

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement

Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir

Lloyd D. Johnston, Ph.D., Angus Campbell Collegiate Research Professor and research professor, Survey Research Center, Institute for Social Research (ISR), retired from active faculty status on April 30, 2026.

Professor Johnston earned a B.A. in economics from Williams College in 1962, an M.B.A in organizational behavior from Harvard University in 1965, and an M.A. in psychology in 1971 and a Ph.D. in 1973 from the University of Michigan. He has devoted his professional life to conducting national surveys at the Survey Research Center, ISR. He was promoted to research professor in 1998, awarded the University Distinguished Senior Research Scientist title in 1998, and received the Angus Campbell Collegiate Research Professor title in 2011. He received the Regents' Award for Distinguished Public Service in 1998. Professor Johnston was a co-founder of the ongoing national Monitoring the Future study (MTF) in 1974 and served as its principal investigator for the first 43 of its now 52 year existence. It has served as a model for similar national studies in 30 countries in Europe and in 11 other countries around the world with Professor Johnston's involvement as a consultant for PAHO, WHO, UNDND, and Council of Europe. He has received a number of national and international appointments and awards, including the 2011 Lifetime Achievement Award from the Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America.

Professor Johnston has made important contributions tracking and studying the use of some 65 psychoactive substances among the nation's secondary school students, college students, and adults, followed from age 18 through 65. He is highly ranked in the social sciences and to date has authored 2 books, over 130 research monographs, over 190 journal articles, and 59 chapters.

The Regents now salute this distinguished faculty member by naming **Lloyd D Johnston, Angus Campbell Collegiate Research Professor Emeritus and research professor emeritus, Survey Research Center.**

Requested by:



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