

SUMMARY OF PERSONNEL ACTIONS
REGENTS AGENDA
February 2013

ANN ARBOR CAMPUS

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

- (1) Dinov, Ivo D., associate professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective September 1, 2013.
- *(2) Schmidt, Thomas M., Ph.D., professor of internal medicine, with tenure, professor of microbiology and immunology, without tenure, Medical School, and professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013.
- *(3) Zurek, Kathryn, promotion to associate professor of physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 (currently assistant professor of physics.)

2. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected administrative staff.

- (1) Howell, Scott B., interim chair, Navy Officer Education Program, effective February 1, 2013 through July 31, 2013.
- (2) Telian, Steven A., M.D., John L. Kemink, M.D. Professor of Neurotology, Medical School, effective April 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also professor of otolaryngology-head and neck surgery, with tenure.)
- (3) Wang, Kon-Well, chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also Stephen P. Timoshenko Collegiate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, and professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure.)

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

- (1) Aristarkhova, Irina, associate professor of the history of art, without tenure, and associate professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017 (also associate professor of art and design, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design.)
- (2) Chan, Heang-Ping, Ph.D., Paul L. Carson, Ph.D. Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also professor of radiology, with tenure.)

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

- (3) Crane, Daniel A., Frederick Paul Furth, Sr. Professor of Law, Law School, effective March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of law, with tenure.)
- *(4) Driscoll, James F., Arthur B. Modine Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017 (also professor of aerospace engineering, with tenure.)
- (5) Fowlkes, J. Brian, associate vice president for research – health sciences, Office of the Vice President for Research, effective March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016 (also professor of radiology, with tenure, Medical School, and professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
- (6) French, Katherine L., professor of women’s studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017 (also J. Frederick Hoffman Professor of Medieval and Early Modern English History, and professor of history, with tenure.)
- (7) Green, Carmen R., M.D., associate vice president and associate dean for health equity and inclusion, Medical School and University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers, effective February 1, 2013 (also professor of anesthesiology, with tenure, professor of obstetrics and gynecology, without tenure, Medical School, and professor of health management and policy, without tenure, School of Public Health.)
- (8) Katz, Ellen D., Ralph W. Aigler Professor of Law, Law School, effective March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of law, with tenure.)
- (9) Khanna, Vikramaditya S., William W. Cook Professor of Law, Law School, effective March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of law, with tenure.)
- *(10) Kota, Sridhar, Herrick Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017 (also professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure.)
- (11) Martin, Brent R., William R. Roush Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015 (also assistant professor of chemistry.)

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- (12) Mayer, Michael, associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017 (also associate professor of biomedical engineering, with tenure, and associate professor of chemical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
- (13) Maynard, Andrew D., Ph.D., NSF International Department Chair of Environmental Health Sciences, and chair, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015 (also professor of environmental health sciences, with tenure.)
- (14) McDonald, Terrence J., director, Bentley Historical Library, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, dean, and professor of history, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (15) Mendelson, Nina A., Joseph L. Sax Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, effective March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of law, with tenure.)
- (16) Messana, Joseph M., M.D., Richard D. Swartz, M.D. Collegiate Professor of Nephrology, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure.)
- (17) Montgomery, John, Margaret and Herman Sokol Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure.)
- (18) Novak, William J., Charles F. and Edith J. Clyne Professor of Law, Law School, effective March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of law, with tenure, Law School, and professor of history, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (19) Pollack, Martha E., provost and executive vice president for academic affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, effective May 6, 2013 through June 30, 2015 (also professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering, and professor of information, with tenure, School of Information.)

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- (20) Quasney, Michael W., M.D., Ph.D., Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and Prevention of Birth Defects, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure.)
- *(21) Reingold, Paul D., interim associate dean for clinical affairs, Law School, effective January 1, 2013 (also clinical professor of law.)
- (22) Wang, Thomas D., associate professor of mechanical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2013 (also associate professor of internal medicine, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
- (23) West, Mark D., dean, Law School, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also Nippon Life Professor of Law, and professor of law, with tenure.)
- (24) Wojtys, Edward M., M.D., William S. Smith Collegiate Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also professor of orthopaedic surgery, with tenure.)

4. Recommendations for approval of leave of absences for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff.

- *(1) Croley, Steven P., extension of a leave of absence, effective November 15, 2012 through December 31, 2014 (Harry Burns Hutchins Collegiate Professor of Law, and professor of law, with tenure, Law School.)
- (2) Jahanian, Farnam, extension of a leave of absence, effective March 1, 2013 through February 28, 2014 (Edward S. Davidson Collegiate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, and professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering.)

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

- (1) Correction to holder requirement for the Jerome W. Conn Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013.
- (2) Approval to establish an Endowed Professorship as the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professorship in Pediatric Research, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013.

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

- (3) Change in name of an existing Collegiate Professorship as the Gérard A. Mourou Collegiate Professorship in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, effective February 1, 2013 (currently the Alfred Holmes White Collegiate Professorship in Materials Science and Engineering.)

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

- (1) Epstein, Samuel D., Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, effective January 1, 2013 (also professor of linguistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (2) Jones, Martha S., Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, effective January 1, 2013 (also associate professor of history, with tenure, and associate professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (3) Kaenzig, Fritz A., Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, effective January 1, 2013 (also professor of music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance.)
- (4) Paul, Janice C., Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, effective January 1, 2013 (also professor of art, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, and professor of social work, without tenure, School of Social Work.)
- (5) Sick, Volker, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, effective January 1, 2013 (also associate vice president – natural sciences and engineering, Office of the Vice President for Research, and professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering.)
- (6) Ward, Lucretia M., Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, effective January 1, 2013 (also professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (7) Lupovich, Howard, Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 through May 31, 2013.

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

- * (8) Schotland, John C., transfer of tenure to professor of mathematics, with tenure, and professor of physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 (currently professor of mathematics, with tenure, professor of physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, and professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)

DEARBORN CAMPUS

7. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected administrative staff.

- (1) Silver, Edward A., dean, School of Education, effective July 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013 (also William A. Brownell Collegiate Professor of Education, professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, and professor of mathematics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor.)

FLINT CAMPUS

8. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected administrative staff.

- (1) Person, Ruth J., chancellor, University of Michigan - Flint, effective August 18, 2013 through May 31, 2014 (also professor of management, with tenure, School of Management.)

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

- (1) Barnett, Robert W., interim chair, Department of Social Work, School of Education and Human Services, effective January 1, 2013 through August 31, 2013 (also interim dean, School of Education and Human Services, and professor of English, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences.)

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

- (1) Correction to the effective date for Straube, Don, associate professor of physical therapy, with tenure, School of Health Professions and Studies, effective January 1, 2013 (associate professor of physical therapy, with tenure, effective December 1, 2012.)

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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

Approved by the Regents
February 21, 2013

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Ivo D. Dinov
TITLE: Associate Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2013
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Nursing, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Ivo D. Dinov as associate professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective September 1, 2013.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Dinov received his bachelors of science in mathematics and computer science from the University of Sofia in Bulgaria in 1991. He received his masters of science in mathematics from the Michigan Technological University in 1993. He held a pre-doctoral position at Florida State University in the field of industrial engineering from 1996-1998. He obtained a second masters of science degree in statistics and a doctorate in mathematics both in 1998 from Florida State University. He held a post-doctoral appointment at the University of California, Los Angeles in the School of Medicine, Department of Neuroscience from 1998-2000.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Dinov began his career as a visiting assistant professor at the University of California, Los Angeles in the Department of Mathematics, Program of Computing from 2000-2002. He was appointed as an assistant professor of statistics at the University of California, Los Angeles in the College of Arts and Sciences in 2001. He was appointed as the director of online computational resource (SOCR) in 2002 and chief operations officer for the Center for Computational Biology (CCB) in the School of Medicine in 2004 and continues to hold both appointments. Professor Dinov was promoted to associate professor of statistics, without tenure, at the University of California, Los Angeles in the College of Arts and Sciences in 2008.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Dinov has maintained an active research program that includes three areas: educational research, statistical computing and applied neuroscience. He integrates all three areas with his

work in each area influencing his work in the other areas. He was instrumental in building the computational infrastructure for the Laboratory of Neuro Imaging at his present institution and he has made outstanding contributions to the statistics and biomedical imaging communities. He has published more than 95 papers, mostly research papers, 23 as the first author and 15 as second author.

Professor Dinov has a track record of peer reviewed research. He is currently the co-principal investigator on a NSF grant and principal investigator on two internal grants at his present institution. In addition he is co-investigator on four NIH grants that contribute to his work on computational statistics and applied neuroscience. He has two NSF grants pending review, one as the principal investigator and one as co-principal investigator. This level of funding speaks to the high quality of Professor Dinov's research.

Professor Dinov is an admirable teacher and has devoted much of his career to the creation of novel methods for engaging and motivating students to learn statistics. He has developed web-based tools that he uses to demonstrate statistical applications that are targeted to his student audience, thereby engaging them and enhancing their motivation to learn statistics. Professor Dinov articulates a coherent philosophy of teaching that includes a pedagogically balanced approach of integrated science education that explains his success as an educator. He is an experienced teacher and has taught more than 54 courses that span the levels of collegiate education including statistics, mathematics, neuroscience and psychology. He has worked closely with post-doctoral fellows, graduate students, and undergraduate students. The qualitative comments from students provide a profile of Professor Dinov as being engaged and actively working with them to master the course material.

Professor Dinov has made significant contributions to the field of computational statistics and neuroimaging. He has served on NIH, NSF and VA review panels and steering committees as well as having been invited to a number of prestigious universities and organizations to present his work. He articulates a thoughtful approach to leadership and has been successful with multiple projects.

PUBLICATIONS

Dinov, I., Torri, F., Macciardi, F., Petrosyan, P., Liu, Z., Zamanyan, A., Eggert, P., Pierce, J., Genco, A., Knowles, J., Clark, A., Van Horn, J., Ames, J., Kesselman, C., Toga, A. (2011). Applications of the Pipeline Environment for Visual Informatics and Genomics Computations, *BMC Bioinformatics*, 12:304.

Dinov, I. (2012). Integrated, Multidisciplinary and Technology-Enhanced Science Education: The Next Frontier. In *Encyclopedia of the Sciences of Learning*, (ed.) Seel, N., Springer, 1591-1593.

Dinov, I. (2011). Neurological Imaging: Statistics Behind the Pictures, *Imaging in Medicine*, 3(4): 423-432.

Dinov, I., Lozev, K., Petrosyan, P., Liu, Z., Eggert, P., Pierce, J., Zamanyan, A., Chakrapani, S., Van Horn, J., Parker, D., Magsipoc, R., Leung, K., Gutman, B., Woods, R., Toga, A. (2010). Neuroimaging Study Designs, Computational Analyses and Data Provenance Using the LONI Pipeline, *PLoS ONE*, 5(9): e13070.

Dinov, I. and Christou, N. (2011). Web-based Tools for Modeling and Analysis of Multivariate Data: California Ozone Pollution Activity. *International Journal of Mathematical Education in Science and Technology*, (JMEST), 42(6):789-805.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWERS

Reviewer (A)

“His demonstrated track record of intellectual contributions, novel teaching approaches and delivery, organization leadership, and ability to successfully build very-large scale collaborative projects and research infrastructures have placed him at a very uniquely special top position that no other academic peers can match.”

Reviewer (B)

“He has published broadly in the area of technology-enhanced education, especially statistics training.”

Reviewer (C)

“In this area, I think that [Professor] Dinov is clearly at the forefront.”

Reviewer (D)

“He is a creative thinker... [who can] work effectively with colleagues from other disciplines.”

Reviewer (E)

“[Professor] Dinov is also an excellent writer. He has been a prolific author... with more than 100 publications and many first author publications. The quality, quantity, focus and scholarship of his collected publications is outstanding and few in his field offer a comparable record of achievement in this area.”

Reviewer (F)

“What is notable about his contributions to research and education through publications (and presentations) is that the topics are so diverse.”

Reviewer (G)


“His service to the discipline has been exemplary.”

SUMMARY

Taken together, Professor Dinov's record of teaching, scholarly achievements, national reputation, research achievements, and academic leadership meet the criteria for appointment as associate professor of nursing, with tenure. I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Ivo D. Dinov as associate professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective September 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Kathleen Potempa
Dean, School of Nursing



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

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February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Thomas M. Schmidt, Ph.D.

TITLES: Professor of Internal Medicine, Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Medical School, and Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure (Internal Medicine)
With Tenure (Ecology and Evolutionary Biology)
Without Tenure (Microbiology and Immunology)

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2013

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, Harry L. T. Mobley, Ph.D., the Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor and Chair of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Medical School, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School and the Executive Committees of the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Thomas M. Schmidt, Ph.D. as professor of internal medicine, with tenure, professor of microbiology and immunology, without tenure, Medical School, and professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013.

Academic Degrees:

Dr. Schmidt received his Ph.D. degree in microbiology in 1985 from Ohio State University.

Professional Record:

Dr. Schmidt was a post-doctoral researcher at the Scripps Institute of Oceanography in San Diego from 1985 to 1987. He completed a fellowship at Indiana University from 1987 to 1990 and was appointed as an assistant professor at Miami University in Ohio in 1990. In 1993, Dr. Schmidt was appointed as a professor, with tenure, in the Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics at Michigan State University.

Summary of Evaluation:

Dr. Schmidt is recognized as an expert in the field of metagenomics and was the first to conduct a metagenomics analysis in a now classic paper published in 1991. He has continued to make significant advances in metagenomic methodologies as well as in the field of microbial ecology and physiology. Most recently, Dr. Schmidt has contributed significantly to the Human Microbiome Project (HMP) and brought his highly synthetic and integrated approach to microbial systems in important collaborations with biomedical researchers. He has the ability to bring together scientists from broad and varied disciplines and have them collaborate on projects that span their diverse interests and expertise. Dr. Schmidt has a successful track record of obtaining grant funding to support his research in microbiology and molecular biology. He is one of seven principal investigators on a NIH consortium

grant and co-PI on several other grants with funding from both the NSF and the NIH. Dr. Schmidt has over 70 peer-reviewed publications, with 38 as first or senior author.

Recent and Significant Publications:

Gomez-Alvarez V, Teal TK, Schmidt TM: Systematic artifacts in metagenomes from complex microbial communities. *ISME Journal* 3:1314-1317, 2009.

Young VB, Kahn SA, Schmidt TM, Chang EB: Studying the enteric microbiome in inflammatory bowel diseases: Getting through the growing pains and moving forward. *Front Microbiol* 2:144, 2011.

Levine UY, Teal TK, Robertson GP, Schmidt TM: Agriculture's impact on microbial diversity and associated fluxes of carbon dioxide and methane. *ISME Journal* 5:1683-1691, 2011.

Eichorst SA, Kuske CR, Schmidt TM: Influence of plant polymers on the distribution and cultivation of bacteria in the phylum *Acidobacteria*. *Applied and Environ Micro* 77:586-596, 2011.

Theis KR, Schmidt TM, Holekamp KE: Evidence for a bacterial mechanism for group-specific social odors among hyenas. *Scientific Reports* 2:615, 2012.

Dr. Schmidt is dedicated to the teaching and mentoring of undergraduate and graduate students, as well as post-doctoral fellows. He helped develop several advanced courses in microbiology at Michigan State University and was awarded the 2010 Graduate Teaching Award by the American Society for Microbiology as well as the university-wide Teacher-Scholar Award at Michigan State University. Dr. Schmidt has served as a committee member for over 40 graduate students from multiple programs, including Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, Zoology, Computer Science, Entomology, Plant and Soil Science, Animal Sciences and Genetics. He has also overseen the research projects of over 35 undergraduate students in his laboratory.

External Reviewers:

Reviewer A: "I am aware that the University of Michigan is building expertise in the area of microbial ecology. Successfully recruiting Tom Schmidt will move your building effort forward in a major way. While the U of M already has some excellent people in the general area of microbial ecology, the addition of Tom Schmidt would arguably make the U of M the top school in the field. Tom's areas of interest would significantly expand the breadth as well as the depth of Michigan in microbial ecology."

Reviewer B: "In my opinion, Dr. Schmidt is the leading microbial ecologist in the world....He pursues a research agenda that is wide ranging from molecular investigations that seek signatures of selection in functional genes, to processes that influence greenhouse gases on a global scale."

Reviewer C: "I expect that his international reputation will expand in the years immediately ahead, and that he likely will make important contributions by pushing the study of human microflora beyond diversity and genomics, to an experimental science where cultures can be used to test hypotheses that originate with genomes, and elucidate specific metabolic mechanisms of microbial survival in human and soil environments."

Reviewer D: "Tom is one of the international leaders in microbial ecology. His stature has been earned by years of outstanding scholarship and statesmanship. His work sets standards for the field in rigor."

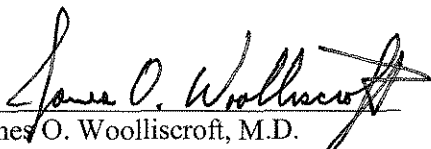
Reviewer E: "Tom has made major contributions to the study of the impact of environmental conditions and change on microbial community structure and function. His work on the effect of various land use strategies on community function at the Kellogg Biological Station Long-Term Ecological Research (LTER) site is outstanding. It is a rigorous analysis of a complex system under well-controlled conditions, and showcases Tom's wonderful ability to integrate multiple kinds of information, while striving for a deep understanding of mechanism and biology."

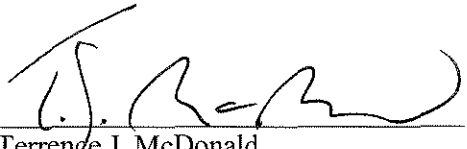
Dr. Schmidt served as co-director of the MBL Microbial Diversity Course in Woods Hole, MA from 2003 to 2008 and as a faculty member for the University of Southern California Geobiology Course on Catalina Island from 2002 to 2003. He has been very active on institutional and national committees for many years. He is a member of the Committee on Awards for the American Academy for Microbiology and a corporate board member of the Marine Biological Laboratory. He also serves as an external advisor for the Pacific Northwest National Laboratories' "Microbial Communities Initiative." At the University of Michigan, Dr. Schmidt will serve as the director of the Center for Microbial System Sciences.

Summary of Recommendation:

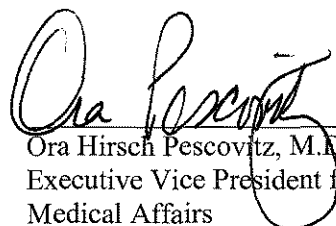
Dr. Schmidt is a prominent and productive scientist who has made significant contributions to the field of microbial ecology. He is an excellent teacher and mentor and committed to service at the institutional and national levels. We are pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Thomas M. Schmidt, Ph.D. as professor of internal medicine, with tenure, professor of microbiology and immunology, without tenure, Medical School, and professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013.


Recommended by:


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


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

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

January 2013

INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Promotion Approval

NAME: Kathryn Zurek

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

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2013

It is recommended that Kathryn Zurek, assistant professor of physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, be promoted to associate professor of physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013.

Academic Degrees:

Ph.D.	2006	University of Washington
B.S.	2001	Bethel University

Professional Record:

2012	Member, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton
2009 – present	Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, University of Michigan
2008 – 2009	Associate Researcher, Department of Physics, University of Michigan
2008 – 2009	David Schramm Fellow, Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, Particle Astrophysics Center
2006 – 2008	Post-doctoral Scholar, Wisconsin Phenomenology Institute, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Summary of Evaluation:

Teaching – Professor Zurek has taught upper-level core and elective courses in the physics major sequence, as well as a graduate course in particle astrophysics and cosmology. She is particularly skilled at making advanced material accessible to students at a variety of levels. Professor Zurek is thesis advisor for two students and has informally mentored several others. She has co-authored eight publications with Michigan students. She currently has one graduate student and recently took on a second one. She is sought after as a graduate student mentor.

Research – Professor Zurek is a theorist working on fundamental aspects of particle theory and cosmology. She has focused on two areas: collider physics and the theory of Dark Matter, which accounts for eighty percent of the mass in the universe. She has an excellent rate of productivity with over 20 papers written since arriving at Michigan. Professor Zurek is also supported by grants from the National Science Foundation, the Department of Energy, and the

National Aeronautics and Space Administration. This level of support for an assistant professor working in high-energy theory is unprecedented at Michigan.

Recent and Significant Publications:

“On models of new physics for top A_{FB} ,” with M. Gresham and I.-W. Kim, *Physical Review D*, 83, 114027 (2011), arXiv:1103.3501.

“Implications of Co-GeNT and DAMA for light WIMP dark matter,” with A. L. Fitzpatrick and D. Hooper, *Physical Review D*, 81, 115005 (2010), arXiv:1003.0014.

“Asymmetric dark matter,” with D. E. Kaplan and M. A. Luty, *Physical Review D*, 79, 115016 (2009), arXiv:0901.4117 [hep-ph].

“Echoes of a hidden valley at hadron colliders,” with M. J. Strassler, *Physics Letters B*, 651, 374 (2007), hep-ph/0604261.

Service – Professor Zurek has performed an appropriate level of service for an untenured faculty member. She co-led two major programs at the Aspen Center for Physics, and has been on the scientific organizing committee for three international conferences and workshops. Professor Zurek co-organized the particle theory seminars and has been on the organizing committee for four Michigan Center for Theoretical Physics workshops.

External Reviewers:

Reviewer (A)

“...she has done crucial contributions in the fields of dark matter, collider searches and model building. She has contributed in a significant manner to the most puzzling questions in our field. Her achievements are really outstanding...”

Reviewer (B)

“...everything Kathryn does is high quality. She is just the kind of person I would want on the faculty with me, as she takes her responsibilities seriously... I would, with no reservations, vote to promote her if she was here.”

Reviewer (C)

“Kathryn is a very active and creative scientist. The number of her publications is remarkable, but even more impressive is the quality of her research. She is very broad, mastering theoretical tools that range from quantum field theory to cosmology, and she is technically very skillful. ...I am quite confident that she will keep on producing first-rate research, establishing herself as one of the key players in astroparticle and collider physics.”

Reviewer (D)

“...I strongly support her promotion. ... I do not think that I can point to anyone in her academic age group that is better. ...think this is a very clear-cut case...”

Reviewer (E)

“A key to her success is that Kathryn is an original thinker who approaches problems from a different angle than most. She thinks deeply and makes a serious contribution to every problem she tackles. ... Her work is of outstanding quality and is centered at the leading edge of new theoretical ideas.”

Reviewer (F)

“Kathryn is clearly considered one of the world’s experts on dark matter in general, and asymmetric dark matter theories in particular... The hunt is now on for dark matter... Kathryn’s work and expertise will put her front and center of the pack on this most interesting question.”

Reviewer (G)

“Her work on this subject [particle dark matter] was deeper and more complete than the work of others. I feel she is the person who has done the best work, by far, on this subject. ... I strongly support her case for promotion at the University of Michigan.”

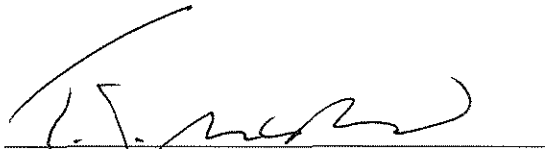
Reviewer (H)

“...Zurek has emerged as one of the most creative theorists working on models of new elementary particle interactions and cosmic dark matter. ... Her creativity and breadth of knowledge promise a long and fruitful career.”

Summary of Recommendation:

Professor Zurek is a successful researcher and responsible teacher who also performs a commendable level of service. The Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and I recommend that Assistant Professor Kathryn Zurek be promoted to the rank of associate professor of physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science and the Arts, effective January 1, 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

January 2013

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Scott B. Howell

CURRENT TITLES: Interim Chair, Navy Officer Education Program

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Interim Chair, Navy Officer Education Program

EFFECTIVE DATES: February 1, 2013 through July 31, 2013

The Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs is pleased to recommend the reappointment of Scott B. Howell as interim chair, Navy Officer Education Program, effective February 1, 2013 through July 31, 2013.

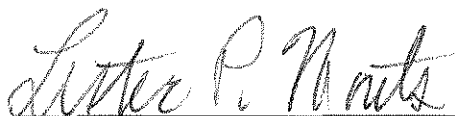
Associate Professor Howell earned his Bachelor of Arts at the University of Arizona in 1991, and his Master of Arts at the Naval War College in 2002.

The past chair of the department retired on July 1, 2012, and replacement has just been identified by the United States Navy and will start on August 1, 2013.


I recommend, with confidence, the reappointment of Scott B. Howell as interim chair, Navy Officer Education Program, effective February 1, 2013 through July 31, 2013.

Recommended By:

Recommendation Endorsed By:



Lester P. Monts, Ph.D.
Senior Vice Provost for
Academic Affairs



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

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Steven A. Telian, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: John L. Kemink, M.D. Professor of Neurotology, and Professor of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, with tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: John L. Kemink, M.D. Professor of Neurotology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: April 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

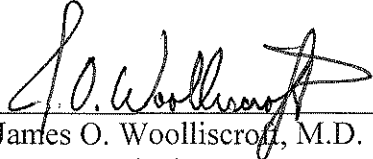
On the recommendation of Carol R. Bradford, M.D., the Charles J. Krause, M.D. Collegiate Professor and Chair of the Department of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Steven A. Telian, M.D. as the John L. Kemink, M.D. Professor of Neurotology, Medical School, effective April 1, 2012 through August 31, 2018.

The John L. Kemink, M.D. Professorship in Neurotology was established in 1998, and serves as a memorial to Dr. Kemink and his pioneering work in the area of cochlear implantation.

Dr. Telian continues to be a recognized leader in the field of neurotology. He is the associate chair for clinical programs and education, and chief of the Division of Otology/Neurology. Dr. Telian has made significant contributions in the areas of cochlear implantation and the management of the balance disorder patient. He has been selected to serve as the director for the American Board of Otolaryngology, and is the secretary/treasurer of the American Otology Society. Dr. Telian is a member of the Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery Appointments and Promotions committee, Awards committee and Graduate Medical Education committee at the University of Michigan.

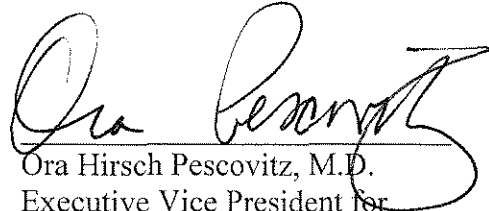
Dr. Telian is a superb educator, and mentor to residents, fellows, and medical students, which generated from the strong mentoring he received from Dr. Kemink during his fellowship training at the University of Michigan. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Steven A. Telian, M.D. as the John L. Kemink, M.D. Professor of Neurotology, Medical School, effective April 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

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

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Kon-Well Wang

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Professor of Mechanical Engineering and Stephen P. Timoshenko Collegiate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

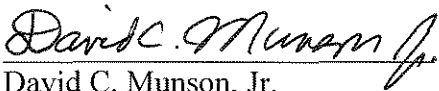
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kon-Well Wang as chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

Professor Wang received his BS in mechanical engineering from the National Taiwan University in 1976. He then enrolled at the University of California at Berkeley where he received his MS and PhD in mechanical engineering in 1982 and 1985, respectively. Following three years as a senior research engineer at the General Motors Research Laboratories in Michigan, in 1988 Professor Wang joined the faculty at Pennsylvania State University as an assistant professor. He was promoted to associate professor in 1993 and to professor in 2000. In June 2008 he accepted positions at the University of Michigan as chair of the Department of Mechanical Engineering and the Stephen P. Timoshenko Collegiate Professor of Mechanical Engineering.


Professor Wang's achievements are significant in research, teaching and service. His research centers on structural dynamics and vibration, adaptive material systems, structural control and health monitoring.

Professor Wang has demonstrated that he possesses the experience, ability, and commitment to fulfill the important responsibilities of a department chair in the College of Engineering. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Professor Kon-Well Wang as chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:


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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Irina Aristarkhova

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Art and Design, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design

ADDITIONAL TITLES: Associate Professor of the History of Art, without tenure, and Associate Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017

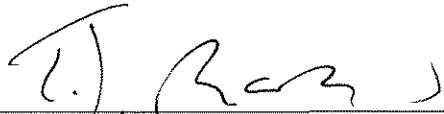
With the approval of the Executive Committees of the Departments of the History of Art and Women's Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointments of Irina Aristarkhova as associate professor of the history of art, without tenure, and associate professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

Irina Aristarkhova received her Bachelor of Arts from Moscow State University in 1992, Master of Arts at the University of Warwick in 1995, and Doctorate from the Russian Academy of Sciences in 1999. Professor Aristarkhova was a senior lecturer in art theory at Lasalle College of the Arts in Singapore (1999-2001), assistant professor at the National University of Singapore (2001-2005), and assistant professor of women's studies and visual arts at the Pennsylvania State University (2006-2012), before joining the faculty in the School of Art and Design as an associate professor, with tenure, in 2012.

Professor Aristarkhova is a highly regarded scholar in the area of visual art theory and critical studies. Her work explores the relationship between art and technology, with a particular focus recently on the ethics and aesthetics of the intersections between gender, art, and biomedical technology. The faculty in the Departments of the History of Art and Women's Studies have a great interest in her work on feminist art and theory and on bio-art. These appointments recognize the synergies between her work and that of the faculty, and will formalize her participation in both departments. She will have the opportunity to offer courses that are listed as meet-togethers in the Department of Women's Studies and will serve as a liaison between the Departments of History and Women's Studies and the Stamps School of Art and Design.

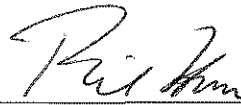
We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointments of Irina Aristarkhova as associate professor of the history of art, without tenure, and associate professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Heang-Ping Chan, Ph.D.

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Paul L. Carson, Ph.D. Collegiate Professor of Radiology,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

On the recommendation of N. Reed Dunnick, M.D., the Fred Jenner Hodges Professor and Chair of the Department of Radiology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Heang-Ping Chan, Ph.D. as the Paul L. Carson, Ph.D. Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

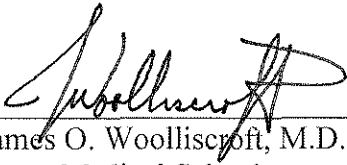
The Paul L. Carson, Ph.D. Collegiate Professorship in Radiology was established in 2012 through gifts from Paul L. Carson, Ph.D., Patricia Carson, departmental gifts, and departmental funds. It is intended to support research in the basic radiological sciences.

Dr. Chan received her Ph.D. in medical physics from the University of Chicago and became a research associate there in 1981. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1989 as an associate professor of radiology, with tenure, and was promoted to professor in 1995. Dr. Chan became the first female professor of radiology in the basic radiological sciences at the University of Michigan. Her research focuses on developing computer-based techniques to increase the sensitivity of lesion detection, and to characterize those abnormalities and their likelihood of being significant, or to quantitatively analyze image-based and other biomarkers to assist in treatment decision making and monitoring. Her work is now described as computer assisted diagnosis and versions of this technique are widely employed, especially in mammography.

Dr. Chan has been continuously funded, and currently has six active grants through the NIH. She has published 166 articles and is the holder of three patents. Dr. Chan has received numerous awards for her research, including the Academy of Radiology Research Distinguished Investigator Award.

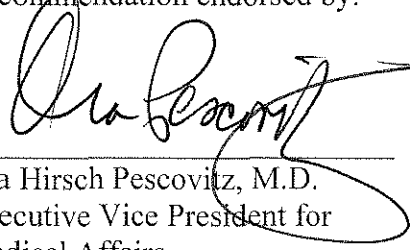
Dr. Chan has been a successful researcher and has established a laboratory that develops junior colleagues into independent investigators. Like Dr. Carson, Dr. Chan has made important contributions to the field of radiology and the University of Michigan. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Heang-Ping Chan, Ph.D. as the Paul L. Carson, Ph.D. Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

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
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship
NAME: James F. Driscoll
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Arthur B. Modine Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering
TERM: Five Years, Renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017

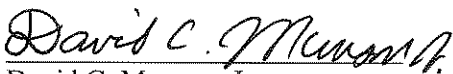
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the appointment of James F. Driscoll as the Arthur B. Modine Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

This endowed chair was established by Arthur B. Modine by will bequest in 1985 to support the teaching and scholarship of a distinguished faculty member in the College, with particular emphasis on heat transfer.


Professor Driscoll received his BS degree (1970) from Cornell University and his MS (1973) and PhD (1975) degrees from Princeton University. He joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in 1974 as an assistant professor, was promoted to associate professor in 1980 and to professor in 1994. Professor Driscoll has gained international recognition for his experimental research in the area of turbulent premixed and diffusion flames and for his work in modeling complex combustion phenomena. He has published extensively and is one of the leaders in his Department in terms of PhD production. His service record is extensive and includes the important positions of graduate program advisor and interim and associate chair. In 2012 he was elected vice president/president elect of The Combustion Institute and in 2005 he was elected a fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics.

Professor Driscoll's distinguished career exemplifies the highest standards in all aspects of academic performance. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of James F. Driscoll as the Arthur B. Modine Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:


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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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

January 2013

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GRANTED

**Approved by the Regents
February 21, 2013**

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Administrative Appointment

NAME: J. Brian Fowlkes

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Vice President for Research - Health Sciences, Office of
the Vice President for Research

EFFECTIVE DATES: March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jeffrey Brian Fowlkes as associate vice president for research - health sciences, Office of the Vice President for Research, effective March 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

His responsibilities in this position will include assisting the Office of the Vice President for Research (OVPR) in its administration and oversight of the research and creative activity in the health sciences arena, providing leadership for OVPR in new initiatives, oversight and involvement with OVPR units where appropriate, and serving as a member of the senior OVPR administrative staff. He will provide leadership of task forces, development of initiatives, study of policy issues, resolution of problems, and participation in the evaluation of proposals. He will also play a key role in fostering special interdisciplinary projects. Beyond these duties, he will provide further assistance to the vice president for research at the University of Michigan, as requested.

Professor Fowlkes earned his B.S. from the University of Central Arkansas in 1983 and M.S. and Ph.D degrees from The University of Mississippi in 1986 and 1988, respectively. After completing his post-doctoral fellowship in radiology at the University of Michigan in 1991, he was appointed as a research investigator in the Department of Radiology at the University of Michigan, promoted to an assistant research scientist in 1993, and also promoted to an assistant research scientist in 1997 in the Department of Biomedical Engineering.

Professor Fowlkes was promoted to a senior associate research scientist in the Department of Radiology, an associate professor in the Department of Radiology and the Department of Biomedical Engineering in 2001, and in 2008 was promoted to professor, with tenure, in the Department of Radiology, and professor, without tenure, in the Department of Biomedical Engineering.

Professor Fowlkes has served as the executive director of laboratory animal use and care program and deputy institutional official since 2011.

Professor Fowlkes is a distinguished researcher whose work focuses on biomedical imaging, biomedical ultrasonics and image-guided therapy. A prolific researcher, he is the author of 148 peer-reviewed articles, and he has been the principal investigator or co-investigator on a wide range of research projects.

Professor Fowlkes' administrative experience at the university, his extensive participation in major departmental, college, and university committees, his active involvement in sponsored research activities, and his commitment to multidisciplinary collaborative research, make him an excellent candidate for the position of associate vice president for research – health sciences. I am pleased that Professor Fowlkes has agreed to serve in this capacity and I strongly recommend his appointment.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Stephen R. Forrest".

Stephen R. Forrest
Vice President for Research

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Katherine L. French

CURRENT TITLES: J. Frederick Hoffman Professor of Medieval and Early Modern English History, and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017

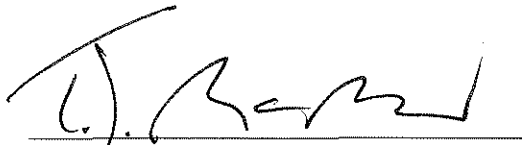
With the approval of the Executive Committees of the Department of Women's Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of History, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Katherine L. French as professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

Katherine French received her Doctorate from the University of Minnesota in 1993. She was appointed as an assistant professor at the State University of New York, New Paltz in 1993 and promoted through the ranks to professor in 2008. She joined our faculty as the J. Frederick Hoffman Professor and professor of history in 2011. Professor French is a medieval English historian with a focus on women's history. She is currently teaching Medieval Women which is paired with Women in Early Modern Europe (History/Women's Studies 317). Many of her other courses, both undergraduate and graduate, focus on women. She will also serve as a liaison between the departments of History and Women's Studies.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Katherine L. French as professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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

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

NAME: Carmen R. Green, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Anesthesiology, with tenure, Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, without tenure, Medical School, and Professor of Health Management and Policy, without tenure, School of Public Health

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Vice President and Associate Dean for Health Equity and Inclusion, Medical School and University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 1, 2013

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Carmen R. Green, M.D. as associate vice president and associate dean for health equity and inclusion, Medical School and University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers, effective February 1, 2013.

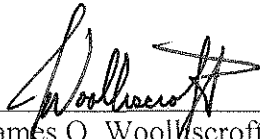
In this capacity, Dr. Green will provide service and leadership to increase diversity within the Health System and enhance the care of those who are underserved.

Dr. Green received her M.D. degree from Michigan State University in 1987. Following her residency and fellowship training, she joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1993 as an assistant professor in the Department of Anesthesiology. She rose through the ranks to her current position as professor, with tenure, in the Department of Anesthesiology. She also holds an appointment as a professor in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, and as a professor in the Department of Health Management and Policy, School of Public Health.

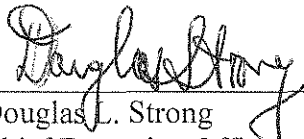
Dr. Green's research focuses on pain management outcomes, physician decision-making, and access to care. She has spoken widely on disparities due to age, race, gender and class, structural barriers to health care, physician variability in decision-making, and health policy. Dr. Green has held numerous leadership positions at the departmental, institutional, regional, and national levels. Within the Department of Anesthesiology, she has directed the division of pain medicine research from 2003 to 2011. Nationally, she serves on a number of committees for the American Pain Society and the American Academy of Pain Medicine, as well as for the Institute of Medicine's health care services board and the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration.

Dr. Green has outstanding credentials as a clinician, investigator, and educator. She is nationally and internationally recognized for her ground-breaking work in pain disparities among races, genders, and ages. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Carmen R. Green, M.D. as associate vice president and associate dean for health equity and inclusion, Medical School and University of Michigan Hospitals and Health Centers, effective February 1, 2013.

Recommended by:



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

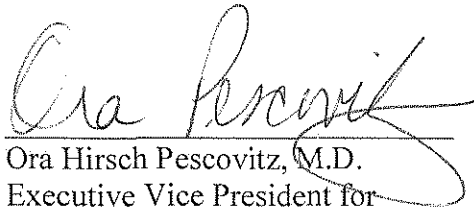


Douglas L. Strong
Chief Executive Officer
University of Michigan Hospitals
and Health Centers



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

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Sridhar Kota

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Herrick Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sridhar Kota as the Herrick Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

This professorship was established in December 2012 with funds provided by the Herrick Foundation. The holder of the professorship is expected to support joint activities between Business and Engineering.

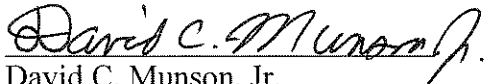
Professor Kota received his BS in mechanical engineering from Osmania University in India in 1980, his MS in materials engineering from the University of Mississippi in 1982, his MS in mechanical engineering (design) with a minor in computer science and PhD in mechanical engineering from the University of Minnesota in 1986 and 1988, respectively.

Professor Kota has distinguished himself as an outstanding academic leader who bridges the gap between theory and practice in engineering research and education. His research interests are in kinematics and synthesis of mechanisms and mechanical systems, design of compliant mechanisms with applications to MEMS and adaptive structures, product design and manufacturing automation and design of reconfigurable machines. Through his scholarly work, entrepreneurship, and leadership, Professor Kota has made a tremendous impact in various aspects of manufacturing, from research to practice to national agenda development. He has pioneered and established a new research field of compliant systems design for manufacturing without assembly. He has demonstrated the transition from novel design concepts to innovative manufacturing of hard goods in the marketplace through numerous inventions and a startup company. He played an instrumental role in defining our nation's manufacturing agenda, created the Advanced Manufacturing Partnership which gave birth to the Manufacturing Innovation Institutes, and brought excellent visibility and opportunities to the University of Michigan.

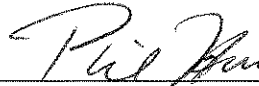
Professor Kota's distinguished career exemplifies the highest standards in all aspects of academic performance. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sridhar Kota as the Herrick Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



Philip J. Hanlon
Provost and Executive Vice President
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship
NAME: Brent R. Martin
CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
ADDITIONAL TITLE: William R. Roush Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Chemistry and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Brent R. Martin as the William R. Roush Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015.

The William R. Roush Assistant Professorship was established by the Regents in July 2011 as a result of a one-time gift to the Department of Chemistry with the purpose of supporting the William R. Roush Junior Faculty Career Development Award.

Brent Martin attended the University of California, San Diego where he completed his Bachelor of Science in 1999 and his Doctorate in 2006. Following appointments at the Scripps Research Institute (NRSA post-doctoral research fellow, 2007-2010, and post-doctoral fellow, 2010-2011), Professor Martin joined our faculty as an assistant professor in 2011.

Professor Martin is a very creative scientist who is melding the techniques of chemical biology and proteomics to unravel the secrets of cellular post-translational modifications. This work has the potential to transform our ability to probe and understand the biological function of these modifications that play essential roles in cell biology and the development of cancer. His laboratory is rapidly progressing and his contributions to teaching, mentoring, and service have been excellent.


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Brent R. Martin as the William R. Roush Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015.

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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Michael Mayer

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Chemical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

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

TERM: Five Years

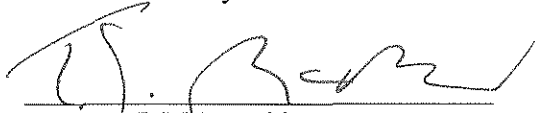
EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017

With the approval of the Executive Committees of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Michael Mayer as associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

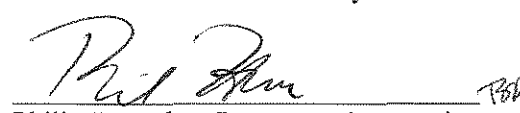
Michael Mayer received his Doctorate from the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in 2000. Following a two-year post-doctoral fellowship at Harvard University, Professor Mayer joined the faculty in the College of Engineering as an assistant professor in 2004. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in biomedical engineering, and without tenure in chemical engineering in 2009. Professor Mayer's research focuses on transport and signaling processes across biological membranes. The title in Biophysics will allow him to be more actively involved in the Program, including participation in seminars, student recruitment, joint research proposals, and collaborative research.

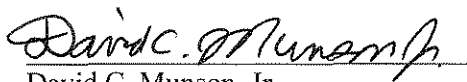
We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Michael Mayer as associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

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


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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the
Regents
February 21, 2013

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Academic Administrative Appointment and an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Andrew D. Maynard, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Charles and Rita Gelman Risk Science Professor, Interim Chair, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, and Professor of Environmental Health Sciences, with tenure, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDED TITLES: NSF International Department Chair of Environmental Health Sciences, Chair, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, and Professor of Environmental Health Sciences, with tenure, School of Public Health

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015

The Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Public Health are pleased to recommend the appointment of Andrew D. Maynard, Ph.D. as chair, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, and as the NSF International Department Chair of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015.

The NSF International Department Chair in Environmental Health Sciences was established by the Regents in November 2008 and is funded with securities provided by NSF International. This professorship will run concurrent with Professor Maynard's term as department chair.

Professor Maynard received a Ph.D. in 1992 from the University of Cambridge in the UK, focusing on aerosol physics. From 1992-2000, he served as a scientific officer and then head of the control section of the Health and Safety Executive in the UK, a government organization similar to CDC's National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). From 2000 to 2005, he served as a senior service fellow and then team leader at NIOSH, before moving to the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars where he served as chief science advisor for the Project on Emerging Nanotechnologies. Professor Maynard joined the University of Michigan faculty in 2010, where he also serves as the director of the University's Risk Science Center. He was appointed interim chair of the Department of Environmental Health Sciences in June 2012.

Professor Maynard is a nationally and internationally recognized scientist with a distinguished record of research, teaching and service. His work focuses on the responsible development and use of emerging technologies, and on innovative approaches to addressing emergent risks. He has testified on a number of occasions before congressional committees on nanotechnology, served on National Academy panels and other advisory boards, and is a member of the World

Economic Forum Global Agenda Council on Emerging Technologies. Widely published in the academic literature, Professor Maynard is also well known for engaging with non-expert audiences through old and new media. His current interests include exploring how integrative approaches to risk can support sustainable development in an increasingly complex, interconnected and resource-constrained world.

Professor Maynard is an outstanding faculty member, leader, and colleague who demonstrates excellence in all aspects of research, teaching, and service. It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of Andrew D. Maynard, Ph.D. as chair, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, and as the NSF International Department Chair of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

February 2012

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Terrence J. McDonald

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

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Director, Bentley Historical Library, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

I am delighted to recommend for Regental approval the appointment of Terrence J. McDonald as director, Bentley Historical Library, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018. This recommendation follows an international search conducted by a search advisory committee.

Professor McDonald received his B.A. degree from Marquette University and his Ph.D. from Stanford University. After receiving his doctorate, he joined the University of Michigan faculty in 1980 as an assistant professor and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1992. He served as interim dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts from July 2002-July 2003 and as dean since July 1, 2003.

Professor McDonald is an award-winning historian of the United States, the recipient of almost every teaching award the university offers, and a seasoned administrator. The author or editor of four books and author of numerous articles, he has made important contributions to two fields, American urban political history and historical method. He has received prizes for his work from the Social Science History Association and the California Historical Society, has been a Guggenheim Fellow, and received other fellowships from the National Endowment for the Humanities and the University of Michigan Humanities Institute. In 1991 he was the Richard Hudson Research Professor in the Department of History, and in 2001 he was a Directeur d'Études at the École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales in Paris.

Widely recognized on campus for his teaching, Professor McDonald has received the Ruth M. Sinclair Award for Student Counseling (1983); the Faculty Recognition Award for Outstanding Contributions to Teaching, Scholarship, and Service (1988); the Amoco Foundation Good Teaching Award (1991); a State of Michigan Teaching Excellence Award (1991); and he was appointed as an Arthur F. Thurnau Professor (1993-1996). He has worked with scores of

graduate students and three of his dissertation advisees have won the Rackham Distinguished Dissertation Award.

Professor McDonald has served the university in many capacities, most recently as dean, skillfully leading the college community through a period of transition and growth. Previously, he was a member of the Senate Assembly, a member of the executive committee of the Humanities Institute, and interim chair of the Department of History. From 1995 to 2000 he was associate dean for academic affairs in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, in which capacity he managed all aspects of academic personnel activities in the college, including new faculty hiring and orientation, the tenure and promotion process, affirmative action, leaves and sabbaticals and the formulation of all college policy in these areas. Throughout his career, Professor McDonald has been a leader in understanding and articulating the academic value of diversity in teaching and in research.

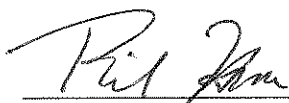
Under Professor McDonald's leadership, the College has grown and strengthened along every dimension. He has nurtured and enhanced the excellence of the College including the many highly ranked departments and programs. The quality of both the faculty and the student body have improved in material ways over the last decade. During this period, the academic programs within the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts have continued to evolve and innovate with the launching of a number of new courses and degree programs and the establishment of new centers and institutes.

Professor McDonald has led the College through one of the most financially challenging periods that the University has ever seen. The College has introduced important efficiencies and increased financial discipline so that it has had the resources to invest in key academic priorities in this period of financial constraint. Professor McDonald has been a tireless and articulate advocate for the College and for the value of the liberal arts. His vision and passion have excited donors and led to record levels of giving to the College.

Terrence McDonald is an outstanding scholar, a dedicated teacher and an accomplished administrator, and he has long been dedicated to the University of Michigan and its ideals. All of his historical research and teaching has been focused on the period of American history to which the collections of the Bentley Historical Library are devoted.

I am confident that Professor McDonald will provide superb leadership to the Bentley Historical Library. With great enthusiasm, I recommend his appointment, effective September 1, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,



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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Joseph M. Messana, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Richard D. Swartz, M.D. Collegiate Professor of Nephrology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

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 appointment of Joseph M. Messana, M.D. as the Richard D. Swartz, M.D. Collegiate Professor of Nephrology, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

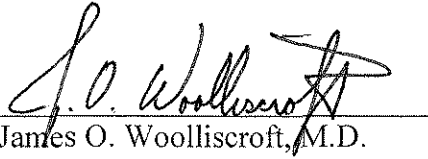
The Richard D. Swartz, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Nephrology was established in 2012 through gifts to the Department of Nephrology on behalf of Dr. Swartz, and departmental funds. It is intended to support research and clinical efforts of a tenured faculty member who has dedicated substantial efforts to clinical teaching, and works closely with nephrology fellows. Dr. Swartz became professor emeritus of nephrology in 2010.

Joseph M. Messana received his M.D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1982. He completed an internship, residency and fellowship here, and was appointed as a lecturer in 1988. Dr. Messana rose through the ranks to professor, with tenure, in 2011. He is CEO and medical director of the Michigan Dialysis Services, which is a joint venture between the Michigan Health Corporation and Renal Research Institute. Dr. Messana has won numerous teaching awards for his work with residents, faculty and fellows, including the Nephrology Fellow Teaching Award and the H. Marvin Pollard Award for Outstanding Resident Teaching.

Dr. Messana has supervised chronic dialysis, including peritoneal dialysis and home hemodialysis services for over 25 years. He is a member of the University of Michigan Kidney Epidemiology and Cost Center team, and his research has focused on health policy and oversight related to Medicare's End Stage Renal Disease chronic dialysis programs.

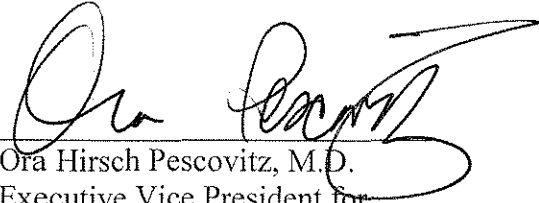
Dr. Messana's Medicare projects will continue to have an effect on the management of kidney care for years to come. He is a superb educator and a significant contributor to health policy. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Joseph M. Messana, M.D. as the Richard D. Swartz, M.D. Collegiate Professor of Nephrology, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: John Montgomery

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Margaret and Herman Sokol Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the appointment of John Montgomery as the Margaret and Herman Sokol Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

The Margaret and Herman Sokol Professorship in Medicinal Chemistry was established by the Regents in July 2007 as a result of a generous gift from Herman Sokol.

John Montgomery completed his Bachelor of Arts at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill in 1987 and his Doctorate at Colorado State in 1991. Following a two-year appointment as the American Chemical Society Post-doctoral Fellow at the University of California, Irvine, Professor Montgomery began his teaching career as an assistant professor at Wayne State University in 1993. He was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2005 and joined the faculty at Michigan that same year.

Professor Montgomery has established an internationally recognized research program in organic and organometallic chemistry. He has made enormous contributions to the discovery of new transition metals-catalyzed chemical reactions, the study of the mechanisms of these reactions, and the application of these processes to complex synthetic problems. He was recently appointed as director of the Chemistry-Biology Interface National Institutes of Health training grant, which brings together faculty and students from the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, the College of Pharmacy, and the Medical School. Since coming to Michigan, Professor Montgomery has received the 2007 Pfizer Michigan Green Chemistry award and has been elected as a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in addition to numerous other prestigious awards.

Professor Montgomery is also an excellent teacher and dedicated mentor. He has received strong evaluations from his students. He has also been an outstanding member of the Chemistry department, providing superb leadership and important mentoring to junior faculty.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of John Montgomery as the Margaret and Herman Sokol Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Administrative Appointment

NAME: Martha E. Pollack, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Vice Provost for Academic and Budgetary Affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering, and Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering, and Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information

EFFECTIVE DATES: May 6, 2013 through June 30, 2015

It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of Martha E. Pollack as provost and executive vice president for academic affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, effective May 6, 2013 through June 30, 2015.

As the chief academic and budgetary officer, Vice Provost Pollack will provide leadership to support the university's scholarly enterprise and the planning and implementation of its academic programs during this transition period. She will collaborate with the president in setting overall academic priorities for the University and will allocate funds to carry forward these priorities. In addition, she will continue to hold the title of professor of information, School of Information and professor of electrical engineering and computer science, College of Engineering.

Vice Provost Pollack has been a member of the UM faculty since joining the College of Engineering in 2000. She was appointed as vice provost for academic and budgetary affairs in July 2010, and served as the provost's senior staff member in setting budgetary policy and allocating resources while working with the deans and directors on areas including budget planning and management, development and support of academic programs and initiatives, and leading strategic assessments of schools, colleges and other units reporting to the provost. Prior to her appointment as vice provost, Vice Provost Pollack served as the university's dean of the School of Information from 2007-10, and was an associate chair for computer science and engineering from 2004-07.

Vice Provost Pollack received her A.B. degree from Dartmouth College in 1979, and M.S.E. and Ph.D. degrees in computer and information science from the University of Pennsylvania (1984 and 1986, respectively).


Prior to coming to the University of Michigan, Vice Provost Pollack was a member of the technical staff at SRI International. She was a senior researcher at the Center for the Study of Language and information, and computer scientist at the Artificial Intelligence Center from 1985 to 1991. From 1991-92, Vice Provost Pollack was the senior computer scientist at the Artificial Intelligence Center. At University of Pittsburgh, Vice Provost Pollack was an associate professor of computer science and intelligent systems from 1991-94; a fellow at the Center for the Philosophy of Science from 1993 to 2000; an associate professor, with tenure, in Computer Science and Intelligent Systems from 1994-98; director of the Intelligent Systems Program from 1998 to 2000; and professor of computer science and intelligent systems from 1999 to 2000.

As a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) and the Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), Vice Provost Pollack's research has been in the area of artificial intelligence where she has published widely on topics including automated planning, natural-language processing, temporal reasoning, and constraint satisfaction. A particular focus of her work has been the design of intelligent technology to assist people with cognitive impairment, a topic on which she testified before the United States Senate Subcommittee on Aging. Her research has been funded by the National Science Foundation, Intel, DARPA, and the Air Force Office of Scientific Research.

Vice Provost Pollack has received numerous awards for her research and has been honored for her professional service, including the Sarah Power Goddard Award in recognition for her efforts to increase the representation of and climate of women and underrepresented minorities in science and engineering. She has served as the editor-in-chief of the *Journal of Artificial Intelligence Research*, as president of AAAI, as a member of the Advisory Committee for the National Science Foundation's Computer and Information Science and Engineering Division, and a member of the board of directors of the Computing Research Associate, where she currently is secretary.

Vice Provost Pollack's appointment as provost recognizes her experience and strengths as a leader, teacher, administrator and scholar. It is with great enthusiasm that I recommend the appointment of Martha E. Pollack as provost and executive vice president for academic affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, effective May 6, 2013 through June 30, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,


Mary Sue Coleman
President

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Michael W. Quasney, M.D., Ph.D.

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and Prevention of Birth Defects, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

On the recommendation of Valerie P. Castle, M.D., the Ravitz Foundation Professor and Chair of the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael W. Quasney, M.D., Ph.D. as the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and Prevention of Birth Defects, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

The Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professorship for the Cure and Prevention of Birth Defects was established in 1995, through a generous gift from the estate of Mr. Huetwell, who was a lifelong friend of the University of Michigan. Through this endowment five professorships have been established in the Medical School in Mr. Huetwell's name.

Michael Quasney received his Ph.D. degree in cellular and molecular biology from the University of Michigan in 1979. He received his M.D. degree from the University of Illinois in 1988, and completed a residency in pediatrics at Northwestern University and the University of Tennessee. Dr. Quasney also completed a fellowship in pediatric critical care at that institution. He was appointed as an instructor at the University of Tennessee in 1994 and rose through the ranks to professor, with tenure, in 2005. He was appointed as a Professor, with tenure, at the Medical College of Wisconsin in 2006. Dr. Quasney joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2012 as professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure.

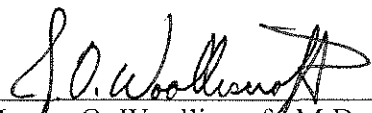
Dr. Quasney has served as the director of the Pediatric Critical Care Fellowship Program at the University of Tennessee Health Science Center and Le Bonheur Children's Medical Center in Memphis. His research focuses on elucidation of genetic factors of acute lung injury and sepsis and the molecular mechanisms of critical illness in children. He has published 50 articles, and has received numerous awards for his research, including the Outstanding Critical Research

Award from the Pediatric Care Colloquium, and the Society of Critical Care Medicine Annual Scientific Award.

Dr. Quasney has been a member of several international organizations, including the International Children's Hospitals and Other Related Institutions in Croatia, and the International Children's Heart Foundation in Peru and China. He currently is the director of the Division of Critical Care Medicine in the department of pediatrics and communicable diseases.

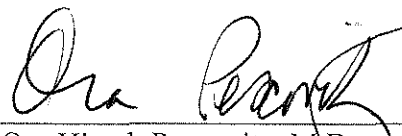
Dr. Quasney is a national leader both clinically and academically, his work embodies the intent of this professorship. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael W. Quasney, M.D., Ph.D. as the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and Prevention of Birth Defects, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

Recommended by:

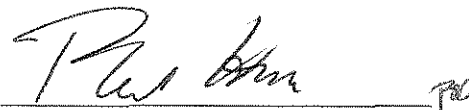


James O. Woolliscroff, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by:



Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.
Executive Vice President for
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Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost
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February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Paul D. Reingold
CURRENT TITLE: Clinical Professor of Law, Law School
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Interim Associate Dean for Clinical Affairs, Law School
EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2013


I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Paul D. Reingold as interim associate dean for clinical affairs, Law School, effective January 1, 2013 and continuing until a permanent associate dean is appointed.

Professor Reingold received his B.A., *magna cum laude*, from Amherst College in 1974. He received his J.D. degree from Boston University School of Law in 1977. After graduation, Professor Reingold work for Legal Services of Southeastern Michigan and Washtenaw County Legal Aid Society from 1977-1982 as a senior attorney, managing attorney, staff attorney and VISTA attorney. He was then an assistant city attorney for the city of Ann Arbor for 1982-1983. Professor Reingold joined the University of Michigan faculty as a clinical assistant professor in 1983 and was promoted to clinical professor in 1989.


Professor Reingold is an extraordinarily gifted teacher who has earned the admiration and respect of students and colleagues alike. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Paul D. Reingold as interim associate dean for clinical affairs, Law School, effective January 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Evan H. Caminker
Branch Rickey Collegiate Professor,
and Dean, Law School



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

January 2013

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GRANTED

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Thomas D. Wang

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

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2013

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, and with the endorsement of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Thomas D. Wang as associate professor of mechanical engineering, without tenure, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2013.

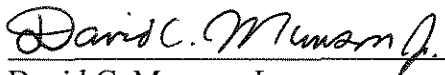
Professor Wang earned his B.S. from Harvey Mudd College in 1985. He received his M.S. in electrical engineering and computer science in 1987 from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He remained there to earn his Ph.D. in medical engineering in 1996. He then received his M.D. from Harvard Medical School in 1998. Professor Wang completed a post-doctoral fellowship at the Wellman Lab of Photomedicine MGH in Boston in 1998. He completed a residency at the Boston Medical Center in 2000, and a gastroenterology fellowship at Stanford University in 2003. He then served as an instructor of medicine at Stanford University until 2007. Professor Wang joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in 2007 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2011. Professor Wang has also held a joint appointment in the College of Engineering's Department of Biomedical Engineering since 2008.

Professor Wang's research interests include molecular imaging of gastrointestinal diseases, development of molecular probes to target detection of pre-cancerous lesions, novel optical imaging instrumentation for high resolution imaging, advance endoscopic imaging, and intra-vital microscopy.

With this additional appointment, Professor Wang is ideally suited to assist the Department of Mechanical Engineering by his active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Thomas D. Wang as associate professor of mechanical engineering, without tenure, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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



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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Mark D. West

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Nippon Life Professor of Law, and Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Dean, Nippon Life Professor of Law, and Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School

TERM: Five Year, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

I am pleased to recommend for Regental approval the appointment of Mark D. West as dean of the Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018. This recommendation follows a broad search conducted by a search advisory committee.

Mark West earned his B.A. degree from Rhodes College in 1989 and his J.D. degree in 1993 from Columbia Law School, where he was notes and comments editor of the *Columbia Law Review*. He clerked for the Honorable Eugene H. Nickerson of the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York, and practiced in the law firm of Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison in New York and Tokyo. From 1997-1998 he was an Abe Fellow at the University of Tokyo Faculty of Law. He has conducted research and taught at Kyoto University, where he has been a Fulbright Scholar and a fellow of the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science.

Professor West joined the University of Michigan Law School faculty as an assistant professor in 1998 and was appointed Nippon Life Professor of Law in 2003. From 2003-2007 he served as the director of the Law School's Center for International and Comparative Law, and from 2003-2008 as director of the University of Michigan Center for Japanese Studies. In 2008 he was appointed associate dean for academic affairs. He is also currently the director of the Law School's Japanese Legal Studies Program.

Professor West is the author of *Lovesick Japan: Sex • Marriage • Romance • Law* (2011); *Secrets, Sex, and Spectacle: The Rules of Scandal in Japan and the United States* (2006); *Law in Everyday Japan* (2005), and coauthor of *The Japanese Legal System* (2006, 2nd ed. 2012) and *Economic Organizations and Corporate Governance in Japan* (2004). His current research examines the ways in which group and individual responsibility are presented and analyzed in

Japanese court opinions. In addition to the impressive number of books published over the past decade, Professor West has a strong record of published articles, reviews, commentaries, and presentations delivered nationally and internationally. He has also served as a consultant to the World Bank and to various government offices in the U.S. and Japan. He currently teaches Criminal Law and Japanese Law. His curriculum interest areas include those courses as well as comparative law and corporate law and practice.

I am very pleased that Professor West will assume the leadership of the Law School at a time when thoughtful approaches are needed to basic issues facing legal education. Mark West is an experienced administrator with a strong commitment to fostering an engaged intellectual community within the Law School and across the university, to assisting students with the challenges ahead as the legal profession experiences change, and to fundraising for Law School initiatives. I am pleased to recommend his appointment, effective September 1, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,



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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Edward M. Wojtys, M.D.

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: William S. Smith Collegiate Professor of Orthopaedic
Surgery, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

On the recommendation of James E. Carpenter, M.D., the Harold W. and Helen L. Gehring Professor and Chair of the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Edward M. Wojtys, M.D. as the William S. Smith Collegiate Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.


The William S. Smith Collegiate Professorship in Orthopaedic Surgery was established in 2006, and was intended to support the activities of a faculty member in the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery. Dr. William S. Smith served as head of the Section of Orthopaedic Surgery at the University of Michigan from 1960 until his retirement from clinical practice in 1985.

Edward M. Wojtys received his M.D. from the University of Michigan in 1979 and completed residencies in general surgery and orthopaedic surgery. After a fellowship in sports medicine at the Cincinnati Sportsmedicine and Orthopaedic Center, Dr. Wojtys became a faculty member at the University of Michigan as an instructor. He rose through the ranks to professor, with tenure, in the Department of Surgery, and now serves as the associate director of the Bone and Joint Injury Prevention and Rehabilitation Center. Dr. Wojtys is chief of the Sports Medicine Service, and medical director of MedSport.

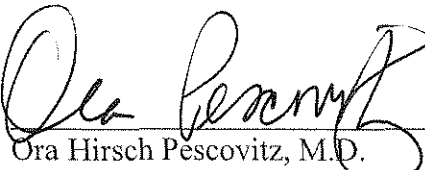
Dr. Wojtys' research focuses on knee injuries, the female athlete, training and conditioning, sports medicine epidemiology and osteoarthritis of the knee. He has published 96 articles, and has been the recipient of numerous awards, including the Excellence in Research award and the Caubaud Memorial Award from the American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine. He was selected for the Young Investigator Award from the Sixth World Congress on Biomechanics. Dr. Wojtys is editor-in-chief of *Sports Health: A Multidisciplinary Approach*, and has served on several national and international committees.

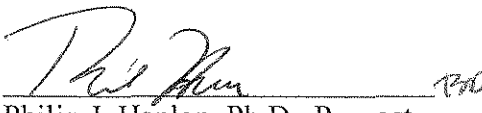
Dr. Wojtys' distinguished career places him as a forerunner in the field of sports medicine and established him as a leader in the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Edward M. Wojtys, M.D. as the William S. Smith Collegiate Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Extension of Leave for a Faculty Member
NAME: Steven P. Croley
CURRENT TITLES: Harry Burns Hutchins Collegiate Professor of Law, and
Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School
TYPE OF LEAVE: Extension of a Two-Year Leave
DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: July 1, 2012 through November 14, 2012
TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: November 15, 2012 through December 31, 2014

It is recommended that Steven P. Croley be granted an extension of leave of absence, effective November 15, 2012 through December 31, 2014.


Professor Croley is currently senior counsel to the President in the Office of White House Counsel. He is part of the management group of the White House Counsel's Office, and oversees the Policy team. He interacts daily with the President's senior advisors. Professor Croley substantively works on major regulatory policy issues and constitutional law issues that are of direct interest to the President.

Professor Croley has been offered the position of principal deputy white house counsel, meaning he would be the number two lawyer to the President. In that role he would have significant responsibility for advising/managing the legal/policy issues surrounding the President's domestic agenda.

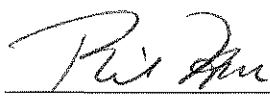
We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Steven P. Croley.

RECOMMEND BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Evan H. Caminker
Branch Rickey Collegiate Professor
and Dean, Law School



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

January 2013

INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

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

NAME: Farnam Jahanian

CURRENT TITLES: Edward S. Davidson Collegiate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, and Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering

TYPE OF LEAVE: Extension of a One-Year Leave

DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: March 1, 2012 through February 28, 2013

TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: March 1, 2013 through February 28, 2014

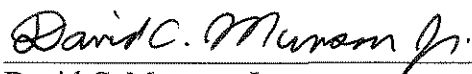
It is recommended that Farnam Jahanian be granted an extension of leave of absence, effective March 1, 2013 through February 28, 2014.

Professor Jahanian is currently serving as assistant director for Computer and Information Science and Engineering (CISE) with the National Science Foundation. In this role, he will continue to guide the CISE Directorate in its mission to uphold the nation's leadership in computing and communication through its support for fundamental and transformative advances. He will also continue to serve as co-chair of the Networking and Information Technology Research and Development (NITRD) Subcommittee of the National Science and Technology Council Committee on Technology, providing overall coordination for the R & D activities of 17 government agencies. We believe the University of Michigan will benefit from Professor Jahanian's continued involvement in these initiatives.

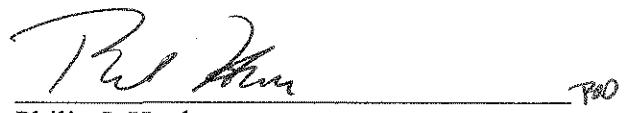
We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Farnam Jahanian.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

5

Establishing and renaming professorships and selected
academic administrative positions.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Correction to holder requirement of a Collegiate
Professorship

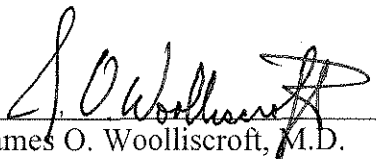
In the November 2012 Regents Communication we requested that the Jerome W. Conn Collegiate Professorship be established and that the holder will be a tenured faculty member of the Department of Internal Medicine, Division of Metabolism, Endocrinology and Diabetes, and a member of the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center, with involvement in the Endocrine Oncology Program. However, this holder requirement contained an error. The correction follows:

PROPOSED HOLDER:

The holder should be a tenure track faculty member with at a minimum an appointment in 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.

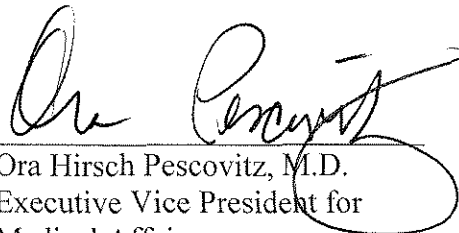
Please accept this correction to the Regents communication.

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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of an Endowed Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professorship in Pediatric
Research, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 1, 2013

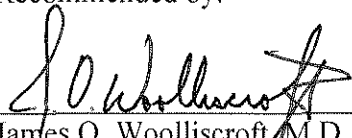
On the recommendation of Valerie P. Castle, M.D., the Ravitz Foundation Professor and Chair of the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professorship in Pediatric Research, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013.

This professorship is being established through the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professorship funds that reside in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases. The holder will be an instructional track senior faculty member; the appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

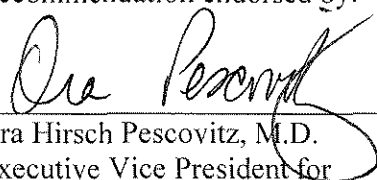
Frederick G.L. Huetwell was a Detroit-area alumnus from the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and a former executive director of the U-M Club of Detroit. He was a 1938 graduate of the University of Michigan and following graduation, was associated with his family's company, Calvert Lithographers in Detroit until it ceased operation in the 1950s. Over the years, Mr. Huetwell's support of the University of Michigan Medical Center reflected areas in which he had special interest, including hypertension and related diseases, arthritis, birth defects, care and prevention of eye diseases, and cystic fibrosis.


The establishment of this professorship will enable the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases to support a physician/scientist to continue the interests of Mr. Huetwell in medical research and pediatric care. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professorship in Pediatric Research, Medical School, effective February 1, 2013.

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

February 2013

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Change in Name of an Existing Collegiate Professorship

CURRENT TITLE: Alfred Holmes White Collegiate Professorship in Materials Science and Engineering, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Gérard A. Mourou Collegiate Professorship in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 1, 2013

We recommend that the title of the Alfred Holmes White Collegiate Professorship in Materials Science and Engineering, College of Engineering, be changed to the Gérard A. Mourou Collegiate Professorship in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, effective February 1, 2013.

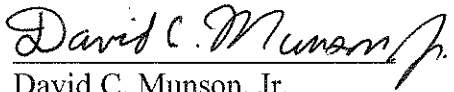
The Alfred Holmes White Collegiate Professorship in Materials Science and Engineering was established by the Regents in January 2000 and Professor John W. Halloran was appointed to the professorship. In September 2012, Professor Halloran was appointed to the L. H. and F. E. Van Vlack Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, and relinquished his collegiate professorship title.

Professor Mourou received his BS from the University of Grenoble in 1967, his MS from the University of Orsay in 1970 and his PhD from the University of Paris VII in 1973, all in physics. He began his career at the University of Michigan, College of Engineering, as professor of electrical engineering and computer science in 1988. In 1991 Professor Mourou founded the Ultrafast Science Laboratory which became the National Science Foundation Science and Technology Center for Ultrafast Optical Science (CUOS) and served as director until his retirement in 2004. He was an inventor of the Chirped Pulses Amplification (CPA) technique which allowed for amplifying ultra-short laser pulses to very high optical powers (presently Petawatt) with the laser pulse being stretched out temporally and spectrally prior to amplification. He has been the recipient of the Wood Prize from the Optical Society of America, the Edgerton Prize from the SPIE, the Sarnoff Prize from the IEEE, and the 2004 IEEE/LEOS Quantum Electronics Award. He is a fellow of the Optical Society of America and a fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers. Professor Mourou is a member of the National Academy of Engineering. He retired from the University of Michigan in 2004 and is currently a professor at the École Polytechnique Haut College and director of the International Center for Zetta-Exawatt Science and Technology at the École Polytechnique.

We are pleased to recommend that the title of the Alfred Holmes White Collegiate Professorship in Materials Science and Engineering, College of Engineering, be changed to the Gérard A. Mourou Collegiate Professorship in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, effective February 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATON ENDORSED BY:



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



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

February 2013

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship

NAME: Samuel D. Epstein

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

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2013

In 1988, the Board of Regents established the Arthur F. Thurnau Professorships to recognize and reward faculty for outstanding contributions to undergraduate education. Based on his extraordinary achievements, I am delighted to recommend that Professor Epstein be designated a Thurnau Professor.

An international leader in the study of generative syntax, Professor Epstein's unwavering dedication to undergraduates has yielded impressive dividends. His contagious love for his subject and skillful classroom performance create an interactive environment characterized by humor, respect, and lively participation, transforming large lectures into intimate intellectual exchanges. He promotes authentic learning and open dialogue, encouraging students to think critically about linguistic concepts. The results are powerful: one student describes "a seismic shift in my cognitive framework as a result of his teaching." Another called him "that one unforgettable teacher to whom one compares all other instructors." Professor Epstein is also well-respected as a mentor, known for being generous with his time, positive in his approach, and dedicated to students' individual needs. His honors theses advisees have received awards, presented at national conferences, and published in peer-reviewed journals. He has inspired many students to pursue graduate work, and several have secured tenure-track and post-doctoral positions. Within his department, Professor Epstein is known for providing "the voice of students" in regard to policy and curriculum changes. He was a leader in developing the Language and Mind subconcentration and the interdisciplinary Cognitive Science major. As one colleague notes, his "vision of linguistics as a cognitive science provided the essential 'glue' in our efforts to create a coherent curriculum that will cross traditional departmental boundaries." In the words of another colleague: "Professor Epstein is one of Michigan's gems, and his sustained and positive impact on both the students and the institution warrants the recognition that the Thurnau Professorship brings."

For his exceptional teaching and dedication to undergraduate students, I recommend him for a Thurnau Professorship.

Respectfully submitted,



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

February 2013

Approved by the Regents
February 21, 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship

NAME: Martha S. Jones

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

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Associate Professor of History, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2013

In 1988, the Board of Regents established the Arthur F. Thurnau Professorships to recognize and reward faculty for outstanding contributions to undergraduate education. Based on her extraordinary achievements, I am delighted to recommend that Professor Jones be designated a Thurnau Professor.

An unparalleled teacher, committed, innovative, collaborative, visionary, and generous with her time – these words from colleagues testify to the incredible impact Professor Jones has on undergraduate education at UM. Jointly appointed in History, Afroamerican & African Studies, and Law, her interdisciplinary research infuses her exceptional teaching. Professor Jones employs a “pedagogy of love,” helping students connect with old texts in ways that go much deeper than simply reading and analyzing historical documents. Her classroom is known for a strong ethos of trust and commitment—a safe space for students to engage with sensitive topics. As a co-teacher explains, Professor Jones combines “a caring, student-centered approach with insistence that students have a reciprocal responsibility to plunge into primary sources and argue carefully for their interpretation.” Pushing beyond conventional classroom boundaries, she creates unique experiential learning projects that connect primary research with community involvement. Her public exhibits, such as the recent “Proclaiming Emancipation” project at the Hatcher Library, provide “innovative experiences where students discover how vivid the past can be.” Students praise her mentoring as an Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program sponsor for enabling them to “see behind the scenes and understand the real context of our work.” In the words of a colleague, “Professor Jones’s teaching represents the very best of Michigan’s concern for undergraduate learning, for civic engagement, and for rigorous research.”

For her exceptional teaching and dedication to undergraduate students, I recommend her for a Thurnau Professorship.

Respectfully submitted,



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

February 2013

Approved by the Regents
February 21, 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship

NAME: Fritz A. Kaenzig

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and Professor of Music, with tenure,
School of Music, Theatre & Dance

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2013

In 1988, the Board of Regents established the Arthur F. Thurnau Professorships to recognize and reward faculty for outstanding contributions to undergraduate education. Based on his extraordinary achievements, I am delighted to recommend that Professor Kaenzig be designated a Thurnau Professor.

Throughout his 23-year tenure at UM, Professor Kaenzig has, in the words of his dean, “consistently maintained the highest standards of teaching and learning, and served as a source of constant inspiration for both colleagues and students.” Recipient of the 1999 Harold Haugh Award for excellence in studio teaching, his commitment to undergraduates is renowned both at UM and beyond. Under his expert direction, the tuba/euphonium studio is widely acknowledged as the finest in the country, and many of his former students play in top orchestras or serve as professors at major schools of music. In the classroom, Professor Kaenzig fosters a “distinctive culture of responsibility, accountability, camaraderie, respectful competition, and mutual support.” Students describe his charismatic teaching as “sheer magic” and a “rejuvenating balance of substance and inspiration.” One student explains that Professor Kaenzig “always made me feel like I was his only student by giving me his full attention when his studio door opened.” By creating a positive environment, he accommodates the varying skill levels and diverse cultural backgrounds of students, helping them see music as a gift and a calling to be shared with others. His cultivation of diversity is evident in the success of one of his students, who while still a senior at UM, won the coveted position of Principal Tubist in the Philadelphia Orchestra—one of the top orchestras in the country—and thus became the first female ever to hold a principal tuba chair in a major American orchestra. A valued mentor, he is known for his exceptional ability to nurture students’ confidence and facilitate their development of leadership skills necessary for success after graduation. Indeed, many students report patterning their own careers after Professor Kaenzig’s example. In the words of a colleague, “he is a model UM instructor with an extraordinary commitment to teaching and learning in all its professional and human facets.”

For his exceptional teaching and dedication to undergraduate students, I recommend him for a Thurnau Professorship.

Respectfully submitted,



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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship

NAME: Janice C. Paul

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Art, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, and Professor of Social Work, without tenure, School of Social Work

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Professor of Art, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, and Professor of Social Work, without tenure, School of Social Work

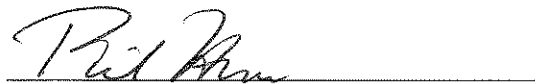
EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2013

In 1988, the Board of Regents established the Arthur F. Thurnau Professorships to recognize and reward faculty for outstanding contributions to undergraduate education. Based on her extraordinary achievements, I am delighted to recommend that Professor Paul be designated a Thurnau Professor.

Nationally recognized for pedagogical innovation and visionary leadership, Professor Paul has been a pioneer in the promotion of civic engagement through art education, with a transformative effect on students, colleagues, and the Stamps School of Art and Design. Colleagues describe her as “an exceptional educator, artist and university citizen.” She is passionately dedicated to the intellectual, creative, and personal development of her students and believes that “every person deserves the tools and skills needed for positive, productive self-expression.” Her teaching embodies a fusion of artistic practice and social justice, cultivating “a rich pedagogy of reciprocal learning” in which students facilitate their own growth through working with others. As director of Community Connections, Professor Paul worked to expand community outreach, introducing an Engagement Learning curricular component and mentoring colleagues in the construction of engaged-learning courses. Her own courses and programs serve as national models for best practice in university/community partnership and redefine creative work through interaction with underserved communities, e.g., her Detroit Connections class, and her work with the Prison Creative Arts Project in which students facilitate art workshops for inmates. Colleagues testify that “Janie Paul’s personal commitment to diversity has brought about a seismic shift in how we as a community of artists define ourselves and our mission as educators” and note that her students have become “cognizant of their own responsibility toward a diverse larger society and their power to bring about change within it.” One of the school’s graduating seniors sums it up best: “Janie, you changed my life.”

For her exceptional teaching and dedication to undergraduate students, I recommend her for a Thurnau Professorship.

Respectfully submitted,



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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship

NAME: Volker Sick

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Vice President for Research – Natural Sciences and Engineering, Office of the Vice President for Research, and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Associate Vice President for Research – Natural Sciences and Engineering, Office of the Vice President for Research, and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2013

In 1988, the Board of Regents established the Arthur F. Thurnau Professorships to recognize and reward faculty for outstanding contributions to undergraduate education. Based on his extraordinary achievements, I am delighted to recommend that Professor Sick be designated a Thurnau Professor.

Since his arrival in 1997, Professor Sick has had a tremendous impact on the College of Engineering through his visionary leadership, incorporating international perspectives into the curricular and extra-curricular experiences of countless undergraduates. As a teacher and mentor, he is “inspiring, demanding, and approachable,” and known for tailoring research opportunities to the individual career goals of students. Among his innovative contributions, Professor Sick revolutionized a required junior-level course by modernizing the lab with upgraded equipment, new pedagogical strategies, and a restructured teaching team. As faculty advisor to U-M’s top ranked Formula SAE racing team, he has mentored several generations of students, advocating for improved work space, additional funding, and course credit. A team member calls him “one of our greatest assets and a valued ally in our continuing challenges.” His commitment to diversity is evident in his tireless promotion of international programs; his support for underrepresented, transfer, and international students; and the use of cross-cultural lab groups in his teaching. In 2008, Professor Sick co-created the minor in International Engineering—the first of its kind in the country and currently the most popular minor in the college. Through his groundbreaking Engineering Across Cultures seminar, International Engineering students are trained to combine technical expertise with global competence. One seminar student reflects: “I feel better able to interact with anyone, especially in the face of conflict; I feel ready for the world ahead, and eager to absorb the diversity within it.” In the words of a colleague, Professor Sick is a “leader in giving our students the hands-on experiences that characterize the very best of a U-M education in the 21st century.”

For his exceptional teaching and dedication to undergraduate students, I recommend him for a Thurnau Professorship.

Respectfully submitted,



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

February 2013

Approved by the Regents
February 21, 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship

NAME: Lucretia M. Ward

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

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2013

In 1988, the Board of Regents established the Arthur F. Thurnau Professorships to recognize and reward faculty for outstanding contributions to undergraduate education. Based on her extraordinary achievements, I am delighted to recommend that Professor Ward be designated a Thurnau Professor.

A leading scholar in the field of adolescent media socialization, Professor Ward is “an excellent advisor, a wise, attentive, and accessible mentor, and an unparalleled model of undergraduate teaching.” A 2011 recipient of the John Dewey Award, Professor Ward is known for clarity of instruction and engaging classroom activities. In *Introduction to Human Development*, she encourages students to relate theories to their own lives, turning a large lecture course into a personal experience and one of the most popular courses in the department. In a seminar on children and the media, she draws on psychological theory, enabling students to explore sensitive issues such as body image, racial perceptions, and sexual attitudes. Through this course, Professor Ward brings students “face to face with the nature of media content geared toward children and adolescents, and the potential effects on their development.” She challenges students “to deeply engage with the material and pushes them to become critical consumers of research.” Professor Ward has also mentored independent research for over 100 undergraduates, many of whom have won awards, presented at conferences, and published their research. Students praise her “enthusiasm, emotional support, and instrumental assistance” throughout the research process, noting that she cultivates an atmosphere of collegiality, striking a balance between directing students and granting autonomy. Several junior faculty members have shadowed Professor Ward to learn from her expertise, and GSIs report being inspired by her genuine concern for each undergraduate student. In addition, Professor Ward is a tireless promoter of diversity, recruiting and mentoring underrepresented minority students at U-M. One colleague notes, “single-handedly, Dr. Ward has trained a multi-ethnic and multi-racial cohort of scholars who will take their place among the ranks of developmental psychologists across the country.”

For her exceptional teaching and dedication to undergraduate students, I recommend her for a Thurnau Professorship.

Respectfully submitted,



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

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Appointment to an Endowed Visiting Professorship
NAME: Howard Lupovich
RECOMMENDED TITLE: Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through May 31, 2013

On the recommendations of the director of the Jean and Samuel Frankel Center for Judaic Studies and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Howard Lupovich as the Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013 through May 31, 2013.

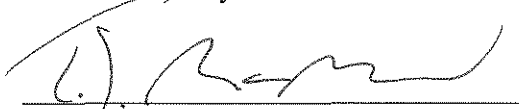
As a result of a generous gift from Stuart and Barbara Padnos and the Louis and Helen Padnos Foundation, the Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professorship in Judaic Studies was established in September 1988. This professorship enables the Center for Judaic Studies to invite distinguished scholars to the Ann Arbor campus each year.

Howard Lupovich received his Doctorate from Columbia University in 1996. Professor Lupovich began his teaching career as the Slovin Visiting Assistant Professor of East European Jewish History (1996-1997) before being hired as an assistant professor at Colby College (1998-2005). He was promoted to associate professor (2005-2008) and appointed as the Pulver Family Chair in Jewish Studies. He currently holds the Waks Family Chair of Jewish Studies and associate professor of history, with tenure, at the University of Western Ontario (2009-present).

Professor Lupovich is an historian of modern Jews. He is the author of two books, Jews and Judaism in World History (2009), which is an excellent one-volume survey, and Jews at the Crossroads: Tradition and Accommodation during the Golden Age of the Hungarian Nobility, 1729-1878 (2007). His current research interests include a study of the Jews of Budapest and the growth of a distinctive form of Hungarian Reform Judaism known as Neolog Judaism. He seeks to bring to light the role that Hungarian reformers played in the U.S. during the 19th-century through shaping the development of Conservative Judaism. Professor Lupovich will offer a course crosslisted with History on the Holocaust.

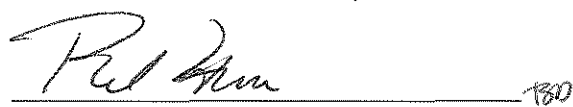
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Howard Lupovich as the Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for winter term 2013, effective January 1, 2013 through May 31, 2013.

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
for Academic Affairs

February 2013

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Transfer of Tenure for a Faculty Member

NAME: John C. Schotland

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, Professor of Physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, without tenure, and Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, and Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, without tenure, and Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2013

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Department of Physics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Mathematics, we are pleased to recommend a transfer of tenure for John C. Schotland from professor of mathematics, with tenure, professor of physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, to professor of mathematics, with tenure, and professor of physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2013.

John Schotland attended the University of Pennsylvania where he received his Doctor of Medicine and Doctorate in 1996. Following a two-year residency in neurosurgery, Professor Schotland began his teaching career as an associate professor in electrical engineering, biomedical engineering, and radiology at Washington University in 1998. He was also chief of Optical Radiology. He returned to the University of Pennsylvania in 2002 where he was appointed as an associate professor, with tenure, and promoted to professor in 2008. In 2010 Professor Schotland was appointed as a professor at Michigan.

Professor Schotland research focuses on fundamental physical problems with a novel mathematical structure. Nearly all aspects of his work involve the interplay of applied mathematics and theoretical physics; and much of his work has broad-ranging practical applications. His research in three-dimensional optical imaging at the nano-scale has potential medical applications in optical tomography and manufacturing applications in micro-and nano-fabrication. The novelty and the translational potential of his research has won him substantial recognition and support for his projects. He has a dozen patents and has had consistent funding from the National Science Foundation, the National Institutes of Health, and the Air Force Office of Scientific Research. He has been invited to speak at institutions around the world and has nearly 80 published articles.

Professor Schotland's primary research interests are in applied mathematics and theoretical physics. His teaching load is primarily in mathematics and physics. He is currently mentoring a graduate student in physics and a post-doctoral fellow in mathematics.

We are very pleased to recommend a transfer of tenure for John C. Schotland from professor of mathematics, with tenure, and professor of physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, to professor of mathematics, with tenure, and professor of physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 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

January 2013

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

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

NAME: Edward A. Silver

CURRENT TITLES: Dean, School of Education, University of Michigan-Dearborn, William A. Brownell Collegiate Professor of Education, Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education, and Professor of Mathematics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Dean, School of Education, University of Michigan-Dearborn

TERM: Six Months

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013

On the recommendation of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, and with the concurrence of the School of Education's Executive Committee, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Edward A. Silver as dean, School of Education, effective July 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013.

Professor Silver earned his master's degree and Ed.D. in mathematics education from Teachers College, Columbia University. He came to the University of Michigan-Dearborn from the University of Michigan, in Ann Arbor, where he is the William A. Brownell Collegiate Professor of Education. His main teaching responsibilities have been in the area of mathematics education. Professor Silver has held various positions in Ann Arbor including associate dean for academic affairs and chair of the Educational Studies Program. He will retain his appointment at the University of Michigan, in Ann Arbor, while serving as dean on our campus. Prior to joining the University of Michigan in 2000, he served as a professor and assumed many leadership positions at Michigan State University, University of Pittsburgh, San Diego State University and Northern Illinois University.

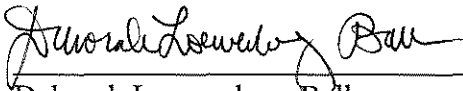
In his time on our campus, Professor Silver has brought the leadership, vision, and experience needed for the stewardship of the School Education. He has taken steps to enhance the School's profile, to better serve its students, and to foster collaborative relationships and synergistic activities across campus. He is a strong and thoughtful member of the deans' and senior officers' leadership teams and is playing a central role in our campus efforts to redefine the scope and focus of our School of Education and in the preparatory work necessary to launch our new College of Education, Health, and Human Services on September 1, 2013.

I am pleased to recommend for your approval the appointment of Edward A. Silver as dean, School of Education, University of Michigan-Dearborn, effective July 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013.

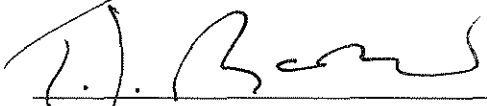
Recommended by:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Dean, School of Education



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

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
February 21, 2013

ACTION REQUEST: Extension of an Administrative Appointment

NAME: Ruth J. Person, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Chancellor, and Professor of Management, with tenure,
School of Management, University of Michigan-Flint

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chancellor, University of Michigan-Flint

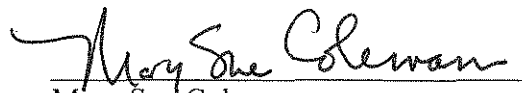
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 18, 2013 through May 31, 2014

I am pleased to recommend the administrative appointment extension for Ruth J. Person as chancellor, University of Michigan-Flint, effective August 18, 2013 through May 31, 2014.

Ruth Person currently serves as the chancellor, University of Michigan-Flint, and this extension of service will provide her with the opportunity to complete several important projects on the Flint Campus, and also will allow for a seamless transition to the next chancellor. Chancellor Person will return to a faculty teaching assignment commencing in January 2015 in the School of Management, University of Michigan-Flint.

Chancellor Person has performed her duties with excellence and has moved the Flint Campus forward with growth in student enrollment, new program offerings and financial stability. I am pleased to recommend the administrative appointment extension of Ruth J. Person as chancellor, University of Michigan-Flint, effective August 18, 2013 through May 31, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,


Mary Sue Coleman
President

February 2013

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

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

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

NAME: Robert W. Barnett

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of English, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, and Interim Dean, School of Education and Human Services

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Interim Dean, Interim Chair, Department of Social Work, School of Education and Human Services, and Professor of English, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2013 through August 31, 2013

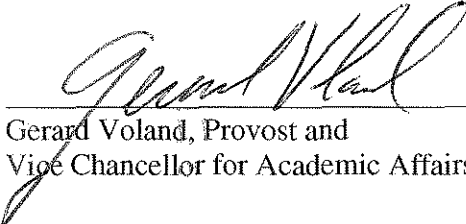
We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert W. Barnett as interim chair, Department of Social Work, School of Education and Human Services, University of Michigan-Flint, effective January 1, 2013 through August 31, 2013.

Professor Barnett received his B.A. degree from Alma College in 1986, his M.A. degree from Central Michigan University in 1990, and his Ph.D. from the University of Nevada, Reno in 1994. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1994 as an assistant professor, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2002, and to professor in 2005. He served as associate dean, College of Arts and Sciences, from September 2005 through June 2011, when he was appointed as interim dean, School of Education and Human Services.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Barnett has served on the College of Arts and Sciences Academic Standards Committee, Curriculum Committee, and Student Research Committee. He also served on the Thompson Center for Learning and Teaching Advisory Board, the Academic Affairs Advisory Committee, the LEO Bargaining Team, and the Enrollment and Retention Task Force for the Strategic Planning Committee.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert W. Barnett as interim chair, Department of Social Work, School of Education and Human Services, University of Michigan-Flint, effective January 1, 2013 through August 31, 2013.

RECOMMENDATION BY:


Gerard Voland, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Ruth J. Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Correction to Effective Date of New Appointment

NAME: Don Straube

In the December 2012 Regents Communication requesting Don Straube be appointed as associate professor of physical therapy, with tenure, School of Health Professions and Studies, effective December 1, 2012, his appointment effective date has changed. The correction follows.

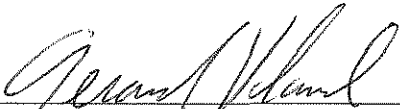
EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2013

Please accept this correction to Don Straube's appointment information.

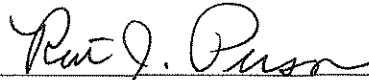
RECOMMENDED BY:



David Gordon, Dean
School of Health Professions and Studies



Gerard Voland, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Ruth J. Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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