UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
Regents Communication

ITEM FOR INFORMATION

REPORTS OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL TRANSACTIONS

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

Respectfully submitted,

Richard S. Holcomb, Jr.
Associate Vice-President
and Chief Human Resource Officer

February, 2022
ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED NEW APPOINTMENTS
OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF
February, 2022

Antilla, Jeri, Ph.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing, January 1, 2022 – December 31, 2025

Cochran, Clinton D., M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Medical School, January 1, 2022 – December 31, 2023

Conti, Gerry E., Ph.D., Clinical Associate Professor of Occupational Therapy, College of Health Sciences, UM-Flint, January 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023

July, Jori A., M.S.N., Clinical Instructor in Nursing, School of Nursing, UM-Flint, January 1, 2022 – May 31, 2022

Kassiff, Sivan, M.D., Clinical Instructor in Pediatrics, Medical School, January 17, 2022 – January 16, 2023

Long, Amanda L., Clinical Instructor in Internal Medicine, Medical School, February 1, 2022 – January 31, 2023

Matrosic, Charles K., Ph.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Radiation Oncology, Medical School, January 10, 2022 – August 31, 2024

Mervak, Benjamin M., M.D., Clinical Associate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, January 31, 2022 – January 30, 2023

O’Shea, Kelly, Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, Medical School, January 1, 2022 – December 31, 2023

Palmer, Sarah T., Clinical Instructor in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, November 10, 2021 – June 30, 2022

Richardson, Laura, Clinical Associate Professor of Kinesiology, School of Kinesiology, January 1, 2022 – May 31, 2025

Saluk, Seda, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Women’s and Gender Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, August 29, 2022 – May 31, 2025

Williams Julien M., D.N.P., Clinical Assistant Professor of Public Health and Health Sciences, College of Health Sciences, UM-Flint, January 1, 2022 – June 30, 2024
ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED PROMOTIONS, JOINT APPOINTMENTS, TRANSFERS OR DISCIPLINE CHANGES OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

Flynn, Allen J., from Assistant Professor of Learning Health Sciences, Medical School to Assistant Professor of Learning Health Sciences, Medical School and Assistant Professor of Information, School of Information, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Fryer, Daniel, from Assistant Professor of Law, Law School to Assistant Professor of Law, Law School and Assistant Professor of Philosophy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, September 1, 2021 – May 31, 2026

Nallasamy, Nambi, from Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School to Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences and Assistant Professor of Computational Medicine and Bioinformatics, Medical School, September 1, 2021 – August 31, 2022

Roberts, Michael, from Assistant Professor of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, Medical School to Assistant Professor of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery and Assistant Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, Medical School, December 1, 2021 - September 30, 2022

Zhu, Linda N., from Assistant Professor of Engineering, Department of Mathematics and Applied Sciences, College of Arts and Sciences, UM-Flint to Assistant Professor of Engineering, Department of Mathematics and Applied Sciences and Assistant Professor, College of Innovation and Technology, UM-Flint, January 1 – August 31, 2022

ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED EMERITUS/A FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Ballou, David P., Professor Emeritus of Biological Chemistry, Medical School, January 1 – February 28, 2022

Campbell Jr, Darrell A., Professor Emeritus of Surgery, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Chen, Ming, Clinical Associate Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics, Medical School, December 1, 2021 – December 30, 2022

De Vries, Raymond G., Professor Emeritus of Learning Health Sciences, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Dewar, Margaret E., Professor Emerita of Urban and Regional Planning, A Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, June 1 – December 31, 2022

Dipietro, Michael A., Professor Emeritus of Radiology and Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Engelke, David R., Professor Emeritus of Biological Chemistry, Medical School, January 1 – February 28, 2022
Johnston, Carolyn M., Clinical Professor Emerita of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, September 1, 2021 – August 31, 2022

Faerber, Gary J., Professor Emeritus of Urology, Medical School, March 1, 2022 – February 28, 2023

Faller, Kathleen C., Professor Emerita of Social Work, School of Social Work, January 1 – April 30, 2022

Fitzgerald, James T., Professor Emeritus of Learning Health Sciences, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Garetz, Susan L., Professor Emerita of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery and Professor Emerita of Neurology, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Gelehrter, Thomas D., Professor Emeritus of Human Genetics and Professor Emeritus of Internal Medicine, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022


Hutchinson, Raymond J., Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Jones, James W., Arthur F Thurnau Professor Emeritus of Materials and Metallurgical Engineering, Department of Materials Science and Engineering, College of Engineering, August 1 – August 19, 2022

Kalbfleisch, John D., Professor Emeritus of Biostatistics, School of Public Health and Professor Emeritus of Statistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, February 1, 2022 – January 31, 2023

Kirsch, Ned L., Clinical Associate Professor Emeritus of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Koopman Jr., Charles F., Professor Emeritus of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery and Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics and Communicable Disease, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Kuwada, John Y., Professor Emeritus of Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Leonard, James A., Clinical Professor Emeritus of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Lichter, Paul R., Professor Emeritus of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, February 1 – August 31, 2022
Lotfi, Vahid, Professor Emeritus of Management Science, School of Management, UM-Flint, January 1 – April 30, 2022

Maddock, Janine R., Professor Emeritus of Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Murray-Wright, Margaret, Clinical Assistant Professor Emerita of Nursing, School of Nursing, UM-Flint, January 1 – April 30, 2022

Nelson, Virginia S., Clinical Professor Emerita of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

Pachella, Robert G., Professor Emeritus of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, May 1, 2022 – April 30, 2023

Peyser, Patricia A., Professor Emeritus of Epidemiology, School of Public Health, September 1 – December 31, 2022

Schellenberg, Kathryn, Associate Professor Emerita of Sociology, Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Arts and Science, UM-Flint, January 1 – April 30, 2022

Smith, William L., Professor Emeritus of Biological Chemistry, Medical School, January 1 – February 28, 2022


Werner, Robert A., Professor Emeritus of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2022

ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED TO REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

Alsalaheen, Bara, Associate Professor of Physical Therapy, with tenure, College of Health Sciences, UM–Flint, personal January 1 – December 31, 2022.

Bednar, Jennifer L., Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Public Policy, with tenure, Gerald R Ford School of Public Policy, scholarly activity January 1 – May 31, 2022, to continue work on political philosophy, institutional analysis and public policy. Work will be done at Stanford University, Stanford, California.

Braun, Thomas M., Professor of Biostatistics, with tenure, School of Public Health, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to complete writing of several publications and developing materials for a MOOC covering methods in adaptive Phase I clinical trial design. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Cunningham, Elizabeth, Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education and Human Services, UM-Flint, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to conduct research on
beginning teachers (graduates of our elementary education program) and their use of learning trajectories in their classrooms and read up on the developments in mathematics education. Work will be done in Flint, Michigan.

Dotson, Kristie L., University Diversity and Social Transformation Professor, Professor of Philosophy, with tenure and Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – December 31, 2022, to complete a book entitled “Love Politics”. Work will be done in Eaton Rapids, Michigan and New York City, New York.

Eley, Geoffrey H., Karl Pohrt Distinguished University Professor of Contemporary History and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2022, to progress to retirement as per agreement. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Fidkowski, Krzysztof J., Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to upgrade, develop and rewrite portions of a computational fluid dynamics solver. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Filom, Khashayar, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, personal January 1 – December 31, 2022.

Fournier, Karen J., Associate Professor of Music (Music Theory), with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to continue work on a third book monograph, on the undertheorized topic of the post-punk British 2Tone scene. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Fu, Kevin, Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering, intergovernmental personnel assignment January 1 – May 31, 2022.

Gavini, Vikram, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure and Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to develop a machine-learned exchange-correlation functional that can enable large-scale electronic structure calculations with quantum accuracy and develop one-source codes for electronic structure calculations. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan and University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

Halen, David, Professor of Music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to compile exhaustive edited excerpt resource catalog. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Jia, Xianzhe, Associate Professor of Climate and Space Sciences and Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to expand research collaborations on the major space missions. Work will be done at NASA’s Jet Propulsion Laboratory, La Canada Flintridge, California and the Imperial College, London, United Kingdom.
Jones, Andrew, Associate Professor of Nutritional Sciences, with tenure and Associate Professor of Global Public Health, without tenure, School of Public Health, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to develop research examining how food systems can be adapted to mitigate greenhouse gas emissions (especially food procurement practices, food waste and dietary shifts within large institutions). Work will be done on in Washington, District of Columbia and Europe.

Kaur, Inderjit, Assistant Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, duty off campus, January 1 – May 31, 2022, to work on a monograph. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Love, Brian J., Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, with tenure, Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure and Professor of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to work on synthesizing ionic liquids for biomass extraction of cellulose from compost. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Madama, Mark, Professor of Music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2022, to further acquaint with more inclusive theatre and to better understand the needs of performances of color and gender diversity. Work will be done New York City, New York and other areas around the United States.

Mengozzi, Stefano, Associate Professor of Music (Musicology), with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, sabbatical January 1 – December 31, 2022, to work on a monography that makes the case for a cultural-historical approach to Renaissance music theory. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Murphy III, Robert E., Associate Professor of Theatre and Drama, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to work on a book detailing the use of the Augmented 3D operating system for the EOS Family line of Lighting Control Systems. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan and Madison, Wisconsin.

Peng, Huei, Roger L McCarthy Professor of Mechanical Engineering and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – December 31, 2022, to work on new connected and automated vehicle research topics. Work will be done at the National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan; Shanghai Jiaotong University, Shanghai, China and the Tsinghua University, Beijing, China.

Qi, Liang, Associate Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to learn the physical theories and modeling techniques to build the connections between electronic/atomistic and mesoscale events in complex metallic alloy systems. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Sampson, Natalie R., Associate Professor of Health and Human Services, with tenure, College of Education, Health and Human Services, UM-Dearborn, sabbatical January 1 – April 30, 2022, to begin work on and “Introduction to Environmental Health Equity”, on open educational resource textbook and advance the capability of Environmental Health Research-to-Action. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Dearborn, Michigan.
Snyder Ng, Courtney K., Associate Professor of Music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to begin a research project on improvisation in the large ensemble as well as specific potential plans to cover teaching responsibilities for the term. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Sodano, Henry, Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure, Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, without tenure and Professor of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to advance research program towards the development of hypersonic materials and applications, focus will be on the construction of unique experimental tools to characterize the dynamic response of materials under extreme thermal loads. Work will be done in Rome, Italy.

Sundararaghavan, Veera, Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to perform research on machine learning techniques to design new functional polymers with improved optical absorption response under deformation. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor and the Wright Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio.

Tuteja, Anish, Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, with tenure, Professor of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, without tenure and Professor of Chemical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to work in a startup company “HygraTek LLC” to commercialize multiple discoveries made. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Wang, Lu, Professor of Biostatistics, with tenure, School of Public Health, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, to collaborate on projects combining causal inference, missing data analysis, genetics and EHR as well as collaborate on statistical method development for chronic disease management, personalized health care policy with dynamic treatment regime. Work will be done at the Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts and the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland.

CANCELLATION OF ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED TO REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

Franzblau, Alfred, Professor of Occupational Medicine, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, with tenure, School of Public Health and Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, without tenure, Medical School, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, cancelled.

Khagi, Sofya, Professor of Slavic Languages and Literatures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – December 31, 2022, cancelled.

Koutra, Danai, Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, cancelled.

Queen, Robin M., Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures, with tenure, Professor of Linguistics, with tenure and Professor of English
Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, January 1 – May 31, 2022, cancelled.

Seifert, Colleen M., Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2022, cancelled.

TERMINATIONS OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

Appointment Completed

Coggins, Darren E., Clinical Instructor in Nursing, School of Nursing, UM-Flint, December 31, 2021

Mazzarella, Dara L., Clinical Instructor in Internal Medicine, Medical School, December 31, 2021

Mendel, Thomas A., Clinical Instructor in Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, December 23, 2021

Deceased

Resigned

Abdullah, Saria, Clinical Instructor in Dentistry, Department of Biologic and Materials Science, School of Dentistry, January 27, 2022

Aguirre, Laida, Assistant Professor of Architecture and Urban Planning, A Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, May 31, 2022

Bedi, Asheesh, Harold W and Helen L Gehring Early Career Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery and Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, with tenure, Medical School, March 31, 2022

Etienne, Harley F., Associate Professor of Urban and Regional Planning, with tenure, A Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, December 31, 2021

Gaies, Michael, Associate Professor of Pediatrics, with tenure, Medical School, February 27, 2022

Joseph-Gabriel, Annette, Associate Professor of Romance Languages and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, December 31, 2021

Kalai, Vivek, Clinical Assistant Professor of Radiology, Medical School, December 31, 2021

Lopes, Elizabeth L., Clinical Instructor in Nursing, School of Nursing, December 31, 2021

Platt, Robert D., Associate Professor of Art and Design, with tenure, Penny W Stamps School of Art and Design, February 28, 2022
Savich, Tatjana T., Clinical Assistant Professor of Occupational Therapy, College of Health Sciences, UM-Flint, July 15, 2022

Sciallis, Andrew P., Clinical Associate Professor of Pathology, Medical School, January 3, 2022

Smith, Noah R., Clinical Assistant Professor of Dermatology, Medical School, December 3, 2021

Sorkin, Tsovinar, Clinical Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Medical School, January 3, 2022

Turnley, David, Associate Professor of Art and Design, with tenure, Penny W Stamps School of Art and Design and Associate Professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, December 31, 2021

Zhang, Yang, Professor of Computational Medicine and Bioinformatics, with tenure, Medical School, April 30, 2022

Retired

Anderson, Christine A., Clinical Associate Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing, May 31, 2022

Bielajew, Alex F., Professor of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Science, with tenure, College of Engineering, December 31, 2021

Bude, Ronald O., Professor of Radiology, with tenure, Medical School, January 7, 2022

Fort, Rodney D., Professor of Kinesiology, with tenure, School of Kinesiology, May 31, 2022

Gage, Philip J., Associate Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, with tenure and Associate Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology, without tenure, Medical School, December 31, 2021

Lewis, Ian H., Clinical Associate Professor of Anesthesiology, Medical School, May 31, 2022

Prager, Richard L, Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professor of Cardiac Surgery and Clinical Professor of Surgery, Medical School, December 31, 2021

Standiford, Theodore J., Henry Sewell Professor of Medicine and Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Medical School, January 10, 2022

Ten Haken, Randall K., Professor of Radiation Oncology, with tenure, Medical School, January 31, 2022

Terrell, Jeffrey E., Professor of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, with tenure, Medical School, January 7, 2022
CORRECTION TO
TERMINATIONS OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

Harlow, Sioban D., Professor of Epidemiology, with tenure, Professor of Global Public Health, without tenure, School of Public Health and Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, without tenure, Medical School, December 31, 2021

CANCELLATION OF
REGENTS COMMUNICATION APPROVAL

Mohai, Paul, Correction of Effective Dates of an Academic Administrative Appointment, effective dates October 1, 2021 – June 30, 2023, approved in the July, 2021 regents meeting.