dr. Zazove joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1989 as a clinical assistant professor of family practice, and rose through the ranks to his current position of clinical professor of family medicine, in 2001. Dr. Zazove is experienced in administrative activities at all institutional levels. He has served as assistant chair of clinical programs for family medicine, associate medical director for ambulatory care, associate medical director of MCare, and, since July of 2011, as interim chair of family medicine.

Dr. Zazove has amassed an outstanding record of accomplishment in patient care, teaching, research and service throughout his academic career at the University of Michigan. It is the judgment of the Executive Committee that he is most qualified to serve in this administrative capacity. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Philip Zazove, M.D. as chair, Department of Family Medicine, and as the George A. Dean, M.D. Chair of Family Medicine, Medical School, effective December 1, 2012.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

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

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Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:          Additional Appointment to a Research Professorship

NAME:                    Weiping Zou, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLE:           Professor of Surgery, with tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE:        Charles B. de Nancrède Research Professor of Surgery, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES:         November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017

On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Coller Distinguished Professor and Chair of Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Weiping Zou, M.D., Ph.D. as the Charles B. de Nancrède Research Professor of Surgery, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017.

The Charles B. de Nancrède Research Professorship in Surgery was established in 2006 to honor Charles B. de Nancrède, M.D., who was a professor of surgery at the University of Michigan from 1889-1917. This professorship is intended to recognize an outstanding, tenured faculty member in the Department of Surgery for superior achievement in education, clinical care, and research.

Weiping Zou received his M.D. from Tongji Medical School in China in 1990. He received a Ph.D. in 1997 from the University of Paris in France. Dr. Zou was an instructor at Tongji Medical School, an assistant professor, and subsequently an associate professor, with tenure, at Tulane University. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an associate professor, with tenure, in 2006, and rose through the ranks to professor, with tenure, in 2008. He currently holds the title of director of translational research in the Department of Surgery, and as co-director of the Immune Monitoring Core in the Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Dr. Zou’s research focuses on tumor immunity, immune suppression, and immune vaccination. His laboratory has achieved important insights into cancer immunopathogenesis in patients with cancer. Dr. Zou’s studies have defined the nature of immune responses in the human tumor microenvironment, formed the concept of immunosuppressive networks and provided a scientific rationale and basis for current tumor cancer. He has received numerous awards for his research, including the Charles B. Henriques Award for Excellence in Research.
Dr. Zou is an accomplished researcher and one of the brightest and best in the field of immunology. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Weiping Zou, M.D., Ph.D. as the Charles B. de Nancrede Research Professor of Surgery, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012 through August 31, 2017.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic administrative positions.
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Establish a New Academic Administrative Position

POSITION TITLE: Associate Dean for Philanthropy, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 1, 2012

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the position of associate dean for philanthropy, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012.

The establishment of this incremental academic administrative position will provide oversight and support for the development, implementation and evaluation of Medical School faculty education programs and activities related to medical development. It is planned that the associate dean will provide consultation to department chairs regarding philanthropic activities and programs within their units, conduct educational training sessions for physicians to raise awareness of the role of Medical Development, and create greater faculty ownership of the University of Michigan Health System fundraising priorities.

In addition to these activities, the associate dean for philanthropy will serve as a liaison between Medical School departments and the UMHS Office of Medical Development and Alumni Relations. It is planned that the individual holding this position will develop and provide oversight of engagement strategies related to emeritus Medical School faculty. Further, the associate dean for philanthropy will support and help create a development educational curriculum and faculty outreach strategy.

It is important that the philanthropic activities of the Medical School be fully supported, therefore, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the position of associate dean for philanthropy, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Jerome W. Conn Collegiate Professorship, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 1, 2012

On the recommendation of John Carethers, 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 establishment of the Jerome W. Conn Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012.

This professorship is being established through donor and departmental funds. It will support endocrine neoplasia clinical and basic research including, but not limited to, adrenal neoplasia or related metabolic diseases. The holder of this professorship will be a tenured faculty member of the Department of Internal Medicine, Division of Metabolism, Endocrinology and Diabetes, and a member of the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center, with involvement in the Endocrine Oncology Program. The appointment period may be up to five years, and the appointment may be renewed.

Jerome W. Conn received his M.D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1932. He spent his career at the University of Michigan and was named the first division director of Metabolism, Endocrine, Nutrition and Diabetes within the Department of Internal Medicine. Dr. Conn held that position from 1943-1973. He was named the L.H. Newburgh Distinguished University Professor in 1968 and retired in 1973. Dr. Conn died in 1994.

Dr. Conn is credited with his description of primary hyperaldosteronism, which is also known as Conn’s Syndrome. It is based on detailed clinical investigative work which examined salt regulation under conditions of tropic heat exposure. The disorder stems from an adrenal tumor that produces too much aldosterone, a hormone that affects the kidneys and causes the retention of salt and excretion of potassium.

Dr. Conn authored 284 scientific papers during his career and served as president of the American Diabetes Association and the Central Society for Clinical Research. He was elected to the National Academy of Sciences, and was a founding member of the Institute of Medicine. Dr. Conn received numerous awards throughout his career, including the Distinguished Achievement Award of the American College of Nutrition, and the Gold Medal of the International Society for Progress.
This professorship will recognize the achievements of Dr. Conn and honor his research and medical advancement while at the University of Michigan. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the Jerome W. Conn Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective November 1, 2012.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
ACTION REQUEST: Correction to the Name of an Existing Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Sonya Rose Collegiate Professorship in History

In the July 2012 Regents Communication requesting to name an existing collegiate professorship, we mistakenly noted the name of the collegiate professorship as Sonya Rose Collegiate Professorship in History. What follows is the correction to the collegiate professorship title.

CORRECTED TITLE: Sonya O. Rose Collegiate Professorship in History

Please accept this correction to the collegiate professorship.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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

November 2012

Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 15, 2012
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff
Correction to Additional Title on a Previously Submitted Regents Communication

Daniel A. Lawrence, Ph.D.
Frederick G.L. Huetwell Collegiate Professor of Basic Research in Cardiovascular Medicine, Medical School

In the September 2012 Regents Communication requesting an additional title for Daniel A. Lawrence, Ph.D., the additional title, the first paragraph, and the closing paragraph described the professorship as the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor of Basic Research in Cardiovascular Medicine, Medical School. This should be changed to the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Collegiate Professor of Basic Research in Cardiovascular Medicine, Medical School. The additional title is correctly described in paragraph two. This correction should be effective November 1, 2012.

Please accept this correction to the Regents Communication for Dr. Daniel Lawrence’s additional title.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

November 2012
ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Administrative Appointment

NAME: Timothy G. Lynch

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Vice President and General Counsel, Office of the Vice President and General Counsel

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 7, 2013 through January 6, 2018

It is with great pleasure that I recommend the appointment of Timothy G. Lynch as vice president and general counsel, Office of the Vice President and General Counsel, effective January 7, 2013 through January 6, 2018.

In this role and under the direction of the president and the Board of Regents, Mr. Lynch will conduct the legal affairs of and provide legal advice and representation for the University.

The vice president and general counsel (VPGC) is the chief legal officer and works closely with the president and the Board of Regents, the University executive officers, and all other University units on the various legal issues affecting the institution. The VPGC establishes goals, approaches, and strategies for the University in its legal affairs and oversees their implementation, and monitors and provides advice on legal trends, new or proposed legislation, and administrative rules that may affect the University's activities. The VPGC represents the University in courts of law or before quasi-judicial or administrative agencies, and/or retains counsel for such representation. When necessary and appropriate, the vice president and general counsel will contract for and manage outside legal services. Under the supervision of the vice president, the Office of the Vice President and General Counsel provides counsel to the University, which includes the Ann Arbor, Dearborn and Flint campuses. The attorneys in the Health System Legal Office, the Development Legal office, and the Technology Management Office report to the vice president and general counsel.

Mr. Lynch received his B.A. degree from the University of Rochester in 1990 and his J.D. degree from Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, D.C., in 1995. While at Georgetown, he served as editor-in-chief of the Georgetown Law Journal.

Mr. Lynch has served as the acting general counsel (December 2011-April 2012) and deputy general counsel for litigation and enforcement (2010-present) with the U.S. Department of Energy. He has an extensive background in complex civil and criminal litigation and has investigated, litigated, and successfully tried numerous cases in federal and state courts. Before joining the Department of Energy, Mr. Lynch was an assistant chief litigation counsel at the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) (2009-2010), where he litigated nationwide securities fraud enforcement actions. Prior to joining the SEC, Mr. Lynch served for seven years...
(2002-2009) as an assistant United States attorney in the U.S. Attorney’s Office for the District of Columbia, where he was a senior prosecutor in the Fraud and Public Corruption Section. Mr. Lynch began his legal career in 1995 as a law clerk to the Honorable Cornelia G. Kennedy of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit in Detroit and thereafter joined the Washington, D.C. law firm of Shea & Gardner (1996-2002). Mr. Lynch is an adjunct professor at Georgetown University Law Center (2008-present), where he teaches evidence, and the University of Virginia Law School (2007-present), where he teaches courses on white collar crime.

I look forward to the leadership, depth of experience, and vision that Mr. Lynch will bring to the University as vice president and general counsel. The Board of Regents and I are deeply committed to maintaining a well-respected and superior office of general counsel for the University, and we are very confident that Mr. Lynch will excel in managing this area. It is with great enthusiasm that I recommend the appointment of Timothy G. Lynch as vice president and general counsel, Office of the Vice President and General Counsel, effective January 7, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Sue Coleman
President

November 2012
Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Nagraj Balakrishnan
TITLES: Dean, and Professor of Management, College of Business
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: February 1, 2013

On the recommendation of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, and with the concurrence of the College of Business Executive Committee, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Nagraj Balakrishnan as professor of management, with tenure, effective February 1, 2013, and dean, College of Business, effective February 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018.

Professor Balakrishnan received his Bachelor of Engineering in mechanical engineering (with honors) from the University of Madras, Madras, India, and his Master of Science in mechanical engineering from the University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky. He went on to earn his Ph.D. in management (concentrations in management science & operations management) from the Kranert Graduate School of Management at Purdue University in West Lafayette, Indiana. Professor Balakrishnan comes to the University of Michigan – Dearborn from Clemson University where he is currently a senior associate dean in the College of Business and Behavioral Science and professor of business administration. Prior to his appointment as senior associate dean, he served as chair of the Department of Management and as director of Graduate Programs. Professor Balakrishnan has been a member of the Clemson University faculty since 1994.

Professor Balakrishnan is widely recognized as an accomplished teacher/scholar. He was twice named Professor of the Year by the Clemson MBA Student Association in 2006-2007 and 1998-1999 and has published widely in the fields of supply chain management, decision modeling, and mechanical engineering. His work has also been supported by a number of grants, including funding from the National Science Foundation. In recognition of his outstanding scholarly and pedagogical work the Clemson University Board of Trustees bestowed its Award for Faculty Excellence on Professor Balakrishnan in 2004.

I am pleased to recommend for your approval the appointment of Nagraj Balakrishnan as professor of management, with tenure, effective February 1, 2013, and dean, College of Business, effective February 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018.

Recommended by:

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Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

November 2012
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments
or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected
academic administrative staff
I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Kenneth Kettenbeil as vice chancellor for external relations at the University of Michigan-Dearborn, effective November 15, 2012.

The Divisions of Government Relations and Marketing and Communications are being combined to form the Division of External Relations. The Division of External Relations will encompass the work of communications, marketing, and government relations. As vice chancellor for external relations, Mr. Kettenbeil will provide leadership for this new organization.

Mr. Kettenbeil graduated from Wayne State University with a B.A. in communications.

Mr. Kettenbeil has served as the executive director of communications and marketing responsible for leading these activities for the Dearborn campus since March 1, 2010. In his role, Mr. Kettenbeil has been responsible for all aspects of communications and marketing on the Dearborn campus. Specific responsibilities include the development of a strategic campus-wide communications plan, a focus on internal communication processes, media relations, crisis communication, publication oversight and support of the university’s four colleges and various departments and organizations.

I am pleased to recommend for your approval the appointment of Kenneth Kettenbeil as vice chancellor for external relations, effective November 15, 2012.

Recommended by:

Daniel Little, Chancellor
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