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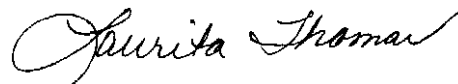
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ITEM FOR INFORMATION

**REPORTS OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL TRANSACTIONS**

Attached are summary reports listing all those regular instructional appointments, changes in status, leaves of absence, and terminations which have been administratively approved during the past month.

Respectfully submitted,



Laurita Thomas  
Associate Vice-President  
and Chief Human Resource Officer

December, 2013

ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED NEW APPOINTMENTS  
OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF  
December, 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN – ANN ARBOR

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Emergency Medicine

Otero, Ronny, M.D., Clinical Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine, effective October 1, 2013 to August 31, 2014

Internal Medicine

Clines, Gregory A., M.D., Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, effective November 1, 2013 to October 31, 2016, from the Birmingham Medical Center, Birmingham, Alabama

Mansour Riwes, Mary, D. O., Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, effective November 13, 2013 to October 31, 2015, from the University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida

Radiation Oncology

Kim, Michelle, M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Radiation Oncology, effective November 12, 2013 to October 31, 2015, from the University of Texas, Houston, Texas

Surgery

Sandhu, Gurjit, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Surgery, effective November 1, 2013 to October 31, 2014, from the Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Zielinski, Ruth, Ph.D., Clinical Associate Professor of Nursing, effective January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2016, from the Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan

Timmerman, Nicole, B.S.N., Clinical Instructor in Nursing, effective October 25, 2013 to August 31, 2014, from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

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SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY

Kuroda, Kenichi, Ph.D., from Assistant Professor of Dentistry, Department of Biologic and Materials Science, School of Dentistry, Assistant Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Assistant Professor of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, College of Engineering to Assistant Professor of Dentistry, Department of Biologic and Materials Science, School of Dentistry, Assistant Professor of Biomedical Engineering, Assistant Professor of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, College of Engineering and Assistant Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2019

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Family Medicine

Williams, Christa B., M.D., from Clinical Lecturer in Family Medicine to Clinical Lecturer in Family Medicine and Clinical Lecturer in Obstetrics and Gynecology, effective December 1, 2013 to August 31, 2014

Neurology

Fletcher, Jeffrey J., M.D., from Clinical Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery and Clinical Assistant Professor of Neurology to Clinical Assistant Professor of Neurology, effective October 1, 2013

Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery

Stanley, Jeffrey J., M.D., from Clinical Assistant Professor of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery to Clinical Assistant Professor of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery and Clinical Assistant Professor of Neurology, effective November 1, 2013 to October 31, 2014

Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases

Harris, Andrew, M.D., from Clinical Lecturer in Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases to Clinical Assistant Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, effective December 1, 2013 to August 31, 2014

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MEDICAL SCHOOL (continued)

Psychiatry

Kamali, Masoud, M.D., from Clinical Lecturer in Psychiatry to Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, effective November 1, 2013 to August 31, 2014

Votruba, Kristen L., Ph.D., from Clinical Lecturer in Psychiatry to Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, effective October 18, 2013 to August 31, 2014

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Strobbe, Stephen, Ph.D., from Clinical Associate Professor of Nursing to Clinical Associate Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing and Clinical Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Medical School, effective July 1, 2013 to August 31, 2014

ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED EMERITUS/A FACULTY APPOINTMENTS  
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COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Civil and Environmental Engineering

Woods, Richard, Ph.D., Professor Emeritus of Civil and Environmental Engineering,  
effective January 1, 2014 to April 30, 2014

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STEPHEN M ROSS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Capozza, Dennis R., Ph.D., Dale L. Dykema Professor of Business Administration and Professor of Finance, on extended sick leave January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Herbst, Patricio G., Ph.D., Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education and Professor of Mathematics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to complete a graduate textbook on the teaching and learning of geometry, also to pick up a dormant e-book project. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Civil and Environmental Engineering

Katopodes, Nikolaos D., Ph.D., Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to continue research on the Cyber-enabled scenarios for an avulsion of the Great Lakes interconnecting channels. Work will be done at the Technical University of Kavalla, Greece.

Love, Nancy G., Ph.D., Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2014, to work on integrating bioprocess models with sensor information to improve the design and operation of treatment systems into more efficient technologies. Work will be done at the University of Cape town, South Africa.

Ivanov, Valeriy Y., Ph.D., Associate Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to investigate atmosphere-land-surface interactions and contributing to the program of real-time prediction of landslides. Work will be done in Rio de Janeiro and Zurich.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN – ANN ARBOR  
COLLEGE OF LITERATURE, SCIENCE, AND THE ARTS

Anthropology

Irvine, Judith T., Ph.D., Edward Sapir Collegiate Professor of Linguistic Anthropology and Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, on extended sick leave effective September 25, 2013 to May 31, 2014.

Rubin, Gayle S., Ph.D., Associate Professor of Anthropology, with tenure and Associate Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, on outside teaching leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to complete a visiting assignment. Work will be done at Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Bigham, Abigail W., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Anthropology, on research leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to conduct work on a research opportunity. Work will be done in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Anthropology Museum

Wright, Henry T., Ph.D., Albert Clanton Spaulding Distinguished University Professor of Anthropology and Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, on scholarly activity leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to create a model of ancient mesopotamian state formation. Work will be done at the Santa Fe Institute, New Mexico.

Chemistry

Francis, Anthony H., Ph.D., Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, on duty off campus leave effective September 1, 2012 to December 31, 2014, per retirement agreement. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Communication Studies

Iftkhar, Shazia, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Communication Studies, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2013 to May 31, 2013, to conduct research and prepare to stand for tenure. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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COLLEGE OF LITERATURE, SCIENCE, AND THE ARTS (continued)

Economics

Wolfers, Justin, Ph.D., Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Public Policy, with tenure, Gerald R Ford School of Public Policy, on duty off campus leave effective September 1, 2013 to May 31, 2014, to continue ongoing research on subjective well-being, macroeconomics, labor economics and behavioral economics. Work will be done at the Brookline Institute, Washington, District of Columbia.

English Language and Literature

Jordan, Aaron V., M.F.A., Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, on outside teaching leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to serve as Distinguished Poet-in-Residence. Work will be done at the Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont.

Kuppers, Petra, Ph.D., Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor of Art, without tenure, Penny W Stamps School of Art and Design and Professor of Theatre and Drama, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, on research leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to continue field research with community art projects. Work will be done in New Zealand and Australia.

Moss, Thylias, M.A., Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Art and Design, without tenure, Penny W Stamps School of Art and Design, on extended sick leave effective September 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.

Germanic Languages and Literatures

Barndt, Kerstin, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures, with tenure, on scholarly activity leave effective September 1, 2013 to May 31, 2014, to complete a manuscript entitled "Exhibiting Time and History in Contemporary Germany". Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.



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COLLEGE OF LITERATURE, SCIENCE, AND THE ARTS (continued)

Germanic Languages and Literatures (continued)

Von Moltke, Johannes E., Ph.D., Associate Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures, with tenure and Associate Professor of Screen Arts and Cultures, with tenure on sabbatical leave effective September 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013, to complete a book manuscript entitled “Manhattan Transfer: Siegfried Kracauer, the Frankfurt School, and the New York Intellectuals”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

History

Peterson, Derek R., Ph.D., Professor of History, with tenure and Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, with tenure, on duty off campus leave effective September 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013 and scholarly activity leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to complete research and write a book on the history of Idi Amin’s Uganda. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Suny, Ronald G., Ph.D., Charles Tilly Collegiate Professor of Social and Political History, Professor of History, with tenure and Professor of Political Science, without tenure, on scholarly activity leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to complete a book entitled “Russia’s Empires” and begin a book on the Armenian Genocide. Work will be done in Berlin, Germany.

Hughes, Brandi S., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of American Culture Program and Assistant Professor of History, on scholarly activity leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to conduct research and writing a book manuscript. Work will be done at the Princeton University, New Jersey.

Mathematics

Esedoglu, Selim, Ph.D., Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective September 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013, to continue research on the mathematical problems in materials science. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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COLLEGE OF LITERATURE, SCIENCE, AND THE ARTS (continued)

Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology

Shafer, Orië, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology, on duty off campus leave effective September 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013, for a nurturance leave. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Philosophy

Aarnio, Maria A., D.Phil., Assistant Professor of Philosophy, on outside teaching leave effective January 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014, to write three research papers and give talks. Work will be done at the University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom.

Physics

Lorenzon, Wolfgang B., Ph.D., Professor of Physics, with tenure, on extended sick leave effective January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013.

Psychology

Zhang, Jun, Ph.D., Professor of Psychology, with tenure and Professor of Mathematics, without tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014, to continue improvement on lecture notes for Automotive Powertrain Systems I and II; continue to work on hybrid vehicle design and control and present seminars at outside locations. Work will be done in Dearborn, Michigan and China.

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Internal Medicine

Yamada, Elina, M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, on family medical leave effective August 15, 2013 to September 16, 2013.

Montoya, Ana T., M.D., Clinical Instructor in Internal Medicine, on extended sick leave effective September 24, 2013 to October 22, 2013.

Buschur, Elizabeth O., M.D., Clinical Lecturer in Internal Medicine, on extended sick leave effective October 23, 2013 to December 17, 2013 and family medical leave effective December 18, 2013 to January 14, 2014.

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MEDICAL SCHOOL (continued)

Pathology

Gordon, David, M.D., Professor of Pathology, with tenure, on extended sick leave effective October 23, 2013 to December 1, 2013.

SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Health Behavior and Health Education

Krause, Neal M., Ph.D., Marshall H Becker Collegiate Professor of Public Health and Professor of Health Behavior and Health Education, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective September 1, 2013 to May 31, 2014, to analyze data and write papers. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN – DEARBORN  
COLLEGE OF ARTS, SCIENCES AND LETTERS

Natural Sciences

Mostafapour, M. Kazem, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry,  
Department of Natural Sciences, with tenure, on retirement furlough effective January 1,  
2014 to December 31, 2014.

Social Sciences

Hull, Brooks B., Ph.D., Professor of Economics, Department of Social Sciences, with  
tenure, on retirement furlough effective September 1, 2014 to April 30, 2015.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN – FLINT  
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Earth and Resource Sciences

Hill-Rowley, Richard, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Earth and Resource Sciences, with  
tenure, on retirement furlough effective January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014.

French

Trionfi, Vittorio, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of French, on extended sick leave effective  
November 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.

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COLLEGE OF LITERATURE, SCIENCE, AND THE ARTS

Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

Myer, Philip, Ph.D., Professor of Zoology, Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, retired after 33 years of service, effective December 31, 2013

Mathematics

Lazarsfeld, Robert K., Ph.D., Raymond L Wilder Collegiate Professor of Mathematics and Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, retired after 16 years of service, effective December 31, 2013

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Anesthesiology

Learned, David W., M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Anesthesiology, retired after 27 years of service, effective December 6, 2013

Linton, Jonathan, M.B.Ch.B., Clinical Instructor in Anesthesiology, resigned after 1 year of service, to accept a position at the Basingstoke and North Hampshire Hospital, Basingstoke, New Hampshire, effective November 11, 2013

Giles, Matthew B., M.D., Clinical Lecturer in Anesthesiology, resigned after 3 years of service to accept a position at the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ypsilanti, Michigan, effective November 30, 2013

Biological Chemistry

Umemori, Hisashi, M.D., Assistant Professor of Biological Chemistry, resigned after 7 years of service to accept a position at the Boston Children's Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts, effective December 15, 2013

Internal Medicine

Chottiner, Elaine G., M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, appointment completed after 2 years of service, effective December 31, 2013

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MEDICAL SCHOOL (continued)

Radiology

Kim, Moon-Chul, M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Radiology, resigned after 12 years of service to accept a position as self-employed in Ann Arbor, Michigan, effective December 31, 2013

Surgery

Nguyen, Kevin T., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Surgery, resigned after 3 years of service to accept a position at the Piedmont Hospital, Atlanta, Georgia, effective October 31, 2013

SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Epidemiology

Aiello, Allison E., Ph.D., Associate Professor of Epidemiology, with tenure, resigned after 10 years of service to accept a position at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, effective December 31, 2013

GERALD R FORD SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY

Chamberlin, John R., Ph.D., Professor of Public Policy, with tenure, Gerald R Ford School of Public Policy, Professor of Political Science, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, retired after 43 years of service, effective December 31, 2013

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN – FLINT

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Theatre

Friesen, Lauren D., Ph.D., David M French Professor, Professor of Theatre, Chair,  
Department Theatre, retired after 16 years of service, effective December 31, 2013

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AIR FORCE OFFICER EDUCATION PROGRAM

Liscombe, Jonathan, B.S.B.A., Assistant Professor of Air Force Officer Education  
Program, appointment completed after 3 years of service, effective July 31, 2012.  
Previously reported as effective March 27, 2012

Nichols, Jr., Robert, M.G.T., Assistant Professor of Air Force Officer Education  
Program, appointment completed after 1 year of service, effective July 31, 2011.  
Previously reported as effective July 1, 2011