

The University of Michigan Regents Communication

Summary of Personnel Actions

* Interim Approval Granted

Ann Arbor, Dearborn, and Flint Campuses – Recommendations for Approval

1. Promotions to the ranks of professor and associate professor, 2026 - 2027.

Ann Arbor Campus – Recommendations for Approval

New appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure

1. Dahlem, Chin-Hwa Y., associate professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective August 25, 2026.
2. Huang, Yan, as professor of technology and operations, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective August 25, 2026.
3. *Oldham, Justin M., M.D., M.S., associate professor of internal medicine, with tenure, Medical School, effective April 1, 2026.
4. Sharma, Anjali, associate professor of pharmaceutical sciences, with tenure, College of Pharmacy, effective July 15, 2026.
5. *Syverud, Kent, professor of law, with tenure, Law School, effective May 11, 2026.
6. Thornton, Michael, professor of music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective August 25, 2026.

New appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, without tenure

1. Brown, David A., Ph.D., as associate professor of surgery, without tenure, and associate professor of orthopaedic surgery, without tenure, Medical School, effective June 1, 2026.
2. Pajaro-van de Stadt, Milena, associate professor of music, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective August 25, 2026

Reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff

1. Alumkal, Joshi J., M.D., Wicha Family Professor of Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure).

2. As-Sanie, Sawsan, M.D., M.P.H., Robert K. Ferguson and Virginia A. Ferguson Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also professor of obstetrics and gynecology, with tenure).
3. Bartlett, Bart M., chair, Department of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2030 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and professor of chemistry, with tenure).
4. Caird, Michelle S., M.D., Harold W. and Helen L. Gehring Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, Medical School, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2028 (also chair, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, and professor of orthopaedic surgery, with tenure).
5. Cameron, Anne K., M.D., James Montie, M.D. Legacy Professor of Urology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also clinical professor, Department of Urology).
6. Chervin, Ronald D., M.D., Michael S. Aldrich Legacy Professor of Sleep Medicine, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also professor of neurology, with tenure).
7. Colabianchi, Natalie, associate dean for research, School of Kinesiology, effective July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027 (also professor of kinesiology, with tenure).
8. Cole, Julia, chair, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2030 (also professor of Earth and environmental sciences, with tenure).
9. London, Zachary, M.D., James W. Albers Legacy Professor of Neurology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also clinical professor, Department of Neurology).
10. Lyssiotis, Costas A., Ph.D., Maisel Research Professor of Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also professor of molecular and integrative physiology, with tenure, and professor of internal medicine, without tenure).
11. Matuszak, Martha M., Ph.D., Laurie Snow Research Professor, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also clinical professor, Department of Radiation Oncology, Medical School, and associate professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering).

12. Miller, Shelie, Jonathan W. Bulkley Collegiate Professor of Sustainable Systems, School for Environment and Sustainability, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also professor of environment and sustainability, with tenure, School for Environment and Sustainability, professor of civil and environmental engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, and professor of environment, without tenure, School for Environment and Sustainability and College of Literature, Science, and the Arts).
13. Moore, Bethany B., Ph.D., Nancy Walls Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2031 (also chair, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, professor of microbiology and immunology, with tenure, and professor of Internal Medicine, without tenure).
14. Morgan, Todd, M.D., Jack Lapides, M.D. Research Professor, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also professor of urology, with tenure).
15. Myers, Christianne, Claribel Baird Halstead Collegiate Professor, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective June 1, 2026 through May 31, 2029 (also professor of theatre and drama, with tenure).
16. Newman-Casey, Paula A., M.D., M.S., Jerome Jacobson Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also associate professor of ophthalmology and visual sciences, with tenure).
17. Paloff, Benjamin B., chair, Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2030 (also professor of Slavic languages and literatures, with tenure, and professor of comparative literature, with tenure).
18. Parkos, Charles A., M.D., Ph.D., Carl Vernon Weller Professor of Pathology, Medical School, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2028 (also chair, Department of Pathology, and professor of pathology, with tenure).
19. Pasquale, John D., Donald R. Shepherd Chair in Conducting, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective June 1, 2026 through May 31, 2031 (also clinical professor).
20. Riegger, Lori Quinlan, M.D., Sujit K. and Uma A. Pandit Professor of Pediatric Anesthesiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also clinical professor, Department of Anesthesiology).
21. Spreitzer, Gretchen M., as associate dean for executive and corporate relations, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027 (also Keith E. and Valerie J. Alessi Professor of Business Administration, and professor of organizational behavior and human resource management, with tenure).
22. Sriram, Srinivasaraghavan, associate dean for graduate programs, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2028 (also Dwight F. Benton Professor of Marketing, and professor of marketing, with tenure).

23. Sun, Duxin, Charles R. Walgreen, Jr. Professor of Pharmacy, College of Pharmacy, effective May 1, 2026 through April 30, 2031 (also associate dean for research, and professor of pharmaceutical sciences, with tenure).
24. Svoboda, Laurie K., John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health, for a three-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2029 (also assistant professor of environmental health sciences, School of Public Health, and assistant professor of pharmacology, Medical School).
25. Watson, Jr., Stanley J., M.D., Ralph Waldo Gerard Professor of Neurosciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also professor of psychiatry, with tenure).
26. Yoon, Yung-Jin Carolyn, associate dean for community and global initiatives, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2028 (also Wilbur K Pierpont Collegiate Professor of Management, professor of marketing, with tenure).

Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff

1. Abdel-Latif, Ahmed, M.D., Ph.D., Daniel R. Goldstein, M.D. Research Professor, Medical School, effective May 1, 2026 through August 31, 2030 (also clinical professor, Department of Internal Medicine).
2. Bostwick, Jolene R. associate dean for student affairs, College of Pharmacy, effective May 1, 2026 through April 30, 2029 (also clinical professor).
3. Brenn, Thomas, M.D., Ph.D., the A. James French Professor of Diagnostic Pathology, Medical School, effective May 1, 2026 through August 31, 2030 (also clinical professor, Department of Pathology, and clinical professor, Department of Dermatology).
4. Broglio, Steven P., Ph.D., professor of physical medicine and rehabilitation, without tenure, and as professor of neurology, without tenure, Medical School, effective June 1, 2026 (also professor of kinesiology, with tenure, School of Kinesiology).
5. Camelo-Piragua, Sandra, M.D., M. R. Abell Endowed Professor of Surgical Pathology, Medical School, effective March 1, 2026 through August 31, 2030 (also clinical professor, Department of Pathology).
6. Caron, David, professor of women's and gender studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective August 25, 2026 (also professor of French, with tenure).
7. Elvang, Henriette D.M., chair, Department of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2031 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Oskar Klein Collegiate Professor of Physics, and professor of physics, with tenure).

8. Gould, Michael, associate dean for undergraduate academic affairs, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2029 (also professor of music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and professor in the Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts).
9. Greer, Scott E.L., Richard Carl Jelinek Professor of Health Services Management and Policy, School of Public Health, effective May 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also professor of health management and policy, with tenure, professor of global public health, without tenure, School of Public Health, and professor of political science, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts).
10. Hofmann, Heath, Ian Hiskens Collegiate Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, College of Engineering, effective May 1, 2026 through June 30, 2031 (also professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure).
11. Holinstat, Michael A., professor of materials science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective August 25, 2026 (also professor of pharmacology, with tenure, professor of internal medicine, without tenure, and professor of surgery, without tenure, Medical School).
12. Jin, Jionghua, professor of mechanical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective August 25, 2026 (also A. Galip Ulsoy Collegiate Professor of Engineering, and professor of industrial and operations engineering, with tenure).
13. Litman, Leah M., associate dean for faculty and research, Law School, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2029 (also professor of law, with tenure).
14. Liu, Fei, Richard H. Kingery Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, effective May 1, 2026 through April 30, 2031 (also professor of dentistry, with tenure).
15. *Liu, Mingyan, Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective May 15, 2026 through July 31, 2029 (also T. C. Chang Professor of Engineering, and professor electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure).
16. Lu, Wei, Charles M. Vest Collegiate Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective May 1, 2026 through June 30, 2031 (also professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure, and professor of materials science and engineering, without tenure).
17. Mapp, Anna K., Rowena G. Matthews Professor in the Life Sciences, Life Sciences Institute, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also associate dean for academic programs and initiatives, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, Edwin Vedejs Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, and professor of chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts).
18. McCarthy, Marie, Earl V. Moore Collegiate Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective June 1, 2026 through May 31, 2031 (also professor of music, with tenure).

19. Menassa, Carol C., Robert I. Carr Collegiate Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, effective May 1, 2026 through June 30, 2031 (also professor of civil and environmental engineering, with tenure).
20. Missmer, Stacey, S.M., Sc.D., Judy Frankel Research Professor of Women's Health, Medical School, effective May 1, 2026 through August 31, 2030 (also professor of obstetrics and gynecology, with tenure).
21. Porter-Szucs, Brian A., Richard Hudson Research Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2027 through May 24, 2027 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and professor of history, with tenure).
22. Rajan, Uday, senior associate dean for faculty and research, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2029 (also David B. Hermelin Professor of Business Administration, and professor of finance, with tenure)
23. Renno, Nilton O., John R. Barker Collegiate Professor of Planetary Sciences and Space Engineering, College of Engineering, effective May 1, 2026, through April 30, 2031 (also professor of climate and space sciences and engineering, with tenure, and professor of aerospace engineering, without tenure).
24. Sears, Erika D., M.D., M.S., associate professor of orthopaedic surgery, without tenure, Medical School, effective May 1, 2026 (also associate professor of surgery, with tenure).
25. Shepherd, Michael E., the John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Health Management and Policy, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2029 (also assistant professor of health management and policy, School of Public Health, and assistant professor of political science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts).
26. *Shih, Albert J., Yoram Koren Collegiate Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective April 1, 2026 through May 31, 2031 (also professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, and professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School).
27. *Singer, Kanakadurga V.N.L., associate dean for faculty, Medical School, effective April 1, 2026 (also Valerie Castle Oipari, M.D. Professor of Pediatrics, professor of pediatrics, with tenure, and professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure).
28. Singh, Nirala, associate professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective August 25, 2026 (also associate professor of chemical engineering, with tenure).
29. *Stefanac, Stephen J., interim associate dean for patient services, School of Dentistry, effective March 25, 2026, through August 31, 2026 (also clinical professor emeritus).
30. Tol, Serife, associate professor of aerospace engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective August 25, 2026 (also associate professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure).

31. Walker, Christopher J., associate dean for academic programming, Law School, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2029 (also professor of law, with tenure).
32. West, Brady T., Collegiate Research Professor, Office of the Vice President for Research, effective September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2031 (also research professor, Survey Research Center, Institute for Social Research, and research professor, Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health).
33. Z, Y, professor of robotics, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective August 25, 2026 (also professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, with tenure, professor of materials science and engineering, without tenure, and professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure).
34. Zhu, Yunlu, Ph.D., Terry and Shelley Barr Research Professor, Medical School, effective May 1, 2026 through August 31, 2030 (also assistant professor of otolaryngology-head and neck surgery, and assistant professor of molecular and integrative physiology).

Leave of absence for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff

1. Chavous, Tabbye M., extension of personal leave of absence, effective July 1, 2026 through August 31, 2027 (professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of education, without tenure, Marsal Family School of Education).

Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic and administrative positions

1. Establishment of a new academic administration position as associate dean for teaching, School of Information, effective July 1, 2026.
2. Change in title of an existing collegiate professorship title as the William Gould Dow Collegiate Professorship in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, effective May 1, 2026 (currently the William G. Dow Collegiate Professorship in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science).
3. Establishment of a research professorship as the Fedele and Iris Fauri Research Professorship in Child and Family Services, School of Social Work, effective September 1, 2026.
4. Change in category of an existing career development professorship to a faculty development professorship as the Samuel H. Fuller Early Career Professorship in Electrical and Computer Engineering, College of Engineering, effective May 1, 2026.
5. Establishment of an endowed librarianship as the Janice B. Longone Librarianship for Culinary History, Special Collections Research Center, University of Michigan Library.
6. Establishment a research professorship as the Allen J. Sedman, M.D., Ph.D. Research Professorship, College of Pharmacy, effective May 1, 2026.

7. Naming of an existing unendowed collegiate professorship as the Dale A. Ulrich Collegiate Professorship in Kinesiology, School of Kinesiology, effective June 1, 2026.

Other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff

1. Aguda, 'Pemi, Helen Zell Visiting Professor of Poetry/Prose, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2027 through May 24, 2027.
2. Anno, Mariko, Toyota Visiting Professor of Japanese Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective August 25, 2026 through April 30, 2027.
3. Fitzpatrick, Kate R., change in title as senior associate dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2029 (currently associate dean for undergraduate academic affairs, also professor of music, with tenure).
4. Grasso, Domenico, president, University of Michigan, effective May 8, 2025 (currently interim president, also professor of civil and engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, and professor of sustainable engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering and Computer Science, and professor of public policy and administration, without tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, University of Michigan-Dearborn).
5. Mallette, Karla, transfer of tenure to professor of Italian, with tenure, and professor of Middle East studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective August 25, 2026 (currently professor of Italian, with tenure, and professor of Middle East studies, with tenure).
6. Richardson, Rachel B.J., Helen Zell Visiting Professor of Poetry/Prose, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective August 25, 2026 through December 31, 2026.

Dearborn Campus – Recommendations for Approval

Reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff

1. Krisanu Bandyopadhyay, chair, Department of Natural Sciences, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2029 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure).
2. Czap, Natalia, chair, Department of Social Sciences, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2029 (also professor of economics, with tenure).

Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff

1. Finlayson, J. Caitlin, chair, Department of Language, Culture and the Arts, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2029 (also professor of English, with tenure).
2. Scarlatta, Maria Gabriella, chancellor, University of Michigan-Dearborn, effective May 22, 2026 through May 21, 2031 (also professor of French, with tenure College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters).

Flint Campus – Recommendations for approval

Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff

1. Huang, Min-Hui, Frances Willson Thompson Professor, University of Michigan-Flint, effective August 20, 2026 (also professor of physical therapy, with tenure, College of Health Sciences).
2. Parker, Shandowyn L., dean, College of Health Sciences, effective June 1, 2026 (also professor of public health, with tenure, College of Health Sciences).
3. Uludag, Suleyman, David M. French Professor, University of Michigan-Flint, effective July 1, 2026 (also professor of computer science, with tenure, College of Innovation and Technology).

Committee Appointments