

**SUMMARY OF PERSONNEL ACTIONS
REGENTS AGENDA
July 2009**

ANN ARBOR CAMPUS

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

- (1) Daskin, Mark S., chair, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering, and professor of industrial and operations engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2010.
- (2) Lam, Thomas, associate professor of mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009.
- (3) Pescovitz, Ora Hirsch, M.D., professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, Medical School, effective May 11, 2009 (also executive vice president for medical affairs.)
- (4) Prasanna, Kartik, associate professor of mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009.
- (5) Rex, Lesley A., promotion to professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, effective September 1, 2009 (currently associate professor of education, with tenure.)

2. Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, without tenure.

- (1) Martins, Joaquim R.R.A., associate professor of aerospace engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.

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

- (1) Berguer, Ramon, M.D., Ph.D., Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery, Medical School, effective November 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of surgery, with tenure, Medical School, and professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
- (2) Boulton, Matthew L., associate dean for practice, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012 (also associate professor of epidemiology, with tenure, School of Public Health, and associate professor of internal medicine, without tenure, Medical School.)
- (3) Cho, Kyung J., M.D., William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of radiology, with tenure.)

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

- (4) Eisenberg, Rebecca S., Robert and Barbara Luciano Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of law, with tenure.)
- (5) Feldman, Eva L., M.D., Ph.D., Russell N. DeJong Professor of Neurology, Medical School, effective October 21, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of neurology, with tenure.)
- (6) Gelman, Susan A., Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014 (also professor of psychology, with tenure.)
- (7) Hollenberg, Paul F., Ph.D., Maurice H. Seevers Collegiate Professor of Pharmacology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also chair, Department of Pharmacology, and professor of pharmacology, with tenure.)
- (8) Lydic, Ralph, Ph.D., Bert N. LaDu Professor of Anesthesiology Research, Medical School, effective August 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of anesthesiology, with tenure, and professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure.)
- (9) McInnis, Melvin G., M.D., Thomas B. and Nancy Upjohn Woodworth Professor of Bipolar Disorder and Depression, Medical School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of psychiatry, with tenure.)
- (10) McNamara, Jr., James A., Drs. Thomas M. and Doris Graber Endowed Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry, and professor of cell and developmental biology, without tenure, Medical School.)
- (11) Matani, John C., James N. Spuhler Collegiate Professor of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of anthropology, with tenure.)
- (12) Palincsar, Annemarie Sullivan, associate dean for academic affairs, School of Education, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Jean and Charles R. Walgreen, Jr. Professor of Reading and Literacy, and professor of education, with tenure.)

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- (13) Schneider, Carl E., Chauncey Stillman Professor of Ethics, Morality, and the Practice of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of law, with tenure, Law School, and professor of internal medicine, without tenure, Medical School.)
- (14) Shapiro, Matthew D., Lawrence R. Klein Collegiate Professor of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also chair, Department of Economics, and professor of economics, with tenure.)
- (15) Siebers, Tobin A., Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professor of Literary and Cultural Criticism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of English language and literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of art and design, without tenure, School of Art and Design.)
- (16) Tessler, Mark A., vice provost for international affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2013 (also Samuel J. Eldersveld Collegiate Professor of Political Science, and professor of political science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)

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

- (1) Agrawal, Arun, associate dean for research, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012 (also professor of natural resources and environment, with tenure.)
- (2) Becker, Jill B., Patricia Y. Gurin Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of psychology, with tenure.)
- (3) Bougher, Stephen W., Andrew F. Nagy Collegiate Research Professor, Office of the Vice President for Research, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also research professor, Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic, and Space Sciences, College of Engineering.)

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

- (4) Dlugosz, Andrzej A., M.D., professor of cell and developmental biology, without tenure, effective July 1, 2009 (also Poth Professor of Cutaneous Oncology, and professor of dermatology, with tenure.)
- (5) Gafni, Ari, professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 (also professor of biochemistry, with tenure, Medical School.)
- (6) Goodison, Lorna, Lemuel A. Johnson Collegiate Professor of English and Afroamerican and African Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of English language and literature, with tenure, and professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure.)
- (7) Gurney, James G., Ph.D., associate professor of surgery, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2009 (also associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure.)
- (8) Hines, James R., Jr., L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of law, with tenure, Law School, Richard A. Musgrave Collegiate Professor of Economics, professor of business economics, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and professor of economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (9) Hu, Shixin Jack, associate dean for academic affairs, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012 (also G. Lawton and Louise G. Johnson Professor of Engineering, professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure, and professor of industrial and operations engineering, without tenure.)
- (10) Keoleian, Gregory A., professor of civil and environmental engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009 (also associate professor of sustainable systems, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment.)

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

- (11) King, John L., William Warner Bishop Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also vice provost for academic information, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, and professor of information, with tenure, School of Information.)
- (12) Kling II, George W., Robert G. Wetzel Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure.)
- (13) Kushner, Mark J., professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009 (also George I. Haddad Collegiate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, and professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure.)
- (14) Merlin, Roberto D., Peter A. Franken Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
- (15) Nornes, Mark H., chair, Department of Screen Arts and Cultures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012 (also professor of screen arts and cultures, with tenure, and professor of Asian languages and cultures, with tenure.)
- (16) Owyang, Chung, M.D., professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2009 (also H. Marvin Pollard Collegiate Professor of Gastroenterology, and professor of internal medicine, with tenure.)
- (17) Page, Scott E., director, Center for the Study of Complex Systems, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012 (also Leonard Hurwicz Collegiate Professor of Political Science, Complex Systems, and Economics, professor of political science, with tenure, and professor of economics, without tenure.)

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

- (18) Scavia, Donald, professor of civil and environmental engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009 (also Graham Family Professor, and professor of natural resources and environment, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment.)
- (19) Sears, Elizabeth L., George H. Forsyth, Jr. Collegiate Professor of the History of Art, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of history of art, with tenure.)
- (20) van der Pluijm, Ben A., Bruce R. Clark Collegiate Professor of Geology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of geological sciences, with tenure, and professor of the environment, without tenure.)
- (21) Villarruel, Antonia M., professor of health behavior and health education, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2009 (also Nola J. Pender Collegiate Professor of Nursing, associate dean for research, and professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing.)
- (22) Zak, Donald R., Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014 (also professor of natural resources, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment, and professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (23) Zöllner, Sebastian, John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012 (also assistant professor of biostatistics, School of Public Health, and assistant professor of psychiatry, Medical School.)
- (24) Zurbuchen, Thomas H., associate dean for entrepreneurial programs, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2013 (also professor of atmospheric, oceanic and space sciences, with tenure, and professor of aerospace engineering, without tenure.)

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

- (1) Ozdenoren, Emre, extension of a leave of absence beyond one year, effective September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2010 (associate professor of economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (2) Pascual, Mercedes, extension of a leave of absence beyond one year, effective September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2013 (Rosemary Grant Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, and professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)

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

- (1) Approval to name an existing Collegiate Professorship as the Herber D. Curtis Collegiate Professorship in Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective, July 1, 2009.
- (2) Approval to name an existing Collegiate Professorship as the George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professorship in Chemistry and Biophysics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective, July 1, 2009.
- (3) Approval to name an existing Collegiate Professorship as the Harold W. Stevenson Collegiate Professorship in Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective, July 1, 2009.

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

- (1) Authorization for the President or the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs to approve necessary appointments during August, effective August 1, 2009 through August 31, 2009
- (2) Eccles, Jacquelynne S., Wilbert McKeachie and Paul Pintrich Distinguished University Professor of Psychology and Education, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 (also professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of education, without tenure, School of Education.)

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

- (3) Ewing, Rodney C., Edward H. Kraus Distinguished University Professor of Geological Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 (also professor of geological sciences, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, professor of materials science and engineering, without tenure, and professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering.
- (4) Fulton, William E., Oscar Zariski Distinguished University Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 (also professor of mathematics, with tenure.)
- (5) Ulsoy, A. Galip, C.D. Mote, Jr. Distinguished University Professor of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009 (also professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure.)
- (6) Vandermeer, John H., Asa Gray Distinguished University Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of natural resources and environment, without tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment.)
- (7) Griffith, Graham W., Howard R. Marsh Visiting Professor of Journalism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2010.)

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

- (1) Mallick, Pankaj K., director, Interdisciplinary Programs, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012 (also William E. Stirton Professor, and professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure.)

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

- (1) Zakarian, Armen, chair, Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012 (also professor of industrial and manufacturing systems engineering, with tenure.)

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

- (1) Lotfi, Vahid, associate provost, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014 (also professor of management sciences, with tenure, School of Management.)
- (2) Munroe, Derwin S., chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012.
- (3) Trela, Dale J., dean, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014 (also professor of English, with tenure.)

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

- (1) Gameda, Guluma, chair, Department of Foreign Languages, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2009 through August 31, 2010 (also associate professor of Africana studies, with tenure.)
- (2) Lotfi, Vahid, interim provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, effective July 27, 2009 (also associate provost, and professor of management studies, with tenure, School of Management.)
- (3) Waters, Christine M., interim associate provost, effective August 1, 2009 (also professor of art, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences.)

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
July 16, 2009

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Mark S. Daskin

TITLES: Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering and
Chair, Department of Industrial and Operations
Engineering, College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2010

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark S. Daskin as professor of industrial and operations engineering, with tenure, and chair, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2010.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Daskin received his B.S. in civil engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1974. He received his Certificate of Post-Graduate Study in engineering from Cambridge University in 1975. He received his Ph.D. in civil engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1978.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Following graduation, Professor Daskin joined the faculty at the University of Texas, Department of Civil Engineering, as an assistant professor. In 1980, he accepted a position as assistant professor of civil engineering at Northwestern University where he currently resides. He was promoted to associate professor in 1983 and to professor in 1989.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Daskin's research focuses on the application of operations research techniques to problems in transportation, supply chain management and facility location modeling. Two areas of recent and current research include 1) the integration of inventory and routing in facility location modeling, and 2) reliability in facility location and supply chain management. Professor Daskin has a distinguished list of accomplishments. He is the former chair of the Industrial Engineering and Management Science Department at Northwestern University. He has served as former editor-in-chief of *IIE Transactions* and former editor-in-chief of *Transportation Science*. Professor Daskin is also the immediate past-president of INFORMS as well as past vice president of publications. In addition, Professor Daskin is a fellow of INFORMS and fellow of IIE.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A: “Mark’s record of accomplishments are outstanding, at the top of his field, in the areas of teaching, leadership and collaborative ability. In the categories of research accomplishments, stature in the field of transportation research, and impact on practice, I consider Mark’s performance to be excellent.”

Reviewer B: “...I believe that Professor Daskin is an exemplary member of the ORIE community, a world leader in transportation and location theory, and a selfless contributor to the profession.”

Reviewer C: “Other evidences of Mark’s excellent achievements include the placement of his former PhD students in top universities and the prestigious awards he received from important institutes in 2001, 2004, 2005 and 2006.”

Reviewer D: “Mark Daskin is a senior statesman and distinguished researcher in the fields of transportation, supply chain management and manufacturing and you would be indeed fortunate if you could attract him to the University of Michigan.”

Reviewer E: “Mark does it all – leadership, bridge building, research (focused on transportation) and education. I recommend Mark enthusiastically and most highly for a faculty position with tenure in your department.”

Reviewer F: “Given his steady production rate over the past several years, I have every reason to believe that he will continue to be a major research contributor for many years to come.”

Reviewer G: “Besides his contribution to the research in location analysis, Mark has also been a great educator – he has graduated about ten PhDs in this field, four of them currently hold faculty positions in major research universities.”

Reviewer H: “I believe that Mark’s contributions to all areas of the academic profession make him an ideal candidate for a position in the IOE Department...”

PUBLICATIONS

Sahyouni, K., Savaskan, R.C. and Daskin, M.S., “The Effect of Lifetime Buys on Warranty Operations,” *Journal of the Operational Research Society*, forthcoming.

Ozsen, L., Coullard, C. and Daskin, M.S., 2008, “Capacitated Facility Location Model with Risk Pooling,” *Naval Research Logistics*, 55:4, pp. 295-312.

Daskin, M.S., 2008, “What You Should Know About Location Modeling,” *Naval Research Logistics*, 55:4, pp. 283-294.

Ilhan, T., Iravani, S. and Daskin, M.S., 2008, “The Orienteering Problem with Stochastic Demands,” *IIE Transactions*, 40:4, pp. 406-421.

ReVelle, C.S., Eiselt, H.A. and Daskin, M.S., 2008, "A Bibliography for Some Fundamental Problem Categories in Discrete Location Science," *European Journal of Operational Research*, 184:3, pp. 817-848.

Sahyouni, K., Savaskan, R.C. and Daskin, M.S., 2007, "A Facility Location Model for Bidirectional Flows," *Transportation Science*, 41:4, pp. 484-499.

Ruffolo, M., Daskin, M.S., Sahakian, A.V. and Berry, R., 2007, "Design of a Large Network for Radiological Image Data," *IEEE Transactions on Information Technology in Biomedicine*, 11:1, pp. 25-39.

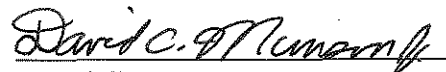
Snyder, L.V., Daskin, M.S. and Teo, C-P., 2007, "The Stochastic Location Model with Risk Pooling," *European Journal of Operational Research*, 179:3, pp. 1221-1238.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

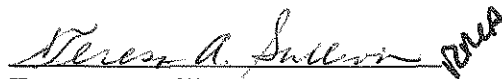
Mark S. Daskin has a proven record as an excellent leader and scholar in the area of supply chain management, transportation and location theory. We are presented with an excellent opportunity to hire a superb researcher, outstanding educator and strong leader in a critical area of relevance to the Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark S. Daskin as professor of industrial and operations engineering, with tenure, and chair, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Thomas Lam

TITLE: Associate Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature,
Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the Department of Mathematics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Thomas Lam as associate professor of mathematics, with tenure, effective September 1, 2009.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Thomas Lam received his Bachelor of Science from the University of New South Wales in 2001 and Doctorate from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 2005.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Lam began his teaching career as the Benjamin Pierce Assistant Professor at Harvard University in 2005. He has been a National Science Foundation Postdoctoral Fellow at the American Institute of Mathematics since 2007.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Lam's research is in algebraic combinatorics, particularly with problems arising in geometry and representation theory. He has been extremely productive publishing 20 papers in high-ranking journals like *Advances in Mathematics*, the *American Journal of Mathematics*, and the *Journal of the American Mathematical Society*. In addition to the National Science Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship, he was awarded a Clay Liftoff Fellowship (2005) and recently received a Sloan Fellowship.

Professor Lam has a wide range of teaching experience with undergraduate and graduate students. Current evaluations show that he is an outstanding instructor, which was recognized at Harvard University with a teaching award in fall term 2008.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

“Lam is clearly a world leader in algebraic combinatorics just 4 years past his Ph.D. His command of a broad range of mathematical techniques [is] on par with the top mathematicians in the field... Every one of his papers that I have read contain serious contributions to the field.”

Reviewer (B)

“Your department is wise to try and secure a tenured position for him, as he is both prolific and talented, as evidenced by his impressive list of publications. ... I give him my highest recommendation.”

Reviewer (C)

“...he has much more published work than most others at his career stage. ...Lam also has some impressive and truly important results. ... Overall I would rank him with the best of his generation in combinatorics...”

Reviewer (D)

“He has been invited to deliver talks in many international conferences and to participate in workshops held in the best institutes... This shows clearly that he is considered by his colleagues as one of the new leaders in his field. I personally find his papers...outstanding and of potential interest for a large audience. ... They demonstrate great combinatorial skills, a creative imagination as well as a remarkable mathematical taste.”

Reviewer (E)

“...I am convinced that he is an outstanding combinatorist. ... I am sure that having Thomas in your department will not only strengthen your already very strong combinatorics group, but will also benefit faculty members in other disciplines as well. ...he is also an excellent lecturer...”

Reviewer (F)

“The depth, breadth and originality of his work are steadily increasing. ... His greatest strength is as a problem-solver. In almost every paper, he picks the correct algebraic machine from the dizzying array of this field, cleans it up, and harnesses it to prove a striking theorem (often one previously conjectured). He clarifies, simplifies, and unifies the techniques, making them available to other researchers.”

Reviewer (G)

“Lam’s contributions are remarkable for their volume as well as their breadth and depth. ... My recommendations do not come more strongly: offer Lam whatever you can while you have the opportunity...”

Reviewer (H)

“This body of work clearly established Thomas as a leader in his field. In my opinion, he is the best researcher in combinatorics in his age group. ... Without doubt he is a perfect candidate for a tenure or tenure track position at a top university.”

PUBLICATIONS

“Temperley-Lieb Pfaffinants and Schur Q-positivity conjectures,” with P. Pylyavskyy, *Advances in Mathematics*, 218, 2008, pp. 1654-1684.

“Signed differential posets and sign-imbalance,” *Journal of Combinatorial Theory Series A*, 115, 2008, pp. 466-484.

“Schur positivity and Schur log-concavity,” with A. Postnikov and P. Pylyavskyy, *American Journal of Mathematics*, 129, 2007, pp. 1611-1622.

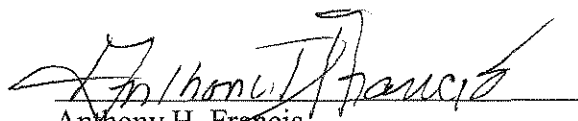
“A Little bijection for affine Stanley symmetric functions,” with M. Shimozono, *Seminaire Lotharingien de Combinatoire*, 54A, 2006, p. B54Ai.


SUMMARY

Professor Lam is a clear leader in his field. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Thomas Lam as associate professor of mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

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Approved by the Regents
July 16, 2009

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases,
Medical School

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 11, 2009

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D., as professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, effective May 11, 2009. Dr. Pescovitz currently serves as executive vice president for medical affairs at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Pescovitz received the M.D. degree from Northwestern University in 1979. From 1979-1981, she pursued a pediatric residency at the University of Minnesota, followed by additional training in pediatrics at the Children's Hospital National Medical Center in Washington, D.C. From 1981-1985, Dr. Pescovitz was a medical staff fellow in endocrinology at the National Institute of Health and Human Development of the National Institutes of Health. In 1988, she joined the faculty at Indiana University as associate professor of pediatrics, physiology and biophysics, and was promoted to the professorial rank at that institution in 1992. In 1998, she was designated as the Edwin Letzter Professor of Pediatrics at Indiana University.

Dr. Pescovitz is a pediatric endocrinologist with expertise in the area of growth and puberty. She is considered an international expert in the area of precocious puberty, especially associated with McCune Albright Syndrome. Her curriculum vita reflects over 150 peer-reviewed papers, numerous book chapters, books, and review articles. Her expertise is further recognized through the many invited lectures she has delivered at academic institutions, professional meetings, and conferences. Dr. Pescovitz was the honored recipient of the Science Medal of Distinction from Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis in 2007.

Recent and Significant Publications:

Srivastava CH, Monts BS, Rothrock JK, Peredo MJ, Pescovitz OH: Presence of a Spermatogenic-Specific Promoter in the Rat Growth Hormone-Releasing Hormone Gene. *Endocrinology* 135:1502-1508, 1995.

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Dr. Pescovitz has developed an impressive record of teaching contributions throughout her career. She has mentored over 80 students, residents and postdoctoral fellows. She is an award-winning educator, receiving two separate honors for teaching excellence at Indiana University. Dr. Pescovitz has mentored students at all educational levels, including the summer research of undergraduate students, medical students, master's students, pediatric endocrinology fellows, and diabetology fellows. A large number of her mentees have gone on to successful careers in academia, research, and private practice, providing further evidence of her talents as a teacher and mentor.

External Review: Brief excerpts from external reviewers are provided below:

Reviewer A: "Dr. Pescovitz' individual scholarship has been recognized both nationally and internationally, and her organizational service, both in her own university and on the national and international scene, is recognized as being amongst the top in the world."

Reviewer B: "...she has been a spectacular teacher, having mentored numerous trainees in the field of pediatric endocrinology, and has won numerous awards for teaching and mentorship."

Reviewer C: "She is one of the most accomplished physicians in her clinical and research areas. It would be hard to find a person more qualified for the position you propose, and I support her appointment with my greatest enthusiasm."


Reviewer D: "Dr. Pescovitz is insightful, efficient, fair and scientifically accurate. She is reliable and somehow always manages to get the job done despite her multiple activities...she will achieve all of the high standards required of a professor with tenure at the University of Michigan, School of Medicine."

Reviewer E: "Dr. Pescovitz is truly one of the superstars of pediatrics endocrinology. She has made numerous outstanding contributions to clinical research...been a highly productive and inspiring teacher and mentor...served on numerous advisory committees for the NIH and on international committees developing guidelines for treatment of endocrine disorders in children. Dr. Pescovitz's extraordinary achievements in research education, clinical care and international recognition would clearly make her qualified for appointment as professor in the tenure track here."

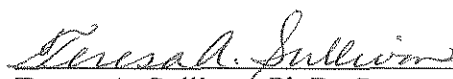
Dr. Pescovitz has attained a distinguished record of service, both institutionally and nationally. She held the position of executive associate dean for research at Indiana University School of Medicine and chief executive officer and president of Riley Children's Hospital in Indianapolis. Dr. Pescovitz is a member of several professional societies, including the American Academy of Pediatrics, the American Pediatric Society, and the Pediatric Endocrine Society, and has held leadership and advisory positions for these organizations. She has been an ad hoc reviewer for several specialty journals, and has served on editorial boards for these publications. In 2008, Dr. Pescovitz was named to the board of the Children's Miracle Network.

Dr. Pescovitz is an outstanding physician, investigator, educator, and administrator who has achieved national and international recognition for her leadership abilities, as well as her clinical and research expertise as a pediatric endocrinologist. We welcome Dr. Pescovitz to the faculty at the University of Michigan Medical School by recommending her appointment as professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure.

Recommended by


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

Recommendation endorsed by

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
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July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
July 16, 2009

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Kartik Prasanna

TITLE: Associate Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature,
Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the Department of Mathematics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Kartik Prasanna as associate professor of mathematics, with tenure, effective September 1, 2009.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Kartik Prasanna received his Master of Science from the Indian Institute of Technology in 1998 and Doctorate from Princeton University in 2003.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Prasanna began his teaching career as an assistant professor at the University of California, Los Angeles in 2003 and has held an appointment as an assistant professor at the University of Maryland since 2006.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Prasanna is viewed as a leader in his generation of number theorists with research that has had significant impact on several of the many subspecialties in this area. He has published five papers, each representing years of work. The high quality of these publications is evidenced by fact that they appear in the top mathematics journals.

Professor Prasanna is an excellent instructor at all levels and students at Maryland have given him stellar ratings. His teaching was also recognized at the University of California with the Robert Sorgenfrey Distinguished Teaching Award. He has taught a variety of courses for a wide spectrum of students and received very good reviews.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)

"Kartik Prasanna is one of the most creative and original number theorists of his generation. ... His command of the two fields of automorphic representations and p -adic number theory is so impressive that I find it hard to believe that he is barely five years past his Ph.D."

Reviewer (B)

"This is an enthusiastic letter of support. Prasanna is an excellent mathematician and would be a great asset to the Michigan mathematics department. I would make this same recommendation and express the same support to any comparable department."

Reviewer (C)

"The results in his papers have sufficiently shown that Prasanna is already an expert in automorphic theory and Iwasawa theory with [a] very high level of technical power."

Reviewer (D)

"Kartik's work is at the cutting edge of some of the most important areas of number theory today and he is widely considered to be a leading contributor at the interface of the arithmetic of L -functions and its relation with algebraic geometry and representation theory. ... I strongly recommend that Michigan hire him as a tenured professor."

Reviewer (E)

"Kartik is very energetic, outgoing, and full of new ideas. ... I believe that he is likely to develop into a world leader in the arithmetic of modular forms, L -functions and Iwasawa theory. Indeed, he has already attained a high international standing in these fields."

Reviewer (F)

"I think it's clear that Kartik is technically very strong, and that he combines expertise in two very abstruse fields, namely automorphic forms and arithmetic geometry. There are very few number theorists who can work with fluency in these areas, and it's evident that Kartik is using his skills to prove results that were out of reach by classical means."

Reviewer (G)

"...I would be very glad to have the possibility to hire Prasanna in my department."

Reviewer (H)

"Prasanna is a creative, independent mathematician of the highest caliber. ... He is one of the very best mathematicians in his age group and I expect he will emerge as a leader in the field."

PUBLICATIONS

"On the Fourier coefficients of modular forms of half-integral weight," *Forum Mathematicum*, to appear.

"Arithmetic properties of the Shimura-Shintani-Waldspurger correspondence," *Inventiones Mathematicae*, 176 (3), 2009, pp. 521-600.

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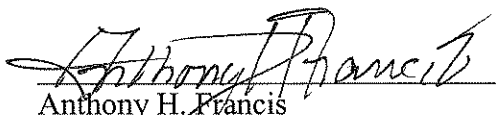
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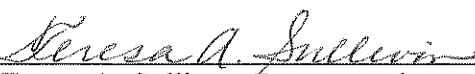
SUMMARY

Professor Prasanna has great depth and extensive knowledge in his field. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Kartik Prasanna as associate professor of mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Promotion Approval

NAME: Lesley A. Rex

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

It is recommended that Lesley A. Rex, associate professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, be promoted to professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, effective September 1, 2009.

Academic Degrees:

1997	Ph.D.	University of California, Santa Barbara
1981	M.A.	University of California, Santa Barbara
1966	B.A.	University of California, Santa Barbara

Professional Record:

2004 — present	Co-chair, Joint Program in English and Education, University of Michigan
2003 — present	Associate Professor, Educational Studies Program, School of Education, University of Michigan
1997 — 2003	Assistant Professor, Educational Studies Program, School of Education, University of Michigan

Summary of Evaluation:

Teaching — Professor Rex has taught four different courses since arriving at Michigan. She has developed or co-developed all of these courses. Three are doctoral courses, which is a required class for all first-year Educational Studies students and she teaches two other doctoral courses and also a fourth course, which is required of all undergraduate students in the secondary English education program. She has been instrumental in advancing the quality and availability of qualitative methods offerings in the School. She has played a major leadership role in the development of the secondary teacher education curriculum, serving as the faculty leader of the secondary teacher education programs in the 2006-2007 academic year.

Scholarship — Professor Rex's scholarship is at the intersection of several related fields: secondary English education, discourse analysis, classroom interaction research, literacy studies, and teacher education. Her research investigates how language is used in educational settings, particularly the secondary English classroom, and with the ways classroom discourse creates opportunities for students to learn. She employs a range of qualitative methods, including ethnography, discourse analysis, and interactional sociolinguistics. She draws on the work of social theorists to analyze classroom discourse and explore the decisions teachers and others make in educational contexts. Her research involves close analysis of language in order to draw attention to the interactional choices

that are made and those that are possible. Her work highlights the transformative potential of language in classrooms.

Selected Representative Publications:

1. Rex, L. A. & Schiller, L. (June, 2009). Using discourse analysis to improve classroom interaction. New York: Taylor and Francis for Routledge.
2. Rex, L. A. (Ed.) (2006). Discourse of opportunity: How talk in learning situations creates and constrains interactional ethnographic studies in teaching and learning. Discourse and Social Processes Series, Cresskill, NJ: Hampton Press.
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5. Rex, L. A. (2005). Testing as shaping. A response to the idea of testing: Psychometric and sociocultural perspectives, *Measurement: Interdisciplinary Research and Perspectives*, 3(2), 103-107.
6. Rex, L. A. & Nelson, M. (2004). How teachers’ professional identities position high stakes test preparation in their classrooms. *Teachers College Record*, 106(6), 1288–1331.

Service — Professor Rex’s service activities promote an awareness of her work and the visibility of the School of Education—locally, regionally, and nationally. Some examples of her service to the profession include her role as editor of the Language and Social Processes book series for the Hampton Press. She has been elected to positions in national organizations in her field, including Chair of Research for the National Council of Language and Literacy Research and the Standing Committee on Research for the National Council of Teachers of English.

External Reviewers:

Reviewer (A)

“In my view the quality of Professor Rex’s research in comparison to leading researchers of comparable experience is superior. I base this judgment primarily on the philosophical foundations clearly articulated in her research, on the systematic and detailed analyses she provides, and on the eloquent writing.”

Reviewer (B)

“...Rex stands out as an exception whereas many publications report only timeless analyses of interactions in one classroom, Rex has specialized in longitudinal work, in which change in student engagement in curriculum activities—and sometimes change in activities themselves—is documented. ... I place Rex in the top group in her (now large) field of research.”

Reviewer (C)

“Lesley Rex’s work is not only respected for being theoretically intriguing, insightful, and carefully argued; it is also seen as original. ... Relative to other leading researchers working on classroom discourse, Lesley Rex’s scholarship is at the top. She has made major contributions to that field and others. She is certainly deserving of the rank of Professor.”

Reviewer (D)

"Rex's published work has strong and consistent methodological rigor: drawing together a microethnography of speaking, new developments in videography, and a multidisciplinary approach to transcript/discourse analysis. ... If we were to rate her work in the field of English Education, I would rank her in the top three researchers internationally."

Reviewer (E)

"Each study relies on a sophisticated discourse analysis and so from a methodological perspective is exemplary. Each is part of a broader project to understand the complexities of classroom discourse, yet each takes a different angle on the problem: teachers' cultural narratives, the effects of a high-stakes intervention, and the contentious and complex role of race. By approaching the general question of how discourse functions in classrooms from a variety of perspectives, she provides a spiraling analysis in which each study builds on her prior work without replicating it or being redundant."

Reviewer (F)

"I am very positively impressed by the contribution she is making by drawing educators' attention to the practical implications of studying classroom interaction and to the potential for informed improvement of practice that can be achieved by teachers who systematically study their own use of language in the classroom. ... On the basis of her record of publication and its value to the profession, I have no hesitation in recommending that she be promoted to Full Professor. I am confident that, if her case were under consideration in my institution, that would be the recommendation."

Reviewer (G)

"You are fortunate to have on your faculty a researcher who has done important work on discourse, culture and classrooms- who also knows and cares so much about the lives of teachers, who relates her work explicitly to improving practice and who has made large contributions to nurturing new scholars and practitioners. I recommend her promotion, and I would wholeheartedly support her case if I were fortunate enough to have her as a colleague. I believe that ... [my institution] and other peer institutions would promote her."

Summary of Recommendation:

Professor Rex's scholarship fills a crucial niche in the overall mission of the Educational Studies Program, and it also crosses several important domains that are not always well-connected. The Executive Committee of the School of Education and I recommend that Associate Professor Lesley Rex be promoted to the rank of professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, effective September 1, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
William H. Payne Collegiate Professor
and Dean, School of Education

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and Executive
Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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Recommendations for approval of new appointments
and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks,
without tenure

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
July 16, 2009

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Joaquim R.R.A. Martins

TITLE: Associate Professor of Aerospace Engineering, College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Joaquim R.R.A. Martins as associate professor of aerospace engineering, without tenure, Department of Aerospace Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Martins received his M.Eng. in aeronautics from the Imperial College, London in 1995. He went on to receive his M.Sc. and Ph.D. in aeronautics and astronautics from Stanford University in 1997 and 2002, respectively.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Martins joined the faculty at the University of Toronto as an assistant professor in 2002 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2008.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Martins' research interests lie in the broad area of multidisciplinary analysis and optimization, with a specific focus on sensitivity computations for flight vehicle design. As an assistant professor, he established the Multidisciplinary Optimization Laboratory of the University of Toronto, a research group that focuses on the optimization of multidisciplinary systems using computational fluid dynamics and computational structural mechanics and on applications of these methods to aircraft design.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A: "Both my interactions with Joaquim throughout the years and the high quality of his research work indicate to me that there is a very high likelihood that he will become one of the recognized world leaders in high-fidelity MDO..."

Reviewer B: “In a relatively short period of time, he has built a successful network of professional contacts and collaborative relationships across universities, industry and international organizations.”

Reviewer C: “His work [has] been recognized by awards in the major conference in his field.”

Reviewer D: “...I find Prof. Martins’ research to be of high quality and represent significant advances to the state of the art.”

Reviewer E: “His research contributions are solid, and have been recognized by Best Paper awards at not one but two AIAA/ISSMO MAO Conferences.”

Reviewer F: “His work is of such quality and relevance that I and my colleagues at M.I.T. and Stanford have asked him to participate in annual workshops of our multidisciplinary design consortium, where his exceptional contributions are recognized by academic and industry participants.”

Reviewer G: “...Professor Martins’ active research is in areas that are complex and difficult to tackle and are of great importance to aerospace engineering. He brings with him strength in aerospace vehicles MDO, airplane design education, and international collaboration.”

Reviewer H: “It is my assessment that he is well positioned to continue making contributions in the future and that he would be an excellent addition to your department.”

PUBLICATIONS

I.R. Chittick and J.R.R.A. Martins, “An Asymmetric Suboptimization Approach to Aerostructural Optimization,” *Optimization and Engineering*, 2008, (in press).

C.A. Mader, J.R.R.A. Martins, J.J. Alonso and E. van der Weide, “Adjoint: An Approach for the Rapid Development of Discrete Adjoint Solvers,” *American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics*, 46(4), 863-873, April, 2008.

N.P. Tedford and J.R.R.A. Martins, “Benchmarking Multidisciplinary Design Optimization Algorithms,” *Optimization and Engineering*, 2007 (in press).

A.C. Marta, C.A. Mader, J.R.R.A. Martins, E. van der Weide and J.J. Alonso, “A Methodology for the Development of Discrete Adjoint Solvers Using Automatic Differentiation Tools,” *International Journal of Computational Fluid Dynamics*, 21(9), 307-327, 2007.

I.R. Chittick and J.R.R.A. Martins, “Aero-Structural Optimization Using Adjoint Coupled Post-Optimality Sensitivities,” *Structures and Multidisciplinary Optimization*, 36(1), 59-70, 2007.

N.M.K. Poon and J.R.R.A. Martins, “An Adaptive Approach to Constraint Aggregation Using Adjoint Sensitivity Analysis,” *Structures and Multidisciplinary Optimization*, 30(1), 61-73, 2007.

P. Thokala and J.R.R.A. Martins, "Variable Complexity Methods Applied to Airfoil Design," *Engineering Optimization*, 39(3), 271-286, April, 2006.

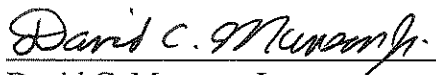
J.R.R.A. Martins, J.J. Alonso and J.J. Reuther, "A Coupled-Adjoint Sensitivity Analysis Method for High-Fidelity Aero-Structural Design," *Optimization and Engineering*, 6(1), 33-62, March, 2005.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

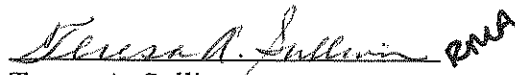
Joaquim Martins has an established record of teaching and research excellence and a strong record of collegial interactions with peers. We are presented with an opportunity to hire a superb researcher, outstanding mentor, and promising educator in critical areas of current relevance to the Department of Aerospace Engineering. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Joaquim R.R.A. Martins as associate professor of aerospace engineering, without tenure, Department of Aerospace Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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

July 16, 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Ramon Berguer, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Surgery, with tenure, Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery, Medical School, and Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ramon Berguer, M.D., Ph.D., as the Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery, effective November 1, 2009.

The Frankel Professorship in Cardiovascular Surgery was established in 2004 through a generous gift agreement from Jean and Samuel Frankel. The Frankel's gift supports the activities of a distinguished member of the Medical School faculty with exceptional abilities and expertise in the field of cardiovascular surgery.

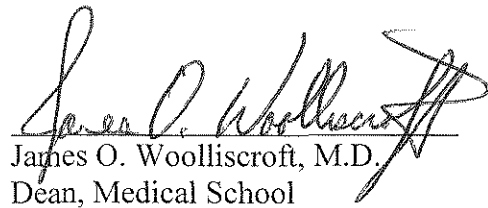
Dr. Berguer received the M.D. degree from the University of Barcelona in 1962. He also holds two Ph.D. degrees, one in experimental surgery from the University of Santiago, Spain, and the other in mechanical engineering from the University of Surrey, United Kingdom. Dr. Berguer completed a surgery residency and a vascular surgery fellowship at Henry Ford Hospital. From 1974-2004, Dr. Berguer was on the faculty at Wayne State University, achieving the rank of professor of surgery in 1981. In 2004, he joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as professor of surgery, professor of biomedical engineering, and the Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery. That same year, Dr. Berguer was named director of the vascular mechanics laboratory in the College of Engineering.

Dr. Berguer is recognized nationally and internationally for his expertise in extracranial cardiovascular disease, particularly as treatment for cerebrovascular insufficiency. His expertise is noted through his editorship of *Annals of Vascular Surgery* (Ann Arbor), *Annales de Chirurgie Vasculaire* (Paris), and *Anales de Cirugia Vascular* (Barcelona). He is a member of numerous specialty organizations, including the Society of Vascular Surgery for which he serves on the

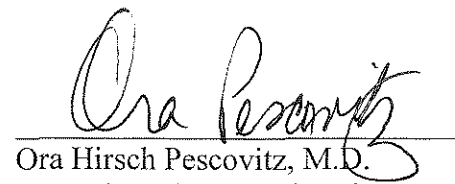
executive council and previously served as president in 2000. Since his appointment at the University of Michigan, Dr. Berguer has been the invited guest speaker at numerous national and international venues, including conferences and symposia in the United States, Spain, Brazil, Mexico, United Kingdom, France, and Portugal.


Dr. Berguer has outstanding credentials as a surgeon, educator, and scientist, with exceptional talent and prestige in the field of vascular surgery. It is, therefore, most appropriate that he continue to hold this professorship title. I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ramon Berguer, M.D., Ph.D., as the Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery.

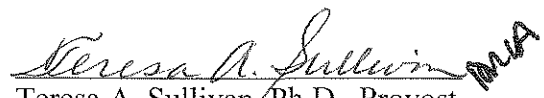
Recommended by


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

Recommendation endorsed by


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


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


Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

July 2009

Approved by the Regents
July 16, 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Renewal of an Academic Administrative Appointment for Current Faculty Member

NAME: Matthew L. Boulton

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Epidemiology, with tenure, Associate Dean for Practice, School of Public Health; and Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE TO BE RENEWED: Associate Dean for Practice, School of Public Health

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Matthew L. Boulton as associate dean for practice, School of Public Health, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

Dr. Boulton received his B.S. degree in 1980 and his M.D. degree in 1987, both from the University of Nevada. In 1991, he received his MPH from the University of Michigan. From 1998-2004, he served as chief medical executive, state epidemiologist, and director of the Bureau of Epidemiology for the Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH), while also holding a clinical associate professor title in the School of Public Health. In his role at MDCH, Dr. Boulton coordinated the state's response to numerous public health threats, including West Nile Virus and SARS. In 2004, he joined the public health faculty as associate professor of epidemiology, with tenure, and associate dean for practice. He is also the director of the bioterrorism preparedness initiative at the University of Michigan. Dr. Boulton received an additional appointment as associate professor of internal medicine in 2007.

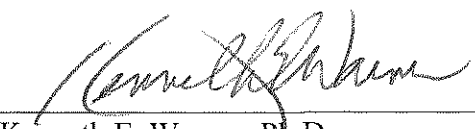
Dr. Boulton's research interests are in applied epidemiology, public health practice, infectious diseases, isolation and quarantine, emergency preparedness, and assessment of the public health workforce. He has a substantial grant funding record and his bibliography lists 41 articles in peer-reviewed journals, with two more submitted. He has an extensive record of invited lectures on public health issues presented at institutional, regional, national, and international venues.

In his role as associate dean for practice, Dr. Boulton has focused his efforts on developing a comprehensive strategy for the School of Public Health to improve the public health workforce, establish the academic health department model, and enhance applied research. He is director of the Public Health/Preventive Medicine Residency which was named the 2007 Association of Teachers of Prevention and Research Outstanding Educational Program of the Year. Dr. Boulton serves as principal investigator for the Michigan Center for Public Health Preparedness, the Michigan Public Health Training Center, and the state's Public Health Consortium for Continuing Medical Education. Professor Boulton founded the China CDC Scholar Exchange,

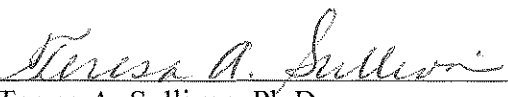
collaborating with the China CDC in Tianjin and Beijing to facilitate scholar exchange and joint applied research.


Matthew Boulton brings energy and creativity to his work as associate dean and he is extremely well qualified to deal with the duties associated with this position. We are pleased to recommend his reappointment as associate dean for practice, School of Public Health, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Kenneth E. Warner, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D.
Provost and Executive Vice-President for
Academic Affairs


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

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Kyung J. Cho, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Radiology, with tenure, and
William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology
Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

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 reappointment of Kyung J. Cho, M.D., as the William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology, effective September 1, 2009.

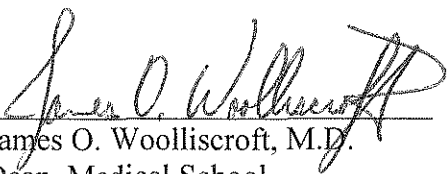
The William Martel Collegiate Professorship in Radiology was established in 1997, through contributions and pledges from University of Michigan alumni, professional colleagues, and friends of Dr. Martel, as well as from departmental support. Dr. Martel is an internationally recognized expert in musculoskeletal radiology, and this collegiate professorship was created to recognize his numerous accomplishments to the field and to the institution.

Dr. Cho received the M.D. degree from the Catholic University Medical School in Seoul, Korea in 1966. He came to the United States in 1969 to pursue his medical training at Wayne State University. Dr. Cho joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1973 and advanced through the academic ranks to achieve the title of professor of radiology in 1982. Since 1996, Dr. Cho has served as the fellowship director of the vascular/interventional radiology program, and also is director of the Radiology Animal Imaging Laboratory in the Department of Radiology, a position he has held since 1997.

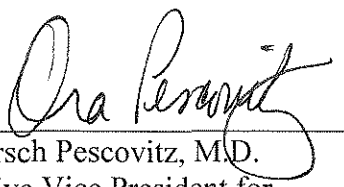
Dr. Cho is an outstanding angiographer who has spent virtually his entire career at the University of Michigan. Throughout his academic career, he has received numerous citations for outstanding teaching and scientific merit, as well as clinical acumen, as attested by his inclusion in the references, "*Best Radiologists in America*," "*Top Doctors, Vascular and Interventional Radiology*," and "*America's Top Doctors*." In 2003, Dr. Cho received the University of Michigan Medical School's Lifetime Achievement Award in Medical Education.


Dr. Cho has achieved an impressive record of accomplishments as a clinician, educator, investigator, and administrator. He is a distinguished member of the Medical School faculty, and I am pleased, therefore, to recommend his reappointment as the William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology.

Recommended by


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

Recommendation endorsed by


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


Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Rebecca S. Eisenberg

CURRENT TITLES: Robert and Barbara Luciano Professor of Law, and
Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Robert and Barbara Luciano Professor of Law, Law
School

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

The Law School respectfully requests that the Regents approve the reappointment of Rebecca S. Eisenberg as the Robert and Barbara Luciano Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.


The Robert and Barbara Luciano Professorship in Law was established in 1999, thanks to support from Robert and Barbara Luciano, in honor of Robert Luciano's long relationship with the University of Michigan Law School, through his tenure as chairman of Schering-Plough.

Professor Eisenberg has been a member of the Law School faculty since 1984. She received her A.B. from Stanford University in 1975 and her J.D. from the University of California, Berkeley, School of Law in 1979. While in Law School, Professor Eisenberg served as articles editor of the *California Law Review*. After graduation, Professor Eisenberg clerked for Robert F. Peckham, the Chief Judge for the Northern District of California, and practiced law for almost five years with two prominent San Francisco law firms. She then came to Ann Arbor to join the faculty.

Professor Eisenberg is a superb interdisciplinary scholar and teacher. At Michigan she has taught courses in torts, and on a variety of topics pertaining to the legal protection of intellectual property, with particular emphasis on the subjects of technology transfer and of the impact of granting patent rights with respect to the human genome. She has published extensively, in law reviews and in scientific publications (including *Science Magazine*), and she has presented the results of that research at workshops around the world. She has served as a member of several different working groups and committees for the National Institutes of Health, and she is currently a member of the Advisory Committee to the Director of National Institutes of Health.


Professor Eisenberg's reappointment as the Robert and Barbara Luciano Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014, is a fitting recognition of her professional accomplishments. Her reappointment is recommended with enthusiasm.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents
July 16, 2009

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Eva L. Feldman, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Neurology, with tenure, and Russell N. DeJong Professor of Neurology, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Russell N. DeJong Professor of Neurology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 21, 2009 through August 31, 2014

On the recommendation of David J. Fink, M.D., the Robert Brear Professor and Chair of the Department of Neurology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Eva L. Feldman, M.D., Ph.D., as the Russell N. DeJong Professor of Neurology, effective October 21, 2009.

This professorship was established in 1995, and made possible through departmental funds and financial support from family members and graduates of the residency program under Dr. DeJong's direction. Dr. DeJong had a very distinguished career at the University of Michigan, and served as chair of the Department of Neurology from 1955-1977.

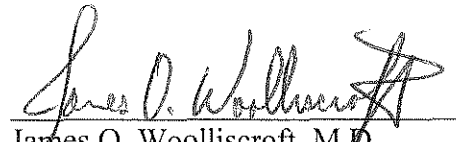
Dr. Feldman received both the Ph.D. and M.D. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1979 and 1983, respectively. She completed a residency in neurology at the Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore Maryland, before returning to the University of Michigan to undertake a neuromuscular fellowship during 1987-1988. Dr. Feldman joined the Medical School faculty at this institution as assistant professor of neurology in 1988, and achieved her current rank of professor of neurology in 2000.

Dr. Feldman is an excellent clinical neurologist who provides subspecialty care to patients with neuromuscular disease in the outpatient clinic and in the electrodiagnostic laboratory. She is an active investigator with a research program in diabetic neuropathy funded by the National Institutes of Health, as well as substantial philanthropic support for studies focused on emerging stem cell therapies for neurological disease. In 2000, Dr. Feldman was named director of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation Center for the Study of Complications in Diabetes. She also serves as director of the Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Clinic and the Neuropathy Center at the University of Michigan. Dr. Feldman is the founding director of the Alfred Taubman Medical Research Institute, established in 2008 at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Feldman serves as the principal investigator of the Department of Neurology training grant, "Training in Clinical and Basic Neuroscience." In this role, she developed and currently oversees a mentoring committee program for neurology fellows on the training grant. This program is successful by all metrics as these fellows have developed strong scholarship and received national research awards and foundation grants. Following their training with Dr. Feldman, many of these trainees have advanced to faculty and research positions in academia and industry, which provides further evidence of Dr. Feldman's expertise as a teacher and mentor.

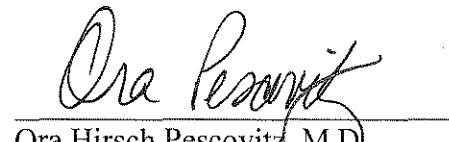
Dr. Feldman has made, and continues to make, major contributions to the clinical, research, and educational missions of the Department of Neurology. She is an outstanding clinician, exceptional researcher, and inspiring teacher and mentor. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Eva L. Feldman, M.D., Ph.D., as the Russell N. DeJong Professor of Neurology.

Recommended by




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

Recommendation endorsed by



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



Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D. Provost
and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Susan A. Gelman

CURRENT TITLES: Frederick G. L. Huetwell Professor, and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Frederick G. L. Huetwell Professor, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Susan A. Gelman as the Frederick G. L. Huetwell Professor, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year term, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014.

As a result of a generous gift from the estate of Frederick G. L. Huetwell in May 1995, the Provost and the President awarded the College four endowed professorships. The primary objective of the professorships is to attract and honor distinguished senior faculty in the social sciences and humanities.

Professor Gelman continues to maintain a high caliber research career with support from the National Science Foundation, the National Institutes of Health, and the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, among others. Her work examines the development of reasoning skills in children and provides evidence of links between concepts, language, and theory construction in young children (ages 2 to 10 years old) using naturalistic language analysis and experimental studies.

During the last five years, Professor Gelman was a co-author of a much acclaimed book on mother-child conversations about gender. She also authored ten book chapters and published 40 peer-reviewed articles in the top journals of the field as well as four invited commentaries and encyclopedia entries. Her academic success has been recognized with important awards, including induction into the American Academy of Arts and Sciences (2008), a Whitney J. Oates Fellowship in the Humanities Council at Princeton University (2008), two book awards for *The Essential Child: Origins of Essentialism in Everyday Thought*, and a James McKeen Cattell Fund Fellowship (2007-2008).

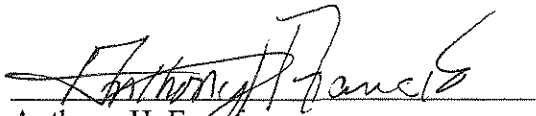
Professor Gelman served as the associate dean of social sciences for the College from 2004 to 2007. Since returning to the Department of Psychology, she has served on the Executive

Committee, a highly successful search committee, and several promotion and review committees. Because of her administrative experience and her willingness to provide advice and assistance, Professor Gelman is a wonderful resource and superb departmental citizen. In addition, she has returned to the classroom with a newly developed course that is likely to become quite popular, as well as working with numerous undergraduates and graduate students in her laboratory.

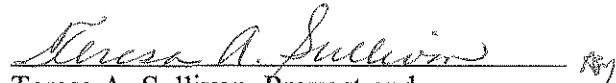
We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Susan A. Gelman as the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year term, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts



Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Paul F. Hollenberg, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Pharmacology, with tenure, Chair,
Department of Pharmacology, and Maurice H. Seevers
Collegiate Professor of Pharmacology, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Maurice H. Seevers Collegiate Professor of Pharmacology,
Medical School

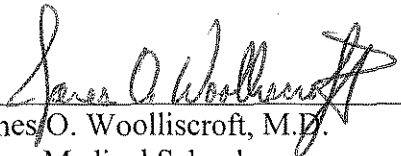
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Paul F. Hollenberg, Ph.D., as the Maurice H. Seevers Collegiate Professor of Pharmacology, effective September 1, 2009.

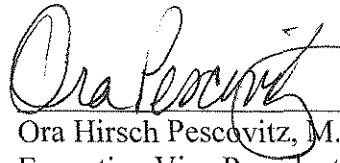
The Seevers Collegiate Professorship was established in 1988 to recognize the numerous contributions of Dr. Maurice Seevers, who served as professor and chair of the Department of Pharmacology at the University of Michigan from 1942-1971.

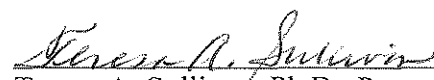
Dr. Hollenberg joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1994 as professor and chair of the Department of Pharmacology. He is an experienced and highly respected administrator, teacher and investigator, who is recognized both nationally and internationally for his contributions to pharmacology and toxicology. It is most appropriate that he continue to hold this prestigious professorship title. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Paul F. Hollenberg, Ph.D., as the Maurice H. Seevers Collegiate Professor of Pharmacology.

Recommended by


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

Recommendation endorsed by


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

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

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July 16, 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Ralph Lydic, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Anesthesiology, with tenure, Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, without tenure, and Bert N. LaDu Professor of Anesthesiology Research, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Bert N. LaDu Professor of Anesthesiology Research, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

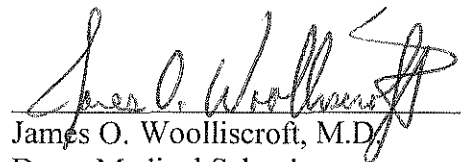
On the recommendation of Kevin K. Tremper, Ph.D., M.D., the Robert B. Sweet Professor and Chair of the Department of Anesthesiology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ralph Lydic, Ph.D., as the Bert N. LaDu Professor of Anesthesiology Research, effective August 1, 2009.

The Bert N. LaDu Professorship in Anesthesiology Research was established in 1999, and is intended to support the activities of the associate chair for research in the Department of Anesthesiology. Dr. Lydic joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as professor of anesthesiology, with tenure, and professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, in 1999. At that time, Dr. Lydic also was named associate chair for research in the Department of Anesthesiology.

Dr. Lydic is an internationally recognized leader in the field of sleep neurophysiology. He has made significant advances in the understanding of the neurochemical control of arousal, breathing, and sleep states. These contributions are fundamental to the understanding of natural respiration and sleep, the effect of pharmacologic-induced sedation and general anesthesia itself. Dr. Lydic's research is documented by an extensive publication record and supported by an R01 grant funded by the National Institutes of Health on which he is the principal investigator. He has received national and international recognition in these areas of research as evidenced by the many invitations he has received to present lectures at institutions throughout the world.

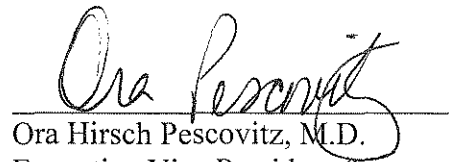
Dr. Lydic is a well-recognized scientist in the area of sleep neurophysiology. As associate chair for anesthesiology research, the department's research program has flourished under his direction. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Ralph Lydic, Ph.D. as the Bert N. LaDu Professor of Anesthesiology Research.

Recommended by



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

Recommendation endorsed by



Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.
Executive Vice President for
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Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents
July 16, 2009

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Melvin G. McInnis, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Psychiatry, with tenure, and Thomas B. and Nancy Upjohn Woodworth Professor of Bipolar Disorder and Depression, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Thomas B. and Nancy Upjohn Woodworth Professor of Bipolar Disorder and Depression, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

On the recommendation of Gregory W. Dalack, M.D., Associate Professor and Interim Chair of the Department of Psychiatry, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Melvin G. McInnis, M.D., as the Thomas B. and Nancy Upjohn Woodworth Professor of Bipolar Disorder and Depression, effective September 1, 2009.

The Upjohn Woodworth Professorship was established in 2004 through a generous gift agreement from Nancy and Thomas Woodworth. This professorship is intended to support research related to bipolar disorder and depression and to advance our understanding of the underlying mechanisms of these brain illnesses, ultimately leading to the development of new and more effective treatments, even preventative and curative measures.

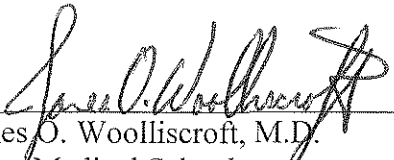
Dr. McInnis received the M.D. degree in 1983 from the University of Iceland. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2004 as professor of psychiatry, with tenure, and the first Thomas B. and Nancy Upjohn Woodworth Professor of Bipolar Disorder and Depression. He is director of the depression section in the Department of Psychiatry and associate director of the University of Michigan Depression Center.

Dr. McInnis is an internationally recognized scientist whose primary focus has been directed toward the genetic mapping of bipolar disorders. He is well known for his linkage analysis using large independent data sets for bipolar disorders. His bibliography reflects over 100 scholarly publications, several reviews and invited editorials, and nine chapters in books. His work is supported by an R01 grant from the National Institute of Mental Health on which he is the principal investigator, as well as on subcontracts of research grants funded by the National Institutes of Health and the National Institute of Mental Health. His expertise is further

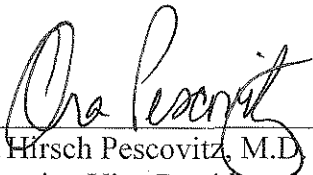
recognized through his activities as a session chair for the World Congress for Psychiatry Genetics. Dr. McInnis was elected as a fellow of the Royal College of Psychiatry in 2007.


Dr. McInnis has a unique combination of skills and experience that encompass molecular biology, genetic analyses, and clinical psychiatry. He is a clinician-scientist who has dedicated his career to the care and study of patients with mood disorders. It is appropriate, therefore, that he continue to hold this prestigious title. I am very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Melvin G. McInnis, M.D., as the Thomas B. and Nancy Upjohn Woodworth Professor of Bipolar Disorder and Depression.

Recommended by


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

Recommendation endorsed by


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

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
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July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: James A. McNamara Jr.

CURRENT TITLES: Drs. Thomas M. and Doris Graber Endowed Professor of Dentistry, Professor of Dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry, and Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Drs. Thomas M. and Doris Graber Endowed Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Dentistry, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of James A. McNamara Jr. as the Drs. Thomas M. and Doris Graber Endowed Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Professor McNamara is a teacher and researcher in the area of craniofacial growth and development and a practitioner of orthodontics. Professor McNamara received a DDS and a specialty certificate in orthodontics from the University of California, San Francisco in 1968, and an MS and PhD both in anatomy from the University of Michigan in 1969 and 1972, respectively. He joined the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in the Department of Anatomy and associate research scientist and program director of Experimental Craniofacial Research in the Center for Human Growth and Development in 1972. Professor McNamara was promoted to associate professor in the Department of Anatomy in 1977, to research scientist in the Center for Human Growth and Development in 1980, and to professor in the Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology in 1982. He joined the School of Dentistry faculty as professor of dentistry in 1984. During his tenure in the School of Dentistry he served as interim chair of the Department Of Orthodontics and Pediatric Dentistry from 1987 to 1991. Additionally, Professor McNamara held an appointment in the University of Michigan hospitals from 1989 to 1993 and has been curator of the University of Michigan Elementary and Secondary School Growth Study since 1986. Professor McNamara is the editor-in-chief of the Craniofacial Growth Monograph Series. He received the Seventh Biennial Outstanding Research Award from the Edward H. Angle Education and Research Foundation in 2003; was the Wendell L. Wylie Memorial Lecturer at the University of California, San Francisco, in 2004; and was the 2005 Cecil C. Steiner Memorial Lecturer, University of Southern California, Los Angeles. Most recently he received the 2008 Albert H. Ketcham Memorial Award given by the American Board of Orthodontics which is the highest award in orthodontics worldwide.

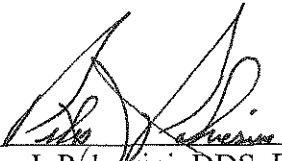
Professor McNamara is a member and past president of the Midwest component of the Edward H. Angle Society of Orthodontists. Professor McNamara teaches the technique course, the interdisciplinary course, advanced diagnosis and treatment planning, cephalometrics, clinical seminars, and in the graduate orthodontic clinic. He also organizes continuing education courses in orthodontics and runs the Moyers Symposium. Professor McNamara's practice philosophy includes preadjusted edgewise, early treatment, some aspects of bioprogressive therapy, and rapid maxillary expansion.

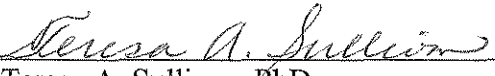
Professor McNamara has served as a member of various School, University, and research and/or professional committees and societies, as an editorial board member for several international or national journals, and as a program chair for several orthodontic association meetings, including scientific program chair of the annual session of the American Association of Orthodontics in 2003. He has received the James E. Brophy Distinguished Service Award which is the highest award given by the American Association of Orthodontists. Professor McNamara has consistently received recognition as a world renowned authority for his contribution to practice and research in the area of orthodontics.

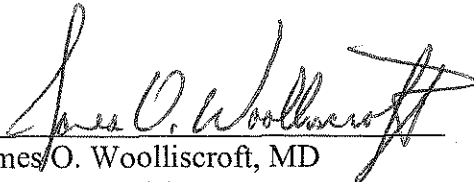
I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of James A. McNamara, Jr. as the Drs. Thomas M. and Doris Graber Endowed Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Peter J. Polverini, DDS, DMSc
Dean, School of Dentistry

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Teresa A. Sullivan, PhD,
Provost and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs


James O. Woolliscroft, MD
Dean, Medical School

July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: John C. Mitani

CURRENT TITLES: James N. Spuhler Collegiate Professor of Anthropology, and Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: James N. Spuhler Collegiate Professor of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of John C. Mitani as the James N. Spuhler Collegiate Professor of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

James Spuhler was a member of the University of Michigan faculty from 1950 to 1968. The James N. Spuhler Collegiate Professorship in Anthropology was established by the Regents in August 2004. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

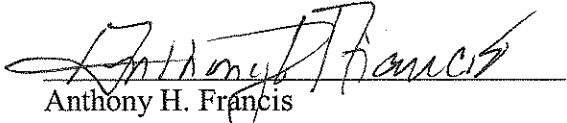
Professor Mitani is a biological anthropologist whose specialty is the social behavior of primates. He has conducted field observations of wild chimpanzees in Uganda regularly since 1995, building up a long term acquaintance with the regular chimpanzee societies in Kibale National Park and thus gaining an extraordinary knowledge about these animals' social life. His current research explores such topics as male bonding, territoriality, aggression, and the relationship between kinship and cooperation. This work has made him a very prominent and influential figure in primate studies. In the five years since being appointed to the collegiate professorship, Professor Mitani has published at a high rate, producing 21 papers with fifteen articles in important peer-reviewed journals. In 2005 he received a National Science Foundation grant supporting fieldwork and analysis of data in Kibale.

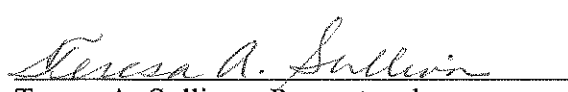
Professor Mitani continues to be one of the most successful instructors in anthropology. His undergraduate classes draw very large enrollments and earn high marks from students. He has served for several years as head of the biological anthropology subfield faculty and for many years on the departmental executive committee. He was recently elected to the LSA Curriculum Committee and will serve as associate chair of his department next year.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of John C. Mitani as the James N. Spuhler Collegiate Professor of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Renewal of Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Annemarie Sullivan Palincsar

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Jean and Charles R. Walgreen, Jr. Professor of Reading and Literacy, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, and Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, School of Education

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012

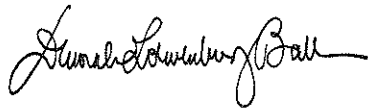
I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Annemarie Sullivan Palincsar as associate dean for academic affairs, School of Education, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

Professor Palincsar received her B.S. degree from Fitchburg State College in 1972. She received her M.S. degree in 1975 and her Ph.D. degree in 1982 both from the University of Illinois. She went to Michigan State University in 1983 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor in 1987. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan School of Education in 1989 as an associate professor and was promoted to professor in 1993. She served as associate dean from 1998 to 2002.

Professor Palincsar is an instructional researcher whose research focuses on the design of learning environments that support self-regulation in learning activity, especially for children who experience difficulty learning in school. In her current research, she studies how children use literacy in the context of guided inquiry science instruction, and how test can be used to enhance scientific reasoning. She also studies the role of computer assisted instruction in enhancing children's understanding of subject matter text and web-based text. She teaches a literacy course with preservice educators, masters level courses in the area of learning disabilities, and doctoral courses in special education and literacy. She is the co-editor of the journal, *Cognition and Instruction*, and a member of the National Academy of Education.


I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Annemarie Sullivan Palincsar as associate dean for academic affairs, School of Education, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,
William H. Payne Collegiate Professor
and Dean, School of Education

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and Executive
Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Carl E. Schneider

CURRENT TITLES: Chauncey Stillman Professor for Ethics, Morality, and the Practice of Law, Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School, and Professor of Internal Medicine, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chauncey Stillman Professor for Ethics, Morality, and the Practice of Law, Law School

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

The Law School respectfully requests that the Regents approve the reappointment of Carl E. Schneider as the Chauncey Stillman Professor for Ethics, Morality, and the Practice of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

The Chauncey Stillman Professorship for Ethics, Morality, and the Practice of Law was established in 1999, thanks to support from the Homeland Foundation, Incorporated. The terms of the professorship provide that it be awarded to “a professor who has demonstrated excellence in scholarship and teaching with respect to the subject of ethics, morality, and the practice of law.”

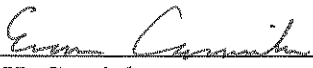
Professor Schneider has been a member of the Law School faculty since 1981. He received his A.B. from Harvard College in 1972 and his J.D. from the University of Michigan Law School in 1979. While in Law School, Professor Schneider served as editor-in-chief of the *Michigan Law Review* and earned the Henry M. Bates Memorial Scholarship. After graduation, Professor Schneider held two highly prestigious clerkships, first for the Honorable Carl McGowan of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit, and then for Justice Potter Stewart of the U.S. Supreme Court. He then returned to Ann Arbor to join the faculty.

Professor Schneider is a superb interdisciplinary scholar and teacher. At Michigan he has taught courses in family law, and on a variety of topics pertaining to the relationship among law, medicine, and bioethics, and he has lectured on those subjects in Japan, Germany, and England. He has published extensively, in law reviews and in the *Hastings Center Report*. His book, The Practice of Autonomy: Patients, Doctors, and Decisions (Oxford University Press 1998) has received critical acclaim. His current research, on the relationship between professional education and the pursuit of a moral life, holds enormous promise.

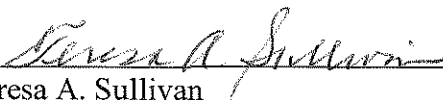
Professor Schneider's reappointment as the Chauncey Stillman Professor for Ethics, Morality, and the Practice of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014, is a fitting recognition of his professional accomplishments. His reappointment is recommended with enthusiasm.

RECOMMENDED BY:

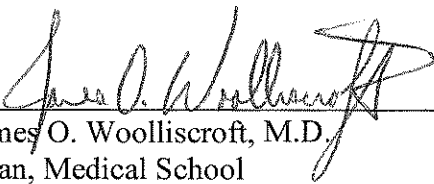
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs



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

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Matthew D. Shapiro

CURRENT TITLES: Lawrence R. Klein Collegiate Professor of Economics, Professor of Economics, with tenure, and Chair, Department of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Lawrence R. Klein Collegiate Professor of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Matthew D. Shapiro as the Lawrence R. Klein Collegiate Professor of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Lawrence R. Klein was a member of the University of Michigan faculty from 1948 to 1955. The Lawrence R. Klein Collegiate Professorship in Economics was established by the Regents in August 2004. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Shapiro has been a member of the Department of Economics at Michigan for nearly twenty years. He also holds titles as research professor at the Survey Research Center in the Institute for Social Research and as a research associate at the National Bureau of Economic Research, a non-partisan think-tank at Cambridge, Massachusetts. He served as chair for four years (2003-2007) and is a vital contributor to the department's research, teaching, and service missions.

Professor Shapiro is a world-renowned expert in macroeconomics. Much of his current research focuses on analyzing the changes in tax policy under President Bush's administration. His tax research has been published in the *American Economic Review*, the flagship journal of the American Economic Association, and also informed the press, public, and policy makers on the effects and design of tax policy. He is also advancing the line of research on survey methods in macroeconomics. He and his associates have designed and implemented a cognitive economics survey. This research is enabling Professor Shapiro to do new work on separating the cognition from true differences in preferences in measures of risk tolerance. He is also leading a project on design of financial instruments that meet the conflicting needs of retirees for a stable stream of income over their lifetime with flexibility when faced with demands for spending on health and nursing care.

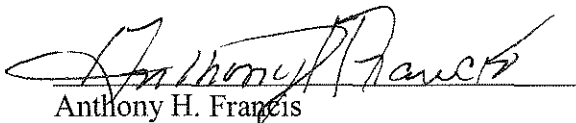
Interest in macroeconomics exploded during fall term 2008 as the economy and financial markets fell apart. Professor Shapiro brought current events into the classroom and used his close connections with those formulating policy in Washington to give his students a front row seat to economic policymaking in action. Professor Shapiro is also an active dissertation advisor. He has been a member of over 40 dissertation committees – usually as chair or co-chair.

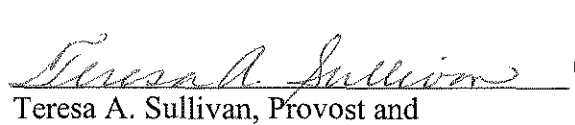
Professor Shapiro has done an extraordinary amount of service on behalf of the department. While serving as chair the department flourished with the addition of new faculty, a mentoring program for tenure-track hires, and a successful fundraising campaign. Outside the department he serves on committees and panels of the National Academy of Science in the area of national statistics, and is currently chair of the Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee – the official advisory committee of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the Bureau of Economic Analysis, and the economic programs of the Census Bureau.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Matthew D. Shapiro as the Lawrence R. Klein Collegiate Professor of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Tobin A. Siebers

CURRENT TITLES: Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professor of Literary and Cultural Criticism, Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Art and Design, without tenure, School of Art and Design

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professor of Literary and Cultural Criticism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and the with the endorsement of the School of Art and Design, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Tobin A. Siebers as the Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professor of Literary and Cultural Criticism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Vernon Louis Parrington was a member of the University of Michigan faculty in 1927. The Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professorship in Literary and Cultural Criticism was established by the Regents in August 2004. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Siebers received his Bachelor of Arts with distinction from the University of Wisconsin in 1975; Master of Arts from the State University of New York, Binghamton, in 1976; and Doctorate from the Johns Hopkins University in 1980. That same year he came to the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures and a fellow of the Michigan Society of Fellows. He was appointed assistant professor at Columbia University in 1983 and remained there until 1986 when he returned to Michigan to accept a position as an associate professor, with tenure, in the Department of English Language and Literature. He was promoted to professor in 1989 and appointed professor of art and design in 2005.

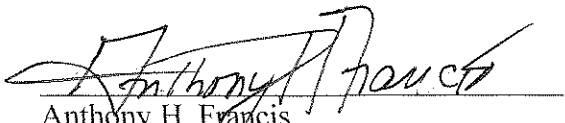
Professor Siebers is a brilliant scholar with a rich and well-deserved international reputation in several fields, including disability studies, literary theory, cultural criticism, aesthetics, and creative nonfiction. He has continued his prolific career publishing two books and eleven essays since being appointed as a collegiate professor in 2004. He has also given numerous lectures and keynote addresses showing that he is truly an active scholar with an international reputation.


Professor Siebers is also an excellent instructor. He continues to advise doctoral students as committee member and chair of the dissertation committee. He is an experienced and imaginative administrator who served for several years as chair of the Department of Comparative Literature. In 2009 he received the Distinguished Diversity Scholarship and Engagement Award from the National Center for Institutional Diversity at Michigan.

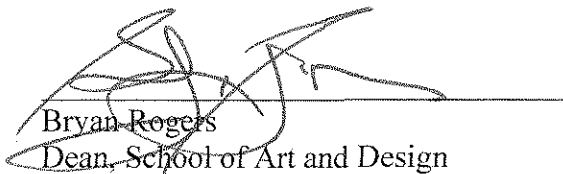
We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Tobin A. Siebers as the Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professor of Literary and Cultural Criticism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs


Bryan Rogers
Dean, School of Art and Design

July 2009

July 16, 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

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

NAME: Mark A. Tessler

CURRENT TITLES: Samuel J. Eldersveld Collegiate Professor of Political Science, Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Vice Provost for International Affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Vice Provost for International Affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2013

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark A. Tessler as vice provost for international affairs and director of the International Institute for a four-year term, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2013. This recommendation follows an extensive reappointment review process.

This position was created in 1999 and reports jointly to the Provost and to the Dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts. As Vice Provost for International Affairs, Professor Tessler is responsible for the expansion and enhancement of international programs and initiatives across the University, including strengthening programs for international visiting scholars, scientists, artists, and public leaders; coordinating campus-wide programs for student academic opportunities abroad; stimulating interdisciplinary international activities among and within schools and colleges; and facilitating University relationships with international and U.S. agencies and organizations in the international field as well as with peer institutions and consortia.

Mark Tessler received his B.A. degree from Case Western Reserve University in 1963 and his Ph.D. in political science from Northwestern University in 1969. He had previously studied at the University of Tunis and the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. In 2001 Professor Tessler came to the University of Michigan from the University of Arizona where he had been a professor of political science, director of the Center for Middle Eastern Studies, and head of the Department of Near Eastern Studies. Prior to this, he was on the faculty at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee where he was chair of the Department of Political Science, director of the International Studies Major, and director of the Joint Center for International Studies at Milwaukee and Madison.

Professor Tessler specializes in comparative politics and Middle East studies. He has studied and/or conducted field research in Tunisia, Israel, Morocco, Egypt, and Palestine (West Bank and Gaza). He is one of the very few American scholars to have attended university and lived for extended periods in both the Arab world and Israel. He has also spent several years teaching and consulting in Sub-Saharan Africa. Many of Professor Tessler's publications examine the nature, determinants, and political implications of attitudes and values held by ordinary citizens the Middle East. This work has been supported by grants from the National Science Foundation, the U.S. Institute for Peace, the U.S. State Department, and others. Professor Tessler is presently analyzing public opinion data from eight Middle Eastern countries, giving prominent attention to attitudes and values relating to democracy, Israeli-Palestinian peace, political Islam, and gender. Recent reports of this research appear in *Comparative*

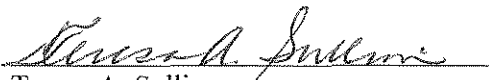
Politics, World Politics, Journal of Conflict Resolution, International Studies Quarterly, and Public Opinion Quarterly. He has been named a 2009 Carnegie Scholar by the Carnegie Corporation of New York to focus on his work titled, "Popular Conceptions and Preferences Relating to the Place of Islam in Political Life: Insights from Cross-National and Longitudinal Survey Research in the Arab World."

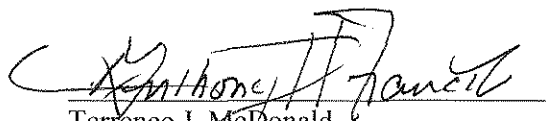
Professor Tessler has also written extensively on the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. He is the author of *A History of the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict*, which won national honors and was named a "Notable Book of 1994" by The New York Times. Professor Tessler is currently updating this book. He is also coauthor of *Transition to Palestinian Self-Government: Practical Steps toward Israeli-Palestinian Peace*, which is based on the report of an American Academy of Arts and Sciences study group composed of American, Israeli, and Palestinian scholars.

Professor Tessler is general editor of the Indiana University Press series in Middle East Studies. He served from 1995 to 2004 as president of the American Institute for Maghrib Studies, which maintains research facilities in Tunisia and Morocco and is a member of the Council of American Overseas Research Centers located at the Smithsonian Institution. He is also a past president of the Association for Israel Studies and was a founding member of the Palestinian-American Research Center. His prior university administrative experience includes direction of the Center for Political Studies, which is a part of the University of Michigan's Institute for Social Research. Professor Tessler directed two Title VI National Resource Centers before coming to the University of Michigan in 2001: the University of Wisconsin Joint Center for International Studies at Milwaukee and Madison, and the Center for Middle Eastern Studies of the University of Arizona.

Under Mark Tessler's leadership, international programs and initiatives across the University have grown in scope and diversity. We are very pleased to recommend his reappointment, effective July 1, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,


Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs


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

July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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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

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Arun Agrawal

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, with tenure,
School of Natural Resources and Environment

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Research, School of Natural Resources and
Environment

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012

The Dean of the School of Natural Resources and Environment recommends the appointment of Arun Agrawal as associate dean for research, School of Natural Resources and Environment, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

Professor Agrawal earned his Bachelor of Arts at Delhi University in 1983, his Master of Business and Administration from Indian Institute of Management in 1985, his Master of Arts at Duke University in 1988, and his Doctorate from Duke University in 1992.

Professor Agrawal is a highly productive scholar. He is a nationally and internationally renowned political scientist and one of the leading figures in social science on the environment. His primary scholarly contribution has been in environmental governance. Professor Agrawal's research has been critical to establishing environmental governance as a field within political science.

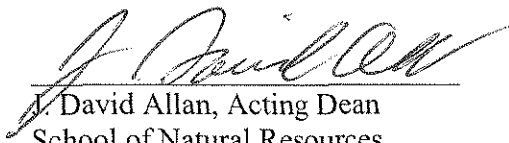
Professor Agrawal is excellent in generating new knowledge in teaching. His instructional goals include helping students gain better tools to understand and analyze environmental dilemmas, provide substantive knowledge about multiple governance strategies that can be used to address different kinds of environmental problems, and enhance practical skills related to functioning in organizations such as writing research proposals, making presentations, and preparing memos and engaging in debates. Students consistently praise Professor Agrawal's mentoring, his concern for their intellectual growth and skills development, and assistance in expanding their support networks.

Professor Agrawal's service record is exemplary at the School and University levels, as well as outside of the organization. His service to the international scholarly community has been extraordinary: Professor Agrawal has been an editor of the *Journal of Asian Studies*, served on the editorial board of several journals that cover the environment, development and sociology fields; has been a referee more than forty journals, a referee for book manuscripts at five University presses, reviewer of grant proposals for many domestic and international agencies and foundations, and a member of numerous boards domestically and internationally.

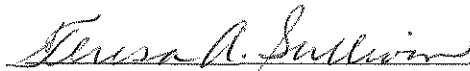
The appointment of Arun Agrawal as associate dean for research appropriately recognizes both the breadth of his responsibilities in the School of Natural Resources and Environment, and his exceptional skill in discharging those responsibilities. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Arun Agrawal as associate dean for research, School of Natural Resources and Environment, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



J. David Allan, Acting Dean
School of Natural Resources
and Environment



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

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July 2009

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Jill B. Becker

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Patricia Y. Gurin Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jill B. Becker as the Patricia Y. Gurin Collegiate Professor of Psychology for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Professor Becker's entire scientific career has been directed at better understanding the interaction between neuroscience and endocrinology in the modulation of female behavior. Her edited text book, *Behavioral Endocrinology* (in its second edition), greatly shaped the field that has led the way in scientific examination of the biology of hormones and how they affect behavior and the brain. Her most recent contribution has been as lead editor of *Sex Differences in the Brain: From Genes to Behavior*, in which she has again set the stage for the next phase of research in the field.

Professor Becker received a high degree of visibility with her work on how to restore function in an animal model of Parkinson's Disease. This work developed out of her interest in brain plasticity and provided important evidence that young dopamine producing cells could be replaced, could develop, and could cause reduction of symptoms. In her current work she has developed a growing body of animal research that demonstrates why young women can be at greater risk to develop abusive drug taking behavior, particularly with psychoactive stimulants. Using a rat model she has demonstrated that hormonal changes influence the rate of acquisition of high drug-taking behavior. Estrogen increases the rate while progesterone slows it down.

The importance and quality of Professor Becker's research is reflected in nearly 6000 citations for her peer-reviewed publications, many in the top journals of the field. This is an impressive record that places her in the top .1% of citation rates for behavioral neuroscientists. These citations do not, of course, include the enormous affect of her textbook on the visibility of this sub-discipline and the education of new scientists. Her impact is well recognized by the continuous record of funding by the National Institutes of Health and the National Science Foundation which has supported the wide range of her research.

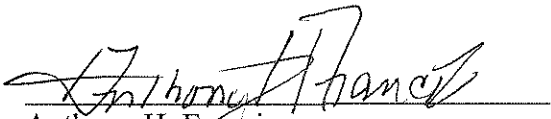
Professor Becker has a very diverse laboratory group with whom she works closely to promote their research and their careers. She is very supportive of her students. She is currently associate director of the Graduate Neuroscience Program where she oversees curriculum and advising of the undergraduate neuroscience concentration.

Professor Becker has also taken on a variety of service roles at Michigan during the last fifteen years, including an appointment as associate dean of academic affairs. She has served on national committees in her field, including member and chair of the Committee on Women in Neuroscience.

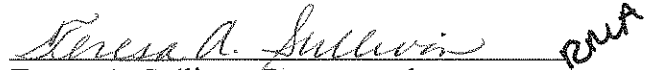
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Jill B. Becker as the Patricia Y. Gurin Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts



Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Research Professorship

NAME: Stephen W. Bougher

CURRENT TITLE: Research Professor, Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Andrew F. Nagy Collegiate Research Professor, Office of the Vice President for Research

TERM: Five Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the approval of the 2009 Research Faculty Awards Committee, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephen W. Bougher as the Andrew F. Nagy Collegiate Research Professor, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Andrew F. Nagy, professor of atmospheric and oceanic science and professor of electrical engineering and computer science, College of Engineering, has been on the faculty of the University of Michigan since 1964 and will retire at the end of December 2009. A stipend from the Office of the Vice President for Research accompanies this professorship.

Professor Bougher received his B.A. in physics from Northwestern University in 1977; his M.S. in astrogeophysics from the University of Colorado in 1980; and his Ph.D. in aeronomy from the University of Michigan in 1985. Professor Bougher joined the University of Michigan faculty as a senior research scientist in 2002. His title was changed to research professor in 2003.

This award is given to recognize exceptional scholarly achievement and impact on advancing knowledge in science, engineering, health, education, the arts, the humanities, or other academic field of study. In the opinion of the Awards Committee, Professor Bougher has clearly met this criterion.

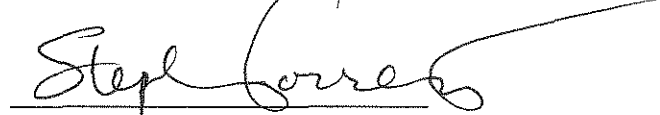
Professor Bougher is an exceptional researcher of international standing who has greatly advanced our knowledge of planetary atmospheres. Furthermore, he has significantly promoted and contributed to the mission of the NASA Mars Exploration Program. He has authored more than 73 papers in peer-reviewed journals and has made numerous presentations at national and international scientific meetings.

Professor Bougher is a member of the American Geophysical Union, the International Association of Geomagnetism and Aeronomy, the American Astronomical Society's Division for Planetary Sciences, and the Committee on Space Research. He is the recipient of the

University of Michigan's College of Engineering Outstanding Research Scientist Award in 2007 and the 2004 Distinguished Research Faculty Achievement Award from the Office of the Vice President for Research. NASA has acknowledged his contributions with Group Achievement Awards for the Mars Global Surveyor Solar Array Anomaly Recovery and Aerobraking Team in 1999 and the Mars Reconnaissance Orbiter Navigation Team in 2007.

In summary, Professor Bougher's national and international recognition in planetary atmospheres, his exceptional scholarly achievements, and the impact of his research make him an outstanding candidate for this award. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephen W. Bougher as the Andrew F. Nagy Collegiate Research Professor, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Stephen R. Forrest
Vice President for Research

July 2009

July 16, 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Current Faculty Member

NAME: Andrzej A. Dlugosz, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Poth Professor of Cutaneous Oncology, and Professor of Dermatology, with tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology, without tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2009

On the recommendation of James Douglas Engel, Ph.D., the G. Carl Huber Professor and Chair of the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Andrzej A. Dlugosz, M.D., as professor of cell and developmental biology, without tenure, effective July 1, 2009.

Dr. Dlugosz received his medical degree from Pennsylvania State University in 1984. He then pursued a medical internship at the Roger Williams General Hospital in Rhode Island and completed a residency in dermatology at the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Dlugosz came to the University of Michigan in 1997 as associate professor of dermatology, without tenure, and was promoted to professor of dermatology, with tenure, in 2004.

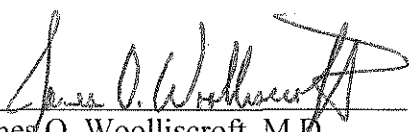
Dr. Dlugosz's research focuses on understanding how embryonic signaling pathways control normal growth and development, and how deregulation of these pathways can lead to cancer. Much of his work is centered on the Hedgehog signaling pathway. Dr. Dlugosz is the principal investigator of grants funded by the National Institute of Arthritis, Musculoskeletal, and Skin Diseases and the National Cancer Institute, as well as from the Helen L. Kay Charitable Private Foundation. His research expertise and interests provide numerous opportunities for research collaborations with faculty colleagues in the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology.

Dr. Dlugosz has an extensive educational portfolio. He is well recognized for his mentoring abilities and currently serves as a mentor on training grants in cell and molecular dermatology, in organogenesis, and in cellular and molecular biology, all funded by the National Institutes of Health. Institutionally, Dr. Dlugosz has provided numerous lectures for the core curriculum for second-year medical students and in the organogenesis graduate program, as well as interdepartmental presentations. Dr. Dlugosz also has participated in a seminar series in cell and developmental biology focusing his lectures on hedgehog signaling. He has been an

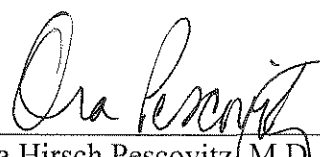
outstanding mentor to junior faculty in the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology, and he actively participates in departmental recruiting activities.


Dr. Dlugosz is an internationally recognized investigator, an exemplary educator, and a skilled clinician. He has been a contributor to the teaching, research, and service missions of the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology for several years, and this recommendation serves to formally recognize his past and current contributions. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Andrzej A. Dlugosz, M.D. as professor of cell and developmental biology, without tenure.

Recommended by


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

Recommendation endorsed by


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


Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Ari Gafni

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

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

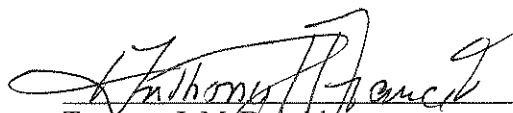

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Medical School, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Ari Gafni as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009.

Ari Gafni attended Hebrew University where he received his Bachelor of Science in 1964 and Master of Science in 1966. He completed his Doctorate at the Weizmann Institute of Science in 1973. Following a two-year appointment as a postdoctoral research associate at the Johns Hopkins University, Professor Gafni returned to the Weizmann Institute where he was appointed as an intermediate scientist (1975-1977), senior scientist (1977-1982), and associate professor (1982-1983). He joined the faculty at Michigan as an associate professor, with tenure, and associate research scientist in 1983, and was promoted to professor and senior research scientist in 1991.


Professor Gafni was appointed as a research professor in the Biophysics Research Division (BRD) in 2001. The Regents approved the transfer of BRD from the Office of the Vice President for Research to the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts in 2007, at which time it was renamed the Program in Biophysics. Professor Gafni will be teaching the standard load in the natural sciences as a research active faculty member and thus we wish to appoint him to the instructional track.

We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Ari Gafni as professor of biophysics, without tenure, in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Terrence J. McDonald,
Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,
Professor of History and Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Lorna Goodison

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Lemuel A. Johnson Collegiate Professor of English and
Afroamerican and African Studies, College of Literature, Science,
and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Lorna Goodison as the Lemuel A. Johnson Collegiate Professor of English and Afroamerican and African Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Professor Goodison has emerged as the most celebrated voice among her generation of West Indian poets with nine books of poetry, two works of fiction, and a memoir. Her work can be situated within the context of the global developments in English language poetry over the last half century, wherein the focus of creative energy has expanded from the former colonial center to reside in what were once its colonial outposts. Her poems deal with post-colonial and feminist issues while evoking events and experiences through vivid imagery and the speech rhythms of her native Jamaican English.

Professor Goodison's individual poems and short stories have appeared in a broad range of literary journals, and her literary status has been attested to by her inclusion in *The Norton Anthology of Modern and Contemporary Poetry* (2003), the most prestigious canonizing collection in the field, as well as *The Longman Anthology of British Literature* (2006) and *The Longman Anthology of Poetry* (2007). Her most recent book, *From Harvey River: A Memoir of My Mother and Her People*, which won the 2008 British Columbia Award for Canadian Non-Fiction, Canada's largest nonfiction prize. She has also received the Commonwealth Poetry Prize (1986), the Gold Musgrave Medal (for poetry) from the Institute of Jamaica (1999), and Michigan's Henry Russel Award for exceptional creative work (2004), among others. She is frequently invited to appear at major international literary festivals and venues from England to Europe to South Africa and elsewhere.

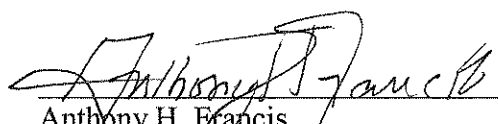
In her last eight years at Michigan, Professor Goodison's teaching has clustered around three successful courses, Introduction to Poetry, Introduction to Afro-Caribbean Studies, and a workshop


in writing poetry for students in the Master of Fine Arts program. Evaluations place her near the top and students praise her enthusiasm, compassion, insight, and sense of humor and speak of her emotional response to poetry as inspirational. She provides a bridge to world literature and her connections have helped attract other world renowned writers to Michigan. Her global reach has been instrumental in facilitating the visits to campus of a number of major writers and she has been active in building and expanding a global community of English-speaking writers of the African diaspora.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Lorna Goodison as the Lemuel A. Johnson Collegiate Professor of English and Afroamerican and African Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents
July 16, 2009

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Current Faculty Member

NAME: James G. Gurney, Ph.D.

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Professor of Surgery, without tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2009

On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Coller Distinguished Professor and Chair of the Department of Surgery, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of James G. Gurney, Ph.D., as associate professor of surgery, without tenure, effective July 1, 2009.

Dr. Gurney received the Ph.D. degree in epidemiology in 1994 from the University of Washington. He also holds the M.Sc. and M.S.W. degrees from that institution. From 1998-2005, he was a faculty member at the University of Minnesota, achieving the rank of associate professor in 2005. That same year, Dr. Gurney joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure.

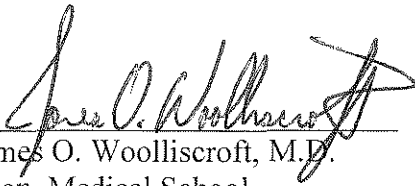
Dr. Gurney is well recognized in the field of childhood cancer epidemiology. He has published over 100 articles in peer-reviewed journals and has been well funded over the years by the National Institutes of Health, the National Childhood Cancer Foundation, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, and the American Cancer Society. Dr. Gurney is a member of several scientific review and advisory panels for the National Cancer Institute and the National Brain Tumor Foundation. He is an ad hoc reviewer for numerous specialty journals and is associate editor of the publication *Annals of Epidemiology*.

Dr. Gurney plays a major role in the research being conducted in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases. He is associate director for clinical research and directs the pediatric research program for the Clinical & Translational Science Award (CTSA) for the Michigan Institute for Clinical and Health Research. Dr. Gurney also has become involved with the relatively new Michigan Congenital Heart Outcomes Research and Discovery Program (M-CHORD). This group, comprised of individuals from pediatric cardiac surgery and pediatric cardiology, has formed in an effort to build a world class clinical research core for the Michigan


Congenital Heart Center in the C.S. Mott Children's Hospital. The Center recently was granted destination program status following a competitive institutional process. In association with this recognition, substantial support has been earmarked for M-CHORD. The leadership and strategic vision provided by Dr. Gurney has been instrumental in M-CHORD's success. Dr. Gurney's proven track record and extensive experience in trial design, biostatistics, and epidemiology already has proven invaluable to the success of this research endeavor.


Dr. Gurney's appointment in the Department of Surgery will enhance and promote research collaborations within the Michigan Congenital Heart Center at this institution. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of James G. Gurney, Ph.D., as associate professor of surgery, without tenure.

Recommended by


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

Recommendation endorsed by


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

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: James R. Hines, Jr.

CURRENT TITLES: Richard A. Musgrave Collegiate Professor of Economics, Professor of Business Economics, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

The Law School respectfully requests that the Regents approve the appointment of James R. Hines, Jr. as the L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.


The L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professorship was established in the Law School in 1985 in honor of a former member of the faculty who taught from 1946 until 1983. The Professorship is supported by income from an endowment established with gifts made by the alumni and faculty of the Law School and by the family and other admirers of Professor Wright.

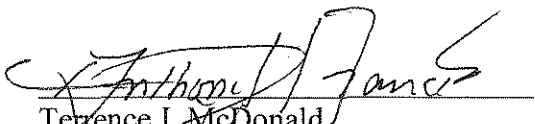
Professor Hines received his B.A. degree in 1980 *cum laude* from Yale College, his M.A. degree in 1960 in Economics from Yale University, and a Ph.D. degree from Harvard University in 1986. Professor Hines joined the faculty of Princeton University as an assistant professor of economics and public affairs, Department of Economics and Woodrow Wilson School from 1986-1991. From 1991-1992 was a visiting assistant professor at the John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, and in 1992-1997 was an associate professor of public policy. Professor Hines joined the University of Michigan faculty as an associate professor of economics in 1997 at the Stephen M. Ross School of Business; and became a professor of business economics in 1999. He joined the Department of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts in 2001 and the Law School in 2006. Professor Hines has also taught at Harvard Law School and Columbia University. He has received numerous teaching awards.


Professor Hines is on several editorial boards including co-editor of the *Journal of Economic Perspectives*, associate editor of the *New Palgrave Dictionary of Economics*, associate editor of the *Journal of Regional Science*, and on the editorial board of *B.E. Journals in Economic Analysis & Policy*.

Professor Hines is regarded as an unusually gifted teacher. It is fitting that he be appointed to a chair established in honor of another gifted member of the law faculty. It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of Professor Hines to the L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014. His appointment is recommended with enthusiasm.

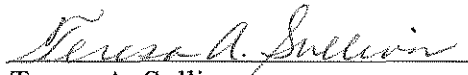
RECOMMENDED BY:


Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School


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


Robert J. Dolan
Edward J. Frey Dean of Business,
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Shixin Jack Hu

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Education, G. Lawton and Louise G. Johnson Professor of Engineering, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, and Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, G. Lawton and Louise G. Johnson Professor of Engineering, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, and Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering recommend the appointment of Professor Shixin Jack Hu as associate dean for academic affairs, College of Engineering, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

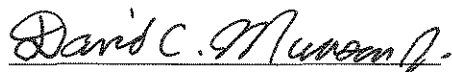
Professor Hu received his BS degree in 1983 from the Tianjin University in China and his MS and PhD degrees from the University of Michigan in 1986 and 1990, respectively.

Professor Hu has served as associate dean for research since January 2007 and associate dean for graduate education was added to this title in May 2007. Professor Hu has served as director of the College's Michigan Interdisciplinary and Professional Engineering Program, the Program in Manufacturing, and successfully launched the Master of Engineering in Manufacturing education program globally. He pioneered the field of "compliant assembly" and his methodologies have been used by the U.S. auto companies to improve auto body assembly quality. Professor Hu has taught a wide variety of undergraduate and graduate courses with excellent evaluations and received Mechanical Engineering's Teaching Incentive Award twice. Many of his PhD and MS students have taken leadership positions in industry and academia.

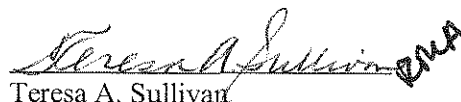
Professor Hu has demonstrated that he possesses the experience, ability, and commitment to fulfill the important responsibilities of associate dean in the College of Engineering. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Shixin Jack Hu as associate dean for academic affairs, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

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July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Gregory A. Keoleian

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Sustainable Systems, with tenure,
School of Natural Resources and Environment

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, without
tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering and with the endorsements of the School of Natural Resources and Environment and the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Gregory A. Keoleian as professor of civil and environmental engineering, without tenure, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.


Professor Keoleian received his B.S.E. in chemical engineering and his B.S. in chemistry from the University of Michigan in 1980. He continued on to receive his M.S.E. and Ph.D. in chemical engineering in 1982 and 1987, respectively. In 1991 Professor Keoleian co-founded the National Pollution Prevention Center for Higher Education based at the University of Michigan. He served as manager until 1999. During this period, Professor Keoleian also served as an assistant research scientist. He was promoted to associate research scientist in 1998. Remaining at the University of Michigan, Professor Keoleian accepted the position of associate professor in 2003 and has been approved for promotion to professor effective, September 1, 2009. He currently serves as the co-director for the Center for Sustainable Systems.

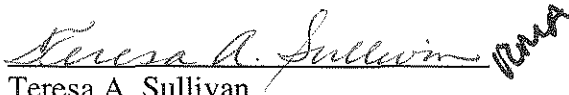
Professor Keoleian's research focuses on the development and application of life cycle models and metrics to enhance the sustainability of products and technology. He has pioneered new methods in life cycle design, life cycle optimization of product replacement, life cycle cost analysis and life cycle based sustainability assessments ranging from energy analysis and carbon footprints to social indicators. Systems studied include alternative vehicle technology, renewable energy systems such as photovoltaics and willow biomass electricity, buildings and infrastructure, information technology, food and agricultural systems, household appliances, and packaging alternatives.

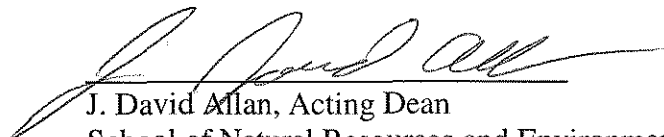
With this joint appointment, Professor Keoleian is ideally suited to assist the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering by his active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Gregory A. Keoleian as professor of civil and environmental engineering, without tenure, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs


J. David Allan, Acting Dean
School of Natural Resources and Environment

July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: John L. King

CURRENT TITLES: Vice Provost for Academic Information, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, and Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information

ADDITIONAL TITLE William Warner Bishop Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

We are please to recommend the appointment of John L. King as the William Warner Bishop Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Professor Bishop was a distinguished scholar who served as librarian of the University of Michigan and who started the University's first program of instruction in library science in 1926. That program eventually became the present School of Information. Professor Bishop joined the University of Michigan in 1915 and remained until his retirement in 1941.

John L. King received his B.A. in philosophy in 1972, his M.S. in administration in 1974, and his Ph.D. in administration in 1977 all from the University of California Irvine. Professor King joined the University of Michigan School of Information in 2000 as a professor and dean. In 2006 he was appointed as vice provost for academic information in the Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs. Prior to Michigan, he was a professor of information and computer science and management at the University of California, as well as a visiting professor at the Harvard Business School and Nanyang Technical University.

Professor King's research focuses on the relationship between technical change and social change, in particular on information technologies and social institutions. He has conducted research in government, education, healthcare, transport, finance, electric power utilities, and common carrier communications. Professor King has published 12 books and more than 150 papers from his research. In recognition of his leadership in research and field development, he was named fellow of the Association for Information Systems in 2005 and fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in 2007.

Professor King's contributions have been recognized internationally. In 2005 he was named Fulbright Distinguished Chair in American Studies by the Deutsche Fulbright Kommission, the

German arm of the international Fulbright Scholars program, and in 2009 he was awarded an honorary doctorate in economics by the Copenhagen Business School.

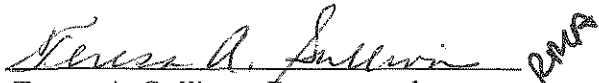
We believe that the William Warner Bishop Collegiate Professorship is a fitting honor for Professor King, who has had a distinguished career in the of information and who is a former dean of the school that grew out of the program Professor Bishop began many years ago. We are please to recommend the appointment of John L. King as the William Warner Bishop Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Martha E. Pollack, Dean
School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: George W. Kling II

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Robert G. Wetzel Collegiate Professor of Ecology and
Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of George W. Kling II as the Robert G. Wetzel Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Professor Kling brings great luster to the college and to the department with an outstanding record in research, teaching, and service. His research focuses on biogeochemistry or the study of energy transfers and element cycles in ecosystems, especially lakes and land-water interactions. He combines exceptional scholarly achievements in basic research with dedication to applying his expertise to problems of great importance to human society with tireless efforts to communicate science to the public and to policy makers. Especially significant in his recent insight and documentation of the critical role of terrestrial inputs into the nutrient budget of aquatic system, resulting in a new framework that links terrestrial and aquatic systems as integrated landscapes.

Professor Kling has over 80 publications in peer reviewed journals to date. He has received the Ruth Patrick Award from the American Society of Limnology and Oceanography (2007), the National Science Foundation Presidential Faculty Fellow Award (1995-2000), and the National Academy of Sciences Young Investigator Award (1993-1994), among others. He has been a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science since 1997, and he has received continuous and substantial extramural funding for his research. At Michigan Professor Kling has received an LSA Excellence in Research Award (1997), a Faculty Recognition Award (1999), and a Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award (2005).

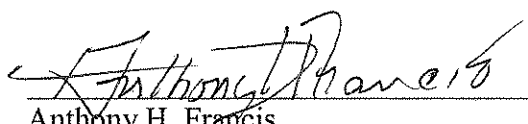
Professor Kling is an exceptionally generous and caring teacher and colleague. He is well known for his nurturing of undergraduate and graduate students to become leaders in their own right. In the classroom and in the laboratory he insists on rigor while making sure all students have the resources to succeed. He is extremely generous with his time. He has readily served on several University-level commissions to examine the status of environmental research on campus and on


the Life Sciences Commission established by former president Bollinger. He was also lead author on one of three major reports on climate change and ecology for the United States, sponsored by the Ecological Society of America. His selection as lead author and his success in producing the report reflects the great respect in which he is held by his peers, both as a scientist and as a leader.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of George W. Kling II as the Robert G. Wetzel Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Mark J. Kushner

CURRENT TITLES: George I. Haddad Collegiate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, and Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering and with the endorsements of the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science and the Department of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Mark J. Kushner as professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, without tenure, Department of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.

Immediately following graduation, Professor Kushner took a position as Weissmann postdoctoral research fellow of applied physics at the California Institute of Technology. From 1980 to 1981, he served as a physicist at the Sandia National Laboratory, New Mexico. From 1981 to 1983 he served as a physicist at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, California. From 1983 to 1986 he served as a principal research scientist, and director of Electron, Atomic, and Molecular Physics at Spectra Technology, Inc., Washington. In 1986 he joined the faculty at the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign as an assistant professor. He was promoted to associate professor in 1988 and to professor in 1991. In 2005, Professor Kushner accepted the position of dean in the College of Engineering at Iowa State University. Professor Kushner joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a professor in 2008 and currently serves as director for the Michigan Institute for Plasma Science and Engineering.

Professor Kushner's research area is low temperature plasmas, plasma chemistry and plasma-materials interactions. Much of the work is centered on radiation transport in plasmas, chemically reacting flows, functionalization of materials (hard and soft), microelectronics fabrication (etching, deposition) and pulse power.

With this additional appointment, Professor Kushner is ideally suited to assist the Department of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences by his active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Mark J. Kushner as professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, without tenure, Department of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

David C. Munson Jr.

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Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
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July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Roberto D. Merlin

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Peter A. Franken Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Roberto D. Merlin as the Peter A. Franken Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Professor Merlin's research on understanding the fundamental physics of materials has led to advances in solid-state physics, solid-state electronics, and quantum optoelectronics. He has had uninterrupted funding from U.S. federal agencies for more than 25 years. His record includes a large number of single- and multiple-investigator grants in which he was either the project director or a key participant. Center grants include the Department of Defense Center on the Science and Technology of Submicron Electronics as well as three groups funded by the National Science Foundation – the Materials Research Group, the Center for Ultrafast Optical Science, and the Frontiers of Physics Center FOCUS (Frontiers of Optical Coherence and Ultrafast Science). He also initiated two major center grants called Multidisciplinary University Research Initiatives (MURIs) where he served and continues to serve as director. The first involved ten university groups and the second involves eight university groups. Professor Merlin has proven leadership in various subfields nationally and in an institutional context.

Professor Merlin has received numerous awards, including fellow of the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation and the Frank Isakson Prize from the American Physics Society (APS), among others.

Professor Merlin is extremely adept at leveraging his role as a mentor and teacher with inspiration from his own research. All of his outstanding research achievements were made with students and or postdoctoral fellow co-workers. In his career at Michigan, Professor Merlin has supervised over nearly 20 students to their doctorate, and served as mentor for eight postdoctoral fellows. Many of his students have gone on to become highly regarded members of university faculties or researchers at major industrial or government laboratories around the world. In addition to teaching

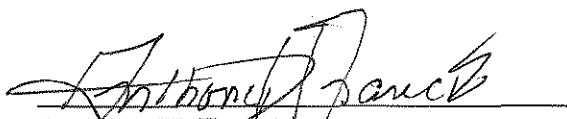
undergraduate courses, he has also involved undergraduates in his laboratory participating directly with his research.

Professor Merlin has shown a deep commitment to serving the greater community ranging from chair of numerous major international meetings to international leadership in the APS, including chair of the Forum on International Physics. In addition, he is deeply committed to the fight for human rights and freedom for scientists that has led to his serving on the APS Committee on International Freedom of Scientists.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Roberto D. Merlin as the Peter A. Franken Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts



Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs



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

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Mark H. Nornes

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Screen Arts and Cultures, with tenure, and Professor of Asian Languages and Cultures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Screen Arts and Cultures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the appointment of Mark H. Nornes as chair, Department of Screen Arts and Cultures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012.

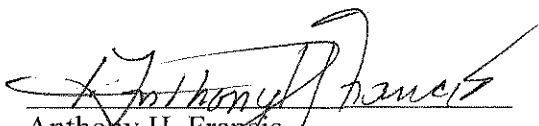
Professor Nornes received his B.A. from the St. Olaf College (1986), his M.A. from the University of Southern California (1990) and his Ph.D. also from the University of Southern California (1996). In 1995 he was a lecturer at Colby College and in 1996 he was a lecturer at Vanderbilt University. That same year he joined the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in the Program in Film and Video Studies and the Department of Asian Languages and Cultures. In 2001 he was jointly promoted to associate professor, with tenure, and to professor in 2007.

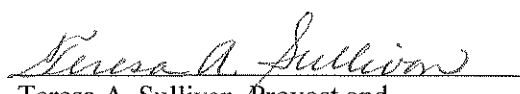

Professor Nornes is a scholar in the field of Japanese cinema. Fluent in Japanese, Professor Nornes has also established himself as a major figure in the professional realm of the Japanese documentary, having played an important and longstanding role in the Yamagata International Film Festival – creating film screenings, writing exhibition catalogs, and furthering digital technologies in relation to film scholarship. He has served as associate chair of the Department of Asian Languages and Cultures and served on executive committees of both the Departments of Asian Languages and Cultures and Screen Arts and Cultures. He has been co-owner of the internet newsgroup KineJapan since its inception in 1995.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark H. Nornes as chair, Department of Screen Arts and Cultures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry, and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

 
Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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Approved by the Regents

July 16, 2009

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Current Faculty Member

NAME: Chung Owyang, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and
H. Marvin Pollard Collegiate Professor of Gastroenterology,
Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, without
tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2009

On the recommendation of M. Bishr Omary, M.D., Ph.D., the H. Marvin Pollard Professor of Gastroenterology and Chair of the Department of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Chung Owyang, M.D. as professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, effective July 1, 2009.

Dr. Owyang received the M.D. degree from McGill University in 1972. He came to the University of Michigan in 1978 and rose through the academic ranks to achieve the title of professor of internal medicine in 1988. From 1984-1991, Dr. Owyang served as associate chief of the Division of Gastroenterology and was named division chief in 1991. Since 1995, Dr. Owyang also has held the prestigious title of the H. Marvin Pollard Collegiate Professor of Gastroenterology.

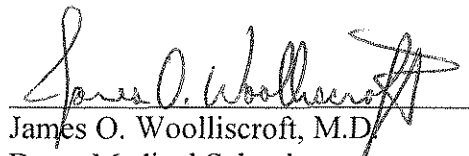
Dr. Owyang is an outstanding leader in the field of gastroenterology. His research interests focus on neurohormonal control of digestive functions, including pancreatic endocrine and exocrine section, gastrointestinal motility and eating behavior. His work is funded by the National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDKD). He also is the principal investigator on the gastroenterology research training program, as well as the NIDDKD program project grant for the gastroenterology peptide research core. Dr. Owyang served as associate director of the Gastroenterology Peptide Research Center at the University of Michigan during 1984-1994 and has served as the center's director since 1995.

Dr. Owyang is an international authority in the field of neuropeptide physiological control of several digestive organ functions. As principal investigator of the NIDDK-sponsored digestive disease center grant, he is involved in studies with physiology faculty whose research is linked to this grant. At a recent seminar presented by Dr. Owyang, the physiology faculty

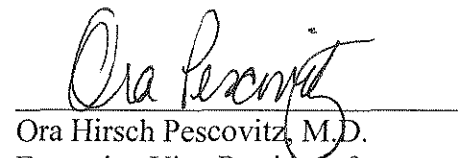
concluded that Dr. Owyang's expertise would provide valuable insight to research being conducted in the department and extended an invitation for him to become a departmental colleague.


It is clear that this secondary appointment will be mutually beneficial and will foster additional collaborations between the Department of Internal Medicine and the Department of Molecular and Integrative Physiology. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Chung Owyang, M.D. as professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure.

Recommended by


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

Recommendation endorsed by


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


Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

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

NAME: Scott E. Page

CURRENT TITLES: Leonard Hurwicz Collegiate Professor of Political Science, Complex Systems, and Economics, Professor of Political Science, with tenure, and Professor of Economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Director, Center for the Study of Complex Systems, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the appointment of Scott E. Page as director of the Center for the Study of Complex Systems, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012.

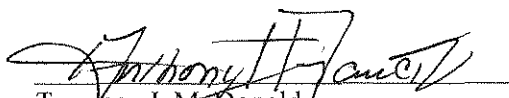
Professor Page received his B.A. from the University of Michigan in 1985 and M.A. from the University of Wisconsin at Madison in 1988. He then attended Northwestern University where he received his M.A. in managerial economics in 1990 and his Doctorate in 1993. He joined the faculty at Michigan as an associate professor, with tenure, and associate research professor in 2000 and was promoted to professor and research professor in 2003.


Professor Page is currently a senior fellow of the Michigan Society of Fellows and an external faculty member of the Santa Fe Institute. Last year he received Rackham's Faculty Recognition Award and was also awarded a collegiate professorship. From 2007 to 2008 he was a fellow of the Center for Advanced Studies in the Behavioral Sciences. He holds teaching awards from the University of Iowa, California Institute of Technology, and the J.J. Kellogg Graduate School of Management. He has served as associate director of the Center for the Study of Complex Systems since 2002. He was recently awarded the 2009 Harold R. Johnson Diversity Service Award.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Scott E. Page as director of the Center for the Study of Complex Systems, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


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

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Donald Scavia

CURRENT TITLES: Graham Family Professor, and Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering and with the endorsements of the School of Natural Resources and Environment and the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Donald Scavia as professor of civil and environmental engineering, without tenure, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.

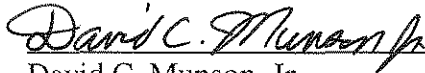
Professor Scavia received his B.S. and M.S. in environmental engineering from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in 1973 and 1974, respectively. He received his Ph.D. in environmental engineering from the University of Michigan in 1980. Professor Scavia served as a research scientist at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Great Lakes Environmental Research Laboratory in Ann Arbor from 1975 to 1990. He later established and directed NOAA's Coastal Ocean Science and Coastal Ocean Program. This program, which received special recognition in 1994 by the National Research Council, supports academic and Federal coastal and Great Lakes research through competitive, peer review. From 1998 to 2001, Professor Scavia also established and directed NOAA's National Centers for Coastal Ocean Science in Silver Spring, Maryland and later served as chief scientist for the National Ocean Service. In January 2004, Professor Scavia joined Michigan Sea Grant and the School of Natural Resources and Environment at the University of Michigan as a professor. Professor Scavia is currently the director of the Graham Environmental Sustainability Institute.

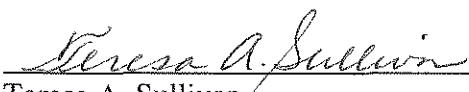
Professor Scavia conducts research on the effects of natural and anthropogenic stresses on Great Lakes and coastal marine ecosystems, with a focus on the use of models and integrated assessments in transferring knowledge to the decision-making process. Professor Scavia continues to develop and refine models and assessments of the response of hypoxia to nutrient management options for the Chesapeake Bay and Gulf of Mexico and he is the principal investigator on a grant from NOAA and NSF to integrate the efforts of the seven Great Lakes Sea Grant programs to implement a Center of Ocean Science Education and Excellence for the Great Lakes.

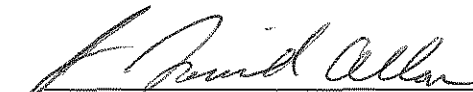
With this joint appointment, Professor Scavia is ideally suited to assist the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering by his active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Donald Scavia as professor of civil and environmental engineering, without tenure, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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

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Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs


J. David Allan, Acting Dean
School of Natural Resources and Environment

July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Elizabeth L. Sears

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: George H. Forsyth, Jr. Collegiate Professor of the History of Art, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Elizabeth L. Sears as the George H. Forsyth, Jr. Collegiate Professor of the History of Art, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Professor Sears is a superb scholar whose intellectual integrity, accomplishments, leadership, and service to her field are widely recognized as exemplary. Her formidable presence in the field of medieval studies is based on a substantial body of impeccable scholarship. She has produced five books and edited volumes, plus substantive articles on a range of topics, several of which have been of foundational importance for further research. In recognition of her standing are a series of awards and fellowships, including a three-year award from Alexander von Humboldt-Stiftung (2009-2011), a research fellowship at the American Academy in Berlin (2008), a Paul Mellon Centre Fellowship at the British School in Rome (2004), and a Getty Scholar at the Getty Research Institute in Los Angeles (2000), among others.

Professor Sears is also a greatly admired teacher and mentor who has had substantial impact on her field as much through her scholarship as through the quality of instruction she has offered and the numerous dissertations she has directed and advised – a total of 34 to date. She has taught regularly at every level. Her courses address many aspects of medieval art and historiography, and play a key role in the core curricula of the department as well as the program in Medieval and Early Modern Studies. Her lectures are famously engaging and compelling, and she attracts the interest of students from many concentrations. Students have high praise for her erudition, humor, generosity, and ability to pique their interest in historically distant worlds. Professor Sears has played a critical role in the graduate program having served two terms as director and as an occasional advisor/mentor to nearly all of the graduate students at one point or another in their careers.

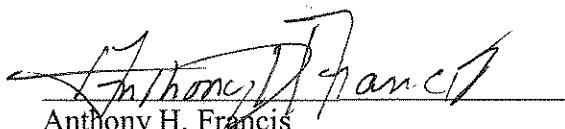
Professor Sears' service record is extraordinary. In addition to a variety of service commitments on boards, committees, and editorships, she served as interim chair of her department during a crucial transition period. She literally turned the department around after a period of serious instability

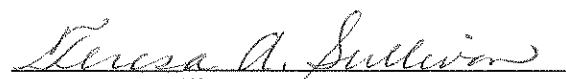
under two short-term chairs. She put the administrative operations back on solid footing and provided much needed intellectual leadership. She continues to be an active and important presence on the Executive Committee and is currently providing outstanding leadership as director of Graduate Studies.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Elizabeth L. Sears as the George H. Forsyth, Jr. Collegiate Professor of the History of Art, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Ben A. van der Pluijm

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Geological Sciences, with tenure, and Professor of the Environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Bruce R. Clark Collegiate Professor of Geology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Ben A. van der Pluijm as the Bruce R. Clark Collegiate Professor of Geology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Professor van der Pluijm's research focuses on the structural evolution of the Earth's crust at both macro and micro scales. He specializes in studies of deep crustal architecture, especially major fractures and faults, using numerous methods ranging from traditional field mapping to innovative laboratory-based geophysical and geochemical studies. Field research ranges from western North America to western Brazil, northern Spain, western Uganda, and New Zealand. His most recent work has been on the San Andreas Fault zone and the Alpine fault zone. Work on the San Andreas Fault zone involves the first ever effort to drill into an active fault at a depth of several kilometers. Professor van der Pluijm has been involved with this project from the start and was one of the first researchers to be funded by the National Science Foundation to work on samples recovered from the drilling.

Professor van der Pluijm has authored or co-authored 151 papers in peer-reviewed journals, including two in *Science* and two in *Nature*, the most prestigious journals in the sciences. He has edited or co-edited six special volumes, and is the principal author (with S. Marschak) of *Structural Geology*, the most widely used text book on the subject which is in its third edition. His research has been supported by the National Science Foundation, the American Chemical Society, the Deutsch Forschungs Gemeinschaft, and the Dutch Schurmann Foundation. He is a member of seven geology and science organizations and has been elected fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the Geological Society of America, and the Geological Association of Canada.

Professor van der Pluijm has been an especially versatile and prolific contributor to the teaching mission of the University. In addition to lower and upper level course offerings in geology and

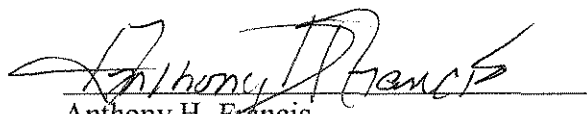
in the environment, including the interdisciplinary, team-taught Global Change curriculum, his educational interest involves the development and use of modern technologies to enhance students' learning experiences, such as TabletPCs for fieldwork and handheld and laptop PCs for large classroom interactivity. These activities are carried out in partnerships with the National Science Foundation, industry, and the university.


Professor van der Pluijm has served on various department, college, and university committees, and currently chairs the president's campus-wide Interdisciplinarity Initiative. He serves on (inter)national agency panels, including the National Science Foundation and the International Ocean Drilling Program. He is a member of several editorial boards and recently completed a five-year term as the editor of the Earth Sciences journal, *Geology*.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Ben A. van der Pluijm as the Bruce R. Clark Collegiate Professor of Geology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Antonia M. Villarruel

CURRENT TITLES: Nola J. Pender Collegiate Professor of Nursing, Associate Dean for Research, and Professor of Nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Health Behavior and Health Education, without tenure, School of Public Health

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, and with the endorsement of the School of Nursing, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Antonia M. Villarruel, Ph.D., as professor of health behavior and health education, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2009.

Professor Villarruel received her Ph.D. degree from Wayne State University in 1993 and completed a post-doctoral fellowship in health promotion and risk reduction at the University of Michigan in 1995. She served as an assistant professor at the University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing from 1995-2000. She joined the University of Michigan as associate professor of nursing in 2000, and was promoted to professor in 2005. She was appointed the Nola J. Pender Collegiate Professor of Nursing at the School of Nursing in 2007. In January 2009, she was appointed as the associate dean for research in the School of Nursing.

Professor Villarruel's research is concerned with the development, testing and dissemination of effective behavioral interventions designed to reduce HIV sexual risk behavior among Mexican and Latino adolescents. A hallmark of her work has been her ability to engage communities in the process of research. Professor Villarruel's reputation far extends her disciplinary boundaries. She was a charter member of the Secretary's Advisory Committee on Minority Health and Health Disparities and a member of the IOM panel addressing the NIH's Strategic Plan on Health Disparities.

Professor Villarruel's joint appointment will continue our collaborative work and her linkages to our students for research mentorship. She has, for example, agreed to chair the expert panel to advise the recently funded HBHE-based Prevention Research Center core project on healthy sexuality. It will also augment our connections across campus.

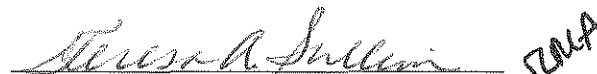
We are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Antonia J. Villarruel, Ph.D., as professor of health behavior and health education, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Kenneth E. Warner, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D.
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs



Kathleen M. Potempa, D.N.Sc.
Dean, School of Nursing

July 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Donald R. Zak

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Natural Resources, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment, and Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, School of Natural Resources and Environment

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014

The Dean of the School of Natural Resources and Environment is pleased to recommend the appointment of Donald R. Zak as the Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, School of Natural Resources and Environment, for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

Burton V. Barnes was a professor of forestry from 1970 to 2006. Throughout his career he continually applied substance and discipline to the research and teaching of forest ecology and related courses. The Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professorship was established by the Regents in June 2009. A stipend funded from the School resources accompanies this professorship.

Donald R. Zak received his Bachelor of Science at Ohio State University in 1981. He attended the University of Idaho where he completed his Master of Science in 1983. In 1987 earned his Doctorate from Michigan State University. He joined our faculty as an assistant professor in 1988 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2000.

Professor Zak's research investigates links between the composition and function of soil microbial communities, and the influence of microbial activity on ecosystem-level processes. His work draws on ecology, microbiology, and biochemistry and is focused at several scales of understanding. Much of his current research centers on understanding the link between plant and microbial activity within terrestrial ecosystems, and the influence climate change may have on these dynamics. Professor Zak's work is widely cited and has earned him numerous awards and honors. Most recently he was awarded the Francis Clark Lectureship by the Soil Science Society of America for pioneering research in soil microbiology and biochemistry.

Professor Zak's teaching builds an understanding of the processes controlling the flow of energy and nutrients within terrestrial ecosystems and how these dynamics are altered by human activity. He complements formal lectures with informal teaching in field and laboratory settings,

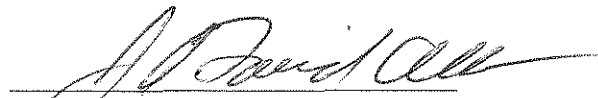
an approach he and his students have found useful for putting concepts and theory into action. In 2006-2007 Professor Zak was awarded the SNRE Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award.

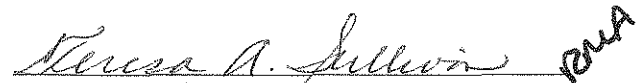
Professor Zak has many years of service to the School of Natural Resources and Environment. He is an established faculty member who helps to set expectations against which new hires, junior or senior, can measure themselves. He is respected by his peers, is frequently asked to serve on important committees, and has provided needed leadership.

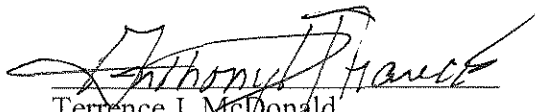
I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Donald R. Zak as the Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, School of Natural Resources and Environment, for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


J. David Allan, Acting Dean
School of Natural Resources and
Environment


Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
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Terrence J. McDonald,
Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,
Professor of History and Dean
College of Literature, Science, and
the Arts

July 2009

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Sebastian Zöllner

CURRENT TITLES: Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health;
Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, School of
Public Health

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sebastian Zöllner as the John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

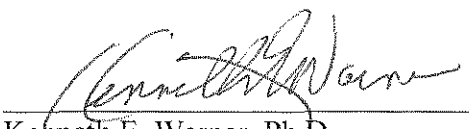
The John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Biostatistics was established by the Regents in September 2008. Securities to support this professorship were contributed to the University by John G. Searle, then Chairman of the Board of G. D. Searle & Co. This award is for three years and is renewable.

Professor Zöllner received a Ph.D. in biological sciences from the University of Munich in 2001 and completed a post doctoral fellowship in human genetics at the University of Chicago in 2005. He joined the University of Michigan faculty in 2005 as an assistant professor of biostatistics and assistant professor of psychiatry.


Professor Zöllner's thesis work was on population based gene mapping using linkage disequilibrium. Since completing his post doc, he has become expert with techniques of modern computational statistics and has developed and implemented a new computationally-based method that provides a rigorous unified approach for linkage fine mapping and association mapping studies. His research effort is divided between generating new methods in statistical genetics and analyzing data. The general thrust of his work is problems from human genetics, evolutionary biology and statistical population biology. Professor Zöllner has built a strong research program that bridges the Department of Biostatistics and the Department of Psychiatry. He is also excelling as a teacher and making excellent service contributions at all levels.

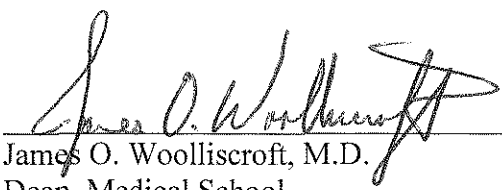
It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of Professor Sebastian Zöllner as the John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Kenneth E. Warner, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D. *ASM*
Provost and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs


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

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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Thomas H. Zurbuchen

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Aerospace Engineering, without tenure, and Professor of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, with tenure, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Entrepreneurial Programs, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2013

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering recommend the appointment of Professor Thomas H. Zurbuchen as associate dean for entrepreneurial programs, College of Engineering, for a four-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2013.

Professor Zurbuchen received his MS in physics, mathematics, and astronomy in 1992, and his PhD in physics in 1996 both from the University of Bern in Switzerland.

Professor Zurbuchen came to the University of Michigan in 1996 as a research fellow in the Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic, and Space Sciences, was promoted to assistant research scientist in 1998, to senior associate research scientist in 2003, to associate professor, without tenure, in 2003, to associate professor, with tenure, in 2005, and to professor, with tenure, in 2008. Professor Zurbuchen has served as director of entrepreneurial programs in the College of Engineering since September 2007. He has received several awards including the CoE Outstanding Student Group Advisor Award, the NASA Group Achievement Award, Ulysses Mission, the UM College of Engineering 2005 Service Excellence Award, and has served on numerous committees in the College. Professor Zurbuchen has co-authored over 235 publications.

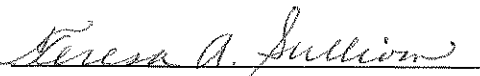
Professor Zurbuchen has demonstrated that he possesses the experience, ability, and commitment to fulfill the important responsibilities of associate dean in the College of Engineering. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Thomas H. Zurbuchen as associate dean for entrepreneurial programs, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs



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

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Extension of Leave for a Faculty Member
NAME: Emre Ozdenoren
CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
TYPE OF LEAVE: Extension of a Leave Beyond One Year
DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: September 1, 2008 through May 31, 2009
TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2010

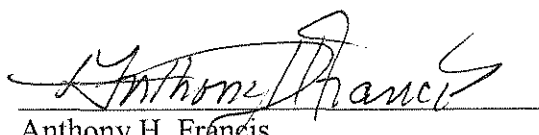
It is recommended that Emre Ozdenoren be granted an extension of leave of absence for academic year 2009-2010, effective September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2010.

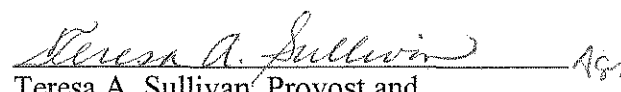
Professor Ozdenoren's research area lies in addressing the fundamental problem of how individuals make decisions when faced with uncertainty and his work has had a substantial impact on the field. He is currently on leave at the London Business School and is requesting a second year of leave. Professor Ozdenoren is a pivotal member of the microeconomic theory group and is a future leader in the Department of Economics. His department and the college support this request.

We respectfully request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Emre Ozdenoren.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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

NAME: Mercedes Pascual

CURRENT TITLES: Rosemary Grant Collegiate Professor of Ecology and
Evolutionary Biology and Professor of Ecology and
Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, College of Literature,
Science, and the Arts

TYPE OF LEAVE: Extension of a Leave Beyond One Year

DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: September 1, 2008 through May 31, 2009

TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2013


It is recommended that Mercedes Pascual be granted an extension of leave of absence for academic years 2009-2013, effective September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2013.


Professor Pascual's scholarship is broadly based in theoretical ecology where she is recognized as her generation's most inspiring and insightful leader. Her contributions to disentangling the role of climate change and intrinsic dynamics in cholera, malaria and influenza are already classics that are of immense practical importance. She publishes regularly in *Science*, *Nature*, and the *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, among others. Her research is well funded as she is considered to be among the very top theoretical ecologists in the world today. Professor Pascual has received a multi-year Howard Hughes Investigator Award, which will enable her to expand her work building models of the dynamics of cholera and malaria in South Asia and Africa. Her department and the college support this request.

We respectfully request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Mercedes Pascual.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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Establishing and renaming professorships and selected
academic administrative positions.

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Approved by the Regents
July 16, 2009

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Heber D. Curtis Collegiate Professorship in Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2009

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Heber D. Curtis who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1930 until his death in 1942. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

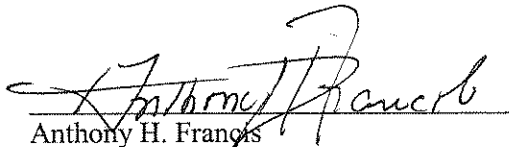
Heber D. Curtis was born in Muskegon, Michigan in 1872 and attended the Detroit Public Schools. Upon graduation he went to the University of Michigan where he received his Bachelor and Master of Arts. During these undergraduate years his interests were mainly in the classical languages and after graduation he taught in the Detroit High School (1893-1894) and at Napa College in California (1894-1896). In 1896 he joined the faculty at the College of the Pacific as professor of mathematics and astronomy. In 1900 he accompanied the Lick Observatory-Crocker Eclipse Expedition to Georgia as a volunteer observer. Following this expedition he was appointed to the Vanderbilt Fellowship at the University of Virginia where he completed his Doctorate in astronomy in 1902. He continued to be associated with the Lick Observatory until 1920 advancing from assistant astronomer in 1902 to astronomer in 1910. It was during this time that he became the most important figure in arguing that spiral nebulae were actually other galaxies and that there was much beyond our own Milky Way. He was a pioneer in extragalactic astronomy, which is now the focus of most of astronomy.

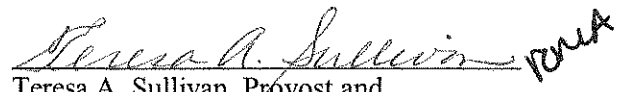
In 1920 the University of Pittsburgh selected Professor Curtis as the director of the Allegheny Observatory and in 1930 he accepted an appointment as professor of astronomy and director of the Astronomical Observatories at the University of Michigan. He came to Michigan prepared to design a large reflecting telescope for the University Observatory in Ann Arbor, but by the time he completed the design the depression was in full swing and funds were no longer available. In spite of the scarcity of funding, Professor Curtis was able to organize and lead the Michigan Eclipse Expedition to Maine in 1932 – the last expedition in which he took part. Toward the end of his career he was chair of the Department of Astronomy. Professor Curtis was one of the most famous figures in astronomy during the twentieth century. He passed away in his home in Ann Arbor in 1942.

A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor. The initial term of appointment will be for five years with the possibility of renewal.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2009

July 16, 2009

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professorship in Chemistry and Biophysics,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2009

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for George A. Lindsay who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1914 until his retirement in 1950. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

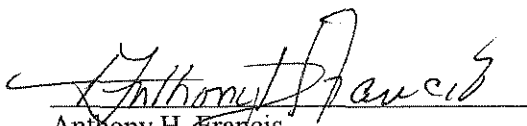
George Allan Lindsay attended the University of Michigan where he completed his Bachelor of Arts in 1905, Master of Arts in 1908, and Doctorate in 1913. Professor Lindsay joined the faculty at Michigan as an instructor in 1913, and was promoted to assistant professor in 1920, to associate professor, with tenure, in 1927, and then to professor in 1936. Throughout his career at Michigan, Professor Lindsay actively and importantly participated in the instructional and research programs in the Department of Physics. Although his earliest scientific work was in mechanics and astronomy, he is best known for his work in x-ray spectroscopy. During a sabbatical year abroad, in Lund and in Paris, Professor Lindsay learned the then new technique of x-ray spectroscopy, a technique which he brought back to Ann Arbor. Through his measurements of the fine structure of the x-ray absorption spectra of various elements, he contributed to the development of the theory of atomic structure and of the structure of metals. He was held in high esteem by his colleagues for the care and precision with which all of his measurements were made, and was particularly noted for making the first high-resolution measurements of x-ray absorption spectra. His work was an important part of the development of quantum theory of matter.


Professor Lindsay was also known for his generous mentoring of students. Among other distinctions, he was the Ph.D. advisor to Katherine Chamberlain, the first woman to earn a doctoral degree in physics at Michigan and one of the first in the world. In addition to his teaching within the Physics Department, Professor Lindsay was active in introducing the physics of x-rays to students of medicine. In recognition of his accomplishments, he was elected a fellow of the American Physical Society and a fellow of the American Astronomical Society. He was granted an emeritus title in 1950.

A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor. The initial term of appointment will be for five years with the possibility of renewal.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Harold W. Stevenson Collegiate Professorship in Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2009

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Harold W. Stevenson who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1971 until his retirement in 2001. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Harold Stevenson was born in the coal-mining town of Dines, Wyoming in 1924 and his early education was in a one-room schoolhouse. During World War II he served in the Navy and learned Japanese, which began a lifelong interest in Asian cultures. Following the war he graduated from the University of Colorado and completed his Doctorate from Stanford University in 1951. In the early 1950s he and his wife, Nancy Guy Stevenson, established All-Austin Nursery School in Austin, Texas, one of the country's first racially integrated preschools. He was director of the Institute of Child Development at the University of Minnesota in the 1960s and joined the faculty at Michigan as a professor in 1971.

Professor Stevenson was with the first delegation of foreign researchers allowed to visit China since the 1940s. He subsequently began a series of cross-cultural studies of children's academic achievement in the United States, Asia, Latin America, and Eastern Europe. He wrote and edited numerous books and manuscripts in the field of children's cognitive development and academic achievement, including *The Learning Gap: Why Our Schools are Failing and What We Can Learn from Japanese and Chinese Education* (with J. Stigler, 1992). This book was widely recognized for its ground-breaking comparisons of academic achievement and educational policies in Asia and the U.S., and for identifying concrete strategies for policymakers, educators, and parents in improving educational opportunities for children.

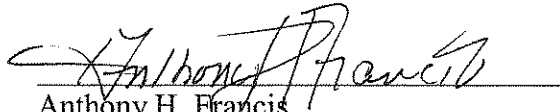
Professor Stevenson served as president of the Division of Developmental Psychology of the American Psychological Association, president of the International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development, and was director of the Bush Program in Child Development and Social Policy at Michigan. He received numerous awards and honors, and he chaired and participated in many national boards and committees, including President Kennedy's Panel on Mental Retardation (1961), and numerous committees advising the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, the National Institute of Mental Health, the National Academy of Sciences, and many others.


Professor Stevenson was known for his sense of humor, his kindness, and his enthusiastic commitment to his students. He retired from UM in 2001 and passed away in 2005.

A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor. The initial term of appointment will be for five years with the possibility of renewal.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions
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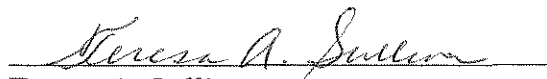
ACTION REQUEST

SUBJECT: Interim Appointment Approval During August

ACTION REQUESTED: Authorization for approving necessary appointments during August

EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2009 through August 31, 2009

During the month of August, when the Regents are in recess, it is requested that the Regents authorize the President or the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs to make such interim appointments and/or changes as may become necessary to complete the staffing for the Fall term. All such appointments will be reported to the Regents at the September meeting.


Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2009

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME: Jacquelynne S. Eccles

CURRENT TITLES: Wilbert J. McKeachie Collegiate Professor of Psychology, Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Education, without tenure, School of Education

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Wilbert McKeachie and Paul Pintrich Distinguished University Professor of Psychology and Education, Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Education, without tenure, School of Education

TERM: Period of Active Service

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Professor Jacquelynne S. Eccles as the Wilbert McKeachie and Paul Pintrich Distinguished University Professor of Psychology and Education, effective September 1, 2009.

The first Distinguished University Professorships were created in 1947 by the Board of Regents to recognize members of the faculty for exceptional achievement and reputation in their appointive fields of scholarly interest and for their superior teaching skills. Each professorship is named in honor of an eminent individual – preferably one associated with the University – in the scholar's same general field of interest. Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship continues to be one of the most coveted honors conferred by the University upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Eccles received her Ph.D. from UCLA in 1974 and has served on the faculty at Smith College, the University of Colorado, and the University of Michigan. She has been chair of the MacArthur Foundation Network on Successful Pathways through Middle Childhood, a member of the MacArthur Research Network on Successful Pathways through Adolescence, a member of the CBASSE Committee of the National Academy of Science and chair of the NAS Committee on After School Programs for Youth. She was the program chair of the Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA) in 1996, has served on the SRA Council, and as its President. At UM she has served as the associate vice president for research, chair of the Combined Program in Education and Psychology, and interim chair of the Psychology Department.

Professor Eccles has conducted research on topics ranging from gender-role socialization, teacher expectancies, and classroom influences on student motivation to social development in the family and school contexts. Her most recent work focuses on the longitudinal student of the development and socialization of psychological influences on motivation, activity choice and involvement. Professor Eccles is interested in the role schools, families, neighborhoods, and ethnicity plan in ontogeny of belief and motivational systems.

Her awards include a Spencer Foundation Fellowship for Outstanding Young Scholar in Educational Research, the University of Michigan's Sarah Goddard Power Award for Outstanding Service, the APS

Cattell Fellows Award for Outstanding Applied Work in Psychology, SPSS's Kurt Lewin Award for outstanding research, the Thorndyke Award for Lifetime Contributions to Research from Division 15 of the American Psychological Society, the Hill Award for Lifetime Contributions to Research from the Society for Research on Adolescence, the Distinguished Lifetime Contribution to Research from the Society for the Study of Human Development, and the University of Michigan Faculty Recognition Award for Outstanding Scholarship. She received an honorary doctorate from the Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium, is a fellow in the American Psychological Association, the American Psychological Society, and the Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues, and was elected to the National Academy of Education in 1998.

As she assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Eccles wishes to be named the Wilbert McKeachie and Paul Pintrich Distinguished University Professor of Psychology and Education

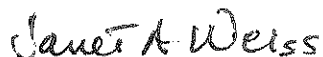
Wilbert J. McKeachie is a professor emeritus of psychology at the University of Michigan, former director of the Center for Research on Learning and Teaching, founding member of the Combined Program in Education and Psychology, and founding member and former director of the National Center for Research to Improve Post-secondary Teaching and Learning (NCRIPTAL). He has long been a national leader in research on college teaching and training college teachers.

Paul R. Pintrich (1953-2003) was an educational psychologist who made significant contributions to the fields of epistemological beliefs and self-regulated learning. He was widely recognized as a leading scholar in motivational psychology. He served throughout his career as a professor of Education and Psychology at the University of Michigan, from which he received his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees.

Professors McKeachie and Pintrich were colleagues who founded and directed NCRIPTAL and guided the Combined Program in Education and Psychology over much of its 60 year history.

The appointment of Professor Jacquelynne S. Eccles as the Wilbert McKeachie and Paul Pintrich Distinguished University Professor of Psychology and Education, effective September 1, 2009, recognizes her extensive and outstanding scholarly achievements, her commitment to excellence in education for his students, and her extensive contributions to the University of Michigan and far beyond. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Janet A. Weiss
Dean, Rackham Graduate School,
Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
and Chair, Advisory Committee on
Distinguished University Professorships

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2009

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME: Rodney C. Ewing

CURRENT TITLES: Donald R. Peacor Collegiate Professor of Geological Sciences, Professor of Geological Sciences, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, without tenure, and Professor of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Edward H. Kraus Distinguished University Professor of Geological Sciences, Professor of Geological Sciences, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, without tenure, and Professor of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering

TERM: Period of Active Service

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Professor Rodney C. Ewing as the Edward H. Kraus Distinguished University Professor of Geological Sciences, effective September 1, 2009.

The first Distinguished University Professorships were created in 1947 by the Board of Regents to recognize members of the faculty for exceptional achievement and reputation in their appointive fields of scholarly interest and for their superior teaching skills. Each professorship is named in honor of an eminent individual – preferably one associated with the University – in the scholar's same general field of interest. Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship continues to be one of the most coveted honors conferred by the University upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Ewing received his Ph.D. in geology from Stanford University in 1974. From 1974-1997 he served on the faculty of the University of New Mexico. He came to Michigan in 1997. With appointments in Geological Sciences, Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences, and Materials Science and Engineering, his research focuses on radiation effects caused by heavy-particle interactions with crystalline materials (e.g., ion-beam modification of ceramics and minerals); properties and long term behavior of spent nuclear fuel; crystal chemistry of actinide and fission product elements; application of "natural analogues" to the evaluation of the long-term durability of radioactive waste forms; the low-temperature corrosion of silicate glasses; and the mineralogy and neutronics of the natural nuclear reactors in Gabon, Africa.

Among his many awards are the Hawley Medal of the Mineralogical Association of Canada, a Guggenheim Fellowship, the Dana Medal of the Mineralogical Society of America, and the Lomonosov Gold Medal of the Russian Academy of Sciences. He received an honorary doctorate from the Université Pierre et Marie Curie in 2007. Professor Ewing is a fellow of the Geological Society of America, Mineralogical Society of America, American Geophysical Union, Geochemical Society, American Ceramic Society, American Association for the Advancement of Science, and the Materials Research Society.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Ewing wishes to be named the Edward H. Kraus Distinguished University Professor of Geological Sciences.

Edward Henry Kraus received his Ph.D. from the University of Munich in 1901 and, following a brief tenure on the faculty of Syracuse University, joined the University of Michigan as an assistant professor of mineralogy in 1904. He remained at the University through a long and distinguished career until his retirement in 1945. He served the University in many capacities including dean of the College of Pharmacy and later dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts. He was a major contributor of mineralogical literature throughout the first half of the 20th century addressing a range of issues including the occurrence and origin of minerals, crystallographic forms observed on crystals, the development of new apparatus to determine properties of minerals and rocks, as well as educational trends and policies.

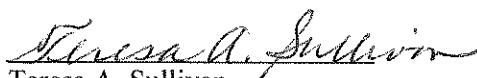
The appointment of Professor Rodney C. Ewing as the Edward H. Kraus Distinguished University Professor of Geological Sciences, effective September 1, 2009, recognizes his extensive and outstanding scholarly achievements, his commitment to excellence in education for his students, and his extensive contributions to the University of Michigan and far beyond. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Janet A. Weiss
Dean, Rackham Graduate School,
Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
and Chair, Advisory Committee on
Distinguished University Professorships



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2009

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME: William E. Fulton

CURRENT TITLES: M.S. Keeler II Professor of Mathematics, and Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Oscar Zariski Distinguished University Professor of Mathematics, and Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Period of Active Service

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Professor William E. Fulton as the Oscar Zariski Distinguished University Professor of Mathematics effective September 1, 2009.

The first Distinguished University Professorships were created in 1947 by the Board of Regents to recognize members of the faculty for exceptional achievement and reputation in their appointive fields of scholarly interest and for their superior teaching skills. Each professorship is named in honor of an eminent individual – preferably one associated with the University – in the scholar's same general field of interest. Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship continues to be one of the most coveted honors conferred by the University upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Fulton received a Ph.D. in mathematics from Princeton University in 1966 and came to Michigan in 1998 following a distinguished career first at Brown University (1970-87), and then the University of Chicago (1987-98).

Professor Fulton's work has concentrated on algebraic geometry and closely related fields, topics that have long stood at the center of mathematics. He has made a major scientific impact on algebraic geometry as well as to mathematics and science in general. His 1984 book *Intersection Theory* won the Steele Prize for exposition, and remains an essential source for algebraic geometers. He has been instrumental in shaping several generations of students and young researchers and has had a transforming effect on the Mathematics Department at the University of Michigan.

He was elected to the National Academy of Sciences in 1997 and to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences in 1998. He was named a Foreign Member of the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences in 2000, the only American mathematician so honored.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Fulton wishes to be named the Oscar Zariski Distinguished University Professor of Mathematics.

Oscar Zariski (1899-1986) was one of the most influential algebraic geometers of the 20th century. He completed his doctorate in mathematics at the University of Rome in 1924. He immigrated to the United States in 1927 and served on the faculty of Johns Hopkins University until 1947 when he moved to Harvard University where he remained until his retirement in 1969. His work in algebraic geometry

reformulated the subject in terms of modern algebra and provided the basis for its 20th century development. Their paths crossed in 1980 when Professor Fulton solved a famous conjecture of Zariski about plane curves.

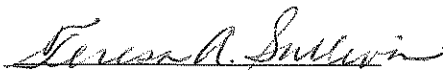
The appointment of Professor William E. Fulton as the Oscar Zariski Distinguished University Professor of Mathematics, effective September 1, 2009, recognizes his extensive and outstanding scholarly achievements, his commitment to excellence in education for his students, and his extensive contributions to the University of Michigan and far beyond. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Janet A. Weiss
Dean, Rackham Graduate School,
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Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME: A. Galip Ulsoy

CURRENT TITLES: William Clay Ford Professor of Manufacturing, and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: C.D. Mote, Jr. Distinguished University Professor of Mechanical Engineering, and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

TERM: Period of Active Service

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Professor A. Galip Ulsoy as the C.D. Mote, Jr. Distinguished University Professor of Mechanical Engineering, effective September 1, 2009.

The first Distinguished University Professorships were created in 1947 by the Board of Regents to recognize members of the faculty for exceptional achievement and reputation in their appointive fields of scholarly interest and for their superior teaching skills. Each professorship is named in honor of an eminent individual – preferably one associated with the University – in the scholar's same general field of interest. Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship continues to be one of the most coveted honors conferred by the University upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Ulsoy came to Michigan in 1980 following the completion of his Doctorate in mechanical engineering from the University of California at Berkeley. He studies the dynamics and control of mechanical systems and has conducted fundamental research on the dynamic analysis and control of rotating and translating elastic systems as well as on the design of control systems. He is known for his application of methods from advance control theory to manufacturing systems, and was an originator of the concept of reconfigurable manufacturing systems.

During a leave from Michigan, Professor Ulsoy served as the director of the Civil and Mechanical Systems Division of the National Science Foundation. He received the 1979 Wood Award from the Forest Products Research Society, a Society of Manufacturing Engineers (SME) 1986 Outstanding Young Manufacturing Engineer Award, the American Automatic Control Council's 1993 O. Hugo Schuck Best Paper Award, the 1995 South West Mechanics Lectureship, the 1997 Service Excellence Award from the College of Engineering, the 2003 Rudolf Kalman Best Paper Award from the *J. Dynamic Systems, Management and Control*, the 2002 Michael J. Rabins Leadership Award and the 2004 Henry M. Paynter Outstanding Investigator Award from the Dynamic Systems and Control Division of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME), the 2008 Albert M. Sargent Progress Award from SME, and the 2008 Rufut T. Oldenburger Medal from ASME. He is a member of the National Academy of Engineering and a fellow of both the ASME and SME.

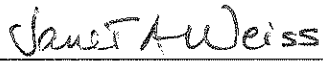
As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Ulsoy wishes to be named the C.D. Mote, Jr. Distinguished University Professor of Mechanical Engineering.

C.D. Mote, Jr. has been the president of the University of Maryland since 1998. Prior to that appointment he served for 31 years on the Mechanical Engineering faculty of the University of California at Berkeley. Professor Mote's research activities have focused on dynamic systems, instrumentation, vibration and biomechanics. He has achieved international recognition for his work on gyroscopic systems, including high speed translating and rotating systems.

The appointment of Professor A. Galip Ulsoy as the C.D. Mote, Jr. Distinguished University Professor of Mechanical Engineering, effective September 1, 2009, recognizes his extensive and outstanding scholarly achievements, his commitment to excellence in education for his students, and his extensive contributions to the University of Michigan and far beyond. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Janet A. Weiss
Dean, Rackham Graduate School,
Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
and Chair, Advisory Committee on
Distinguished University Professorships



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

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July 16, 2009

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME: John H. Vandermeer

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Margaret Davis Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, without tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Asa Gray Distinguished University Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, without tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment

TERM: Period of Active Service

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2009

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Professor John H. Vandermeer as the Asa Gray Distinguished University Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, effective September 1, 2009.

The first Distinguished University Professorships were created in 1947 by the Board of Regents to recognize members of the faculty for exceptional achievement and reputation in their appointive fields of scholarly interest and for their superior teaching skills. Each professorship is named in honor of an eminent individual – preferably one associated with the University – in the scholar's same general field of interest. Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship continues to be one of the most coveted honors conferred by the University upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Vandermeer received his Ph.D. from the University of Michigan in 1969 and after a postdoctoral position at the University of Chicago he was professor biology at the State University of New York at Stony Brook for a year before returning to the University of Michigan in 1970. He has been a visiting scholar at Princeton, University, Colegio Superior de Agricultura Tropical, Tabasco, Mexico, the Autonomous University of Nicaragua, Instituto Superior de Ciencias Agropecuarias, Managua, Nicaragua, ECOSUR, Chiapas, Mexico. He is a faculty associate in the program in American Culture, Michigan Center for Theoretical Physics, Center for the Study of Complex Systems and the program in Latin American and Caribbean Studies, and has a courtesy appointment in the School of Natural Resources and Environment at the University of Michigan. His scholarship has focused on three major areas: theoretical ecology, tropical rain forest ecology, and agricultural ecology, and has made seminal contributions in all three subjects. He is unique in his ability to integrate between them, particularly in his central role in the development of the rigorous ecological theory that now underpins the understanding of complex agroecosystems and the inevitability of surprise in complex ecosystems more generally. His most recent work has shed light on the role of complex systems and spatial dynamics in ecosystem

function, emphasizing the coffee agroecosystem as a model system. He has been active in service, both nationally and at the University of Michigan.

His many external awards include an Interdisciplinary Incentive Award, Ethics and Values in Science from the National Science Foundation, a Fulbright Award, a Fulbright Senior Fellowship, and the Semper Verdens Award (from the Ministry of Natural Resources, Nicaragua). At the University of Michigan he has received an Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship, a Collegiate Professorship, a Sokal Scholar Award, the Sarah Goddard Power Award for distinguished service recognizing the status of women within the University of Michigan, and most recently the Imes and Moore Faculty Award for exceptional contributions toward recruiting and mentoring graduate students in the natural sciences who come from disadvantaged and non-traditional backgrounds. He has been an active member of the University STRIDE Committee, founded by the ADVANCE project, to advise natural science departments on how to improve the climate for women scientists and increase diversity in the science faculty.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Vandermeer wishes to be named the Asa Gray Distinguished University Professor of Ecology & Evolutionary Biology.

Asa Gray (1810-1888) is considered the most important American botanist of the 19th century. He was instrumental in unifying the taxonomic knowledge of the plants of the North American continent. He was appointed a professor at the University of Michigan in 1838, but resigned before visiting Ann Arbor and served at Harvard from 1842 to 1873. Professor Gray knew and corresponded with Charles Darwin and was one of Darwin's supporters, not only in the promulgation of the theory of evolution in the U.S., but also in solidarity with Darwin's extensive connections with and support for the abolitionist movement.

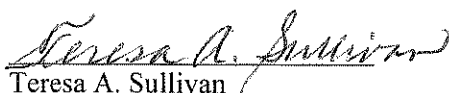
The appointment of Professor John H. Vandermeer as the Asa Gray Distinguished University Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, effective September 1, 2009, recognizes his extensive and outstanding scholarly achievements, his commitment to excellence in education for his students, and his extensive contributions to the University of Michigan and far beyond. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Janet A. Weiss
Dean, Rackham Graduate School,
Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
and Chair, Advisory Committee on
Distinguished University Professorships

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Named Visiting Professorship

NAME: Graham W. Griffith

PROPOSED TITLE: Howard R. Marsh Visiting Professor of Journalism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2010

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Communication Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Graham W. Griffith as the Howard R. Marsh Visiting Professor of Journalism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2010.

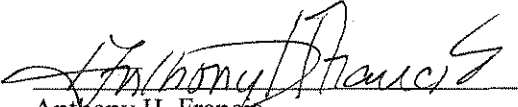
The Howard R. Marsh Visiting Professorship in Journalism and the Howard R. Marsh Center for the Study of Journalistic Performance were established in 1974 by a gift of securities from the Howard R. Marsh Trust. The Marsh Professors are eminent professional journalists or distinguished academic scholars who come to the University to lecture in undergraduate and graduate courses, teach mini-courses, and often present public lectures.

Graham Griffith received a Bachelor of Arts in American studies and history from Wesleyan University. In 2003 he served as a visiting producer at the BBC World Service and in 2005 he was a Knight-Wallace Fellow at the University of Michigan. He has been executive producer for *The Takeaway*, a national morning news program co-produced by Public Radio International, WNYC Radio, BBC World Service, the New York Times, and WGBH Boston. He has also been the senior producer at WBUR in Boston where he produced *On Point*, a live weekday news and talk program with national distribution via National Public Radio. He is currently a multi-media journalist contributing to radio and web-based projects specializing in economic and political issues.


Mr. Griffith will teach two courses that he developed: *The New Media in Times of Crisis* and *Function Follows Form: How the Tools of Journalism Shape the News Narrative*. He will also present a public lecture during the winter term.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Graham W. Griffith as the Howard R. Marsh Visiting Professorship in Journalism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2009 through May 31, 2010.

Recommended by:


Anthony H. Francis
Professor of Chemistry and Acting Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:


Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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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: Pankaj K. Mallick

CURRENT TITLES: William E. Stirton Professor, Professor of Mechanical
Engineering, with tenure, and Director, Interdisciplinary
Programs, College of Engineering and Computer Science

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Director, Interdisciplinary Programs, College of
Engineering and Computer Science

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering and Computer Science, and the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, recommend the reappointment of Pankaj K. Mallick as director, Interdisciplinary Programs, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

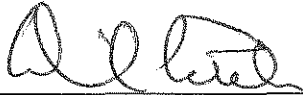
P.K. Mallick received his B.E. in mechanical engineering in 1966 from Calcutta University. He earned his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in mechanical engineering from the Illinois Institute of Technology in 1970 and 1973, respectively.

Professor Mallick joined the faculty of the Department of Mechanical Engineering as an assistant professor in 1979, was promoted to the rank of associate professor in 1984, and was promoted to professor in 1991. In 1997 he took on the responsibility of directorship of the Interdisciplinary Programs in the College of Engineering and Computer Science, and in 2009 he became director of the College's doctoral programs. He has represented both the college and the Department of Mechanical Engineering through his service on many campus and college committees and other representative bodies, including the Faculty Senate and the Graduate Board. As the director of Interdisciplinary Programs, he has been very effective in expanding the college's research and teaching efforts into multidisciplinary areas of great interest to the college's corporate stakeholders. He was awarded the William E. Stirton Professorship in 2007 in acknowledgement of his scholarly activity, teaching, and professional service.

Professor Mallick continues to be very active in research and publication, with over 130 publications and multiple research grants to his credit. He is the director of University of Michigan-Dearborn's Department of Energy-funded Center for Lightweight Automotive Materials. He has extensive consulting experience and is active in several engineering

professional societies, including the American Society for Composites and the Society of Manufacturing Engineers; he is a fellow of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. His reappointment will strengthen the University of Michigan-Dearborn's forward momentum into the expanding field of interdisciplinary research and teaching. I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Pankaj K. Mallick as director, Interdisciplinary Programs, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012.

Recommended by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Daniel Little', written over a horizontal line.

Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

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

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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Armen Zakarian

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Computer Science

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2012

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering and Computer Science, and the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, recommend the appointment of Armen Zakarian as chair, Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2009, through August 31, 2012.

Professor Zakarian received a B.S. in mechanical engineering (with honors) in 1990 from Yerevan Polytechnic University, an M.S. in industrial and systems engineering in 1993 from the University of Southern California, and a Ph.D. in industrial engineering from the University of Iowa in 1997.

Professor Zakarian joined the Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering as an assistant professor in 1997, and he was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2003 and to professor in 2009. He has been director of Engineering Computing Services since 2001, and has served on many committees for the department, the college, and the campus. Professor Zakarian's research activities have been supported by numerous grants, and he has published over forty peer-reviewed journal papers and refereed conference papers. He has supervised the research of many M.S. students and postdoctoral research scientists and has served on several thesis committees for both M.S. and Ph.D. candidates.

Armen Zakarian will provide strong and effective leadership to the Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering. I am pleased to recommend his appointment as chair, Department of Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2009, through August 31, 2012.

Recommended by:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

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

July 16, 2009

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Vahid Lotfi

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Provost and Professor of Management Sciences, with tenure,
School of Management

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Provost

TERM: Five Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014

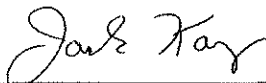
Following an extensive review of executive officers, Graduate Programs Committee, key directors, faculty and staff, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Vahid Lotfi as associate provost at the University of Michigan-Flint for a five-year term, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014.

Associate Provost Lotfi received his B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. from the State University of New York at Buffalo in 1976, 1980, and 1981, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as an associate professor in 1990, was granted tenure in 1991, and was promoted to professor in 1995. He was appointed as executive director of Information Technology Services from 1996 to 2001 and served as interim director of Distance Learning from 1999 to 2001. Since 2001, Professor Lotfi has served as associate provost with the exception of his most recent appointment as interim provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs from March 1, 2007 through August 17, 2008.

Associate Provost Lotfi is responsible for managing Graduate Programs, Information Technology Services, Office of Research, and the Office of Extended Learning. He is responsible for the oversight of the International Center and plays a major role in the efforts of internationalizing the University. He also serves as a board member on the Rackham School of Graduate Studies. His tireless leadership in all of these areas has expanded and enhanced the delivery of services to the University, the community, and the students that we serve. His marketing initiatives for graduate programs were singled out for praise and stand as an example for other departments and schools.

Associate Provost Lotfi has the respect and support of colleagues and often is sought out by other administrators within the University for his advice and expertise. I enthusiastically recommend the reappointment of Vahid Lotfi as associate provost at the University of Michigan-Flint for a five-year term, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014.

Recommended by:



Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Ruth J. Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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

NAME: Derwin S. Munroe

CURRENT TITLE: Chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Political Science, recommend the reappointment of Derwin S. Munroe as chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012.

Derwin Munroe received his B.A. degree and M.PHIL. degree from the University of West Indies, Kingston Jamaica in 1986 and 1989, respectively. He joined the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1999 as a lecturer.

Since joining the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, he has served as a member of the International and Global Studies Program, College of Arts and Sciences Admissions and Scholarships Committee, member of the Advisory Board of the Women's Educational Center and faculty search committees.

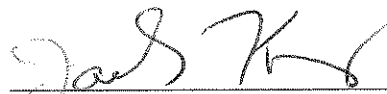
Derwin Munroe will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Derwin S. Munroe as chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012.

RECOMMENDED BY:

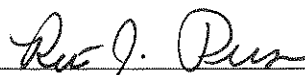


D. J. Trela, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Ruth J. Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Dale J. Trela

CURRENT TITLES: Dean and Professor of English, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

TERM: Five Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014

With full support of the College of Arts and Sciences faculty and the Executive Committee of the University of Michigan-Flint, I recommend the reappointment of Dale J. Trela as dean, College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014. His appointment will not include teaching obligations.

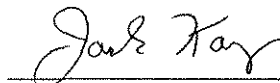
Dean Trela earned his B.A. from the University of Chicago in 1981, a Ph.D. from the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1984, concluded with post-doctoral study at the University of Chicago in 1987-89. Following several appointments at Roosevelt University as a teacher/scholar, chair of the English Department, and director of the School of Liberal Studies, he joined the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint as dean in 1999.

Careful review of his work demonstrated that Dean Trela earned the trust and appreciation of faculty and staff under his leadership. He administers the largest unit at the University of Michigan-Flint and works collaboratively with other instructional units, providing leadership for the College within the framework of the mission of the Flint campus. Dean Trela has established and maintained a long-range planning process for the College and its departments and programs, with continual improvement in the process of program evaluation and student outcomes assessment.

Dean Trela has brought experience in institutional planning to the College of Arts and Sciences. His great energy and dedication are apparent in his successes and in statements from his colleagues. He has admirably carried out the duties of dean in the College of Arts and Sciences.

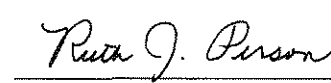
Dean Trela has been an effective leader. I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Dale J. Trela as dean, College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Jack Kay, 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 joint or additional appointments
or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected
academic administrative staff

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

NAME: Guluma Gameda

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Africana Studies, and Associate Professor of Africana Studies, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Foreign Languages, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2009 through August 31, 2010

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Foreign Languages, recommend the appointment of Guluma Gameda as chair, Department of Foreign Languages, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2009 through August 31, 2010. He will concurrently serve as chair, Department of Africana Studies.

Professor Gameda received his B.A. and M.A. degrees from Addis Ababa University in 1980 and 1984, respectively, and his Ph.D. from Michigan State University in 1996. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1998 as an adjunct professor, was appointed as an assistant professor in 2001, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2007.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Gameda has served on the College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee, Administrative Services Advisory Committee, and the University International and Global Studies Program core committee.

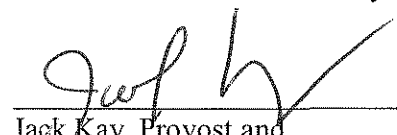
Professor Gameda will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Guluma Gameda as chair, Department of Foreign Languages, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2009 through August 31, 2010.

Recommended by:



D. J. Trela, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:



Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Ruth J. Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Vahid Lotfi

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Provost and Professor of Management Sciences, with tenure, School of Management

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, Associate Provost, and Professor of Management Sciences, with tenure, School of Management

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 27, 2009

I recommend the appointment of Vahid Lotfi as interim provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs effective July 27, 2009. While serving as interim provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, he will continue to hold his current titles of associate provost and professor of management sciences in the School of Management.

Professor Lotfi received his Bachelor's of Science in electrical engineering, and his Master's of Science and his Ph.D. in industrial engineering from SUNY at Buffalo in 1976, 1980, and 1981, respectively. He joined the University of Michigan-Flint School of Management as associate professor of management science in 1990, was granted tenure in 1991, and was promoted to professor in 1995. He was appointed as executive director of Information Technology Services from 1996 to 2001 and served as interim director of Distance Learning from 1999 to 2001. Since 2001, Professor Lotfi has served as associate provost with the exception of his most recent appointment as interim provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs from March 1, 2007 through August 17, 2008.

Professor Lotfi is responsible for managing Graduate Programs, Information Technology Services, Office of Research, and the Office of Extended Learning. He is responsible for the oversight of the International Student Center and plays a major role in the efforts of internationalizing the University. Professor Lotfi also serves as a board member on the Rackham School of Graduate Studies.

Professor Lotfi has published extensively including four books and twenty-one refereed journal articles in the area of operations management as well as having given dozens of presentations nationally and internationally on numerous topics. Among his awards, he has received the 1995 University of Michigan-Flint Award for Scholarly and Creative Achievement, the Provost Web Pioneer Award for Online Teaching and the Chancellor's Golden Service Award.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Vahid Lotfi as interim provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, effective July 27, 2009.

Recommended by:



Ruth J. Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Christine M. Waters
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Art, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Interim Associate Provost, University of Michigan-Flint
EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2009


We recommend the appointment of Christine M. Waters as interim associate provost for the University of Michigan-Flint, effective August 1, 2009.

Professor Waters received her B.S. degree and two M.A. degrees from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 1973, 1975 and 1977, respectively. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as a visiting assistant professor in 1987, was appointed as an assistant professor in 1988, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1994, and to professor in 2009. She served as interim associate dean from 1997 through 2000, associate dean from 2000 through 2005, and dean from January 1 through May 10, 2007, for the College of Arts and Sciences. Most recently she served as acting associate provost from September 1, 2007 through August 17, 2008.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Waters has served as chair of the Department of Communication and Visual Arts, interim director of the Women's and Gender Studies, chair of the Department of Music and Art, Executive Committee member and on several other committees for the College of Arts and Sciences. She has served on the University Higher Learning Commission Self-Study Committee, Budget Priorities and Chancellor's Advisory Committee, Space Committee, chair of Governing Faculty, Bargaining Team University Member for LEO Negotiations, several search committees, and many other committees too numerous to mention.

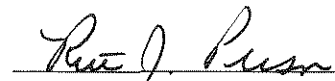
Professor Waters has been a strong faculty and administrative leader. Her expertise and former administrative experience will be helpful in serving in this role while a search for a permanent provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs is conducted and until such time as the interim provost returns to his role as associate provost. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Christine M. Waters as interim associate provost for the University of Michigan-Flint, effective August 1, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Jack Kay, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Ruth J. Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

July 2009