### PROMOTION RECOMMENDATION

# The University of Michigan-Dearborn School of Management Department of Accounting and Finance

Hei-Wai Lee, associate professor of finance, with tenure, Department of Accounting and Finance, School of Management, is recommended for promotion to professor of finance, with tenure, Department of Accounting and Finance, School of Management.

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# Summary of Evaluation:

<u>Teaching:</u> Professor Lee's teaching is rated as significantly capable. He has demonstrated long term, consistent teaching while maintaining high standards in courses that he taught. He also made substantive and outstanding contributions to the School's program curriculum and assessment.

Research: Professor Lee's research contribution is rated as excellent. He has demonstrated both the capability and the desire to pursue high quality research continually through regular research output and scholarship activities. With the belief that continued research and scholarship activities are indispensable for being a successful teacher-scholar, his active research program demonstrates continuous effort to strive for excellence and leadership in educating students, in developing junior faculty members, and in contributing to the knowledge of his discipline. In addition, all external reviewers consistently recognize the significant contributions of Professor Lee's research and scholarly activities to the finance discipline. They are confident that he will continue his scholarship and make significant contributions to the body of knowledge through his high quality research.

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