- 1. Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure.
  - (1) Corso, Jason J., associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.
  - (2) Mills, Kenneth R., professor of history, with tenure, effective September 1, 2015, and J. Frederick Hoffman Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.
  - (3) Raman, Venkat, associate professor of aerospace engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.
  - Yakusheva, Olga, associate professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective September 1, 2014.
- 2. Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, without tenure.
  - (1) Owolabi, Olukola Paul, associate professor of music, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2014.
- 3. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Albin, Roger L., M.D., Anne B. Young Collegiate Professor of Neurology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of neurology, with tenure.)
  - (2) Anderson, Barbara A., Ronald Freedman Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Population Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of sociology, with tenure.)
  - (3) Armstrong, Ketra L., associate dean for graduate programs and faculty affairs, School of Kinesiology, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2016 (also professor of kinesiology, with tenure.)
  - (4) Ball, Deborah Loewenberg, William H. Payne Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2020 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, dean, and professor of education, with tenure.)
  - (5) Baum, David H., assistant dean for student affairs, Law School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

- 3. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (6) Becker, Jill B., Patricia Y. Gurin Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of psychology, with tenure.)
  - (7) Bernal-Mizrachi, Ernesto, M.D., Larry D. Soderquist Professor, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate professor of internal medicine, with tenure.)
  - (8) Berridge, Kent C., James Olds Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of psychology, with tenure.)
  - (9) Bregman, Joel N., Heber D. Curtis Collegiate Professor of Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also chair, Department of Astronomy, and professor of astronomy, with tenure.)
  - (10) Brick, Howard, Louis Evans Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of history, with tenure.)
  - (11) Burns, Nancy E., Warren E. Miller Collegiate Professor of Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also chair, Department of Political Science, and professor of political science, with tenure.)
  - (12) Cho, Kyung J., M.D., William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014 (also professor of radiology, with tenure.)
  - (13) Cooney, Kathleen A., M.D., Frances and Victor Ginsberg Professor of Hematology/Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure, and professor of urology, without tenure.)
  - (14) Dauer, William T., M.D., Elinor Levine Professor of Dementia Research, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate professor of neurology, with tenure, and associate professor of cell and developmental biology, without tenure.)

- 3. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (15) Deardorff, Alan V., associate dean, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, effective June 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015 (also professor of public policy, with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, John W. Sweetland Professor of International Economics, and professor of economics and public policy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
  - (16) Eisenberg, Rebecca S., Robert and Barbara Luciano Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of law, with tenure.)
  - (17) Feldman, Eva L., Russell N. DeJong Professor of Neurology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of neurology, with tenure.)
  - (18) Freese, Katherine, George E. Uhlenbeck Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of physics, with tenure.)
  - (19) Frey, Kirk A., Ph.D., David E. Kuhl Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of radiology, with tenure, and professor of neurology, without tenure.)
  - (20) Goodison, Lorna G., Lemuel A. Johnson Collegiate Professor of English and Afroamerican and African Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of English language and literature, with tenure, and professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, with tenure.)
  - (21) Hershenson, Marc B., M.D., Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and Prevention of Cystic Fibrosis, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, and professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure.)
  - (22) Hines, Jr., James R., L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of law, with tenure, Law School, Richard A. Musgrave Collegiate Professor of Economics, professor of economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of business economics, without tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business.)

- 3. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (23) Hoffman, Andrew J., Holcim (US), Inc. Professor of Sustainable Enterprise, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of management and organizations, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and professor of natural resources and environment, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment.)
  - (24) Inglehart, Ronald F., Amy and Alan Lowenstein Professor of Democracy, Democratization, and Human Rights, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of political science, with tenure.)
  - (25) Jonides, John, Edward E. Smith Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of psychology, with tenure.)
  - (26) Kling II, George W., Robert G. Wetzel Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure.)
  - (27) Lyon, Thomas Peyton, Dow Professor of Sustainable Science, Technology and Commerce, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of business economics, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and professor of natural resources and environment, without tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment.)
  - (28) McCune, W. Joseph, M.D., Michael H. and Marcia S. Klein Professor of Rheumatic Diseases, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure.)
  - (29) Meyerhoff, Mark E., Philip J. Elving Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure.)
  - (30) Mitani, John C., James N. Spuhler Collegiate Professor of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of anthropology, with tenure.)

- 3. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (31) Moore, Michael R., associate dean for research, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015 (also professor of environmental economics, with tenure.)
  - (32) Richards, Julia E., Ph.D., Harold F. Falls Collegiate Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of ophthalmology and visual sciences, with tenure, Medical School, and professor of epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health.)
  - (33) Sarter, Martin F., Charles M. Butter Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of psychology, with tenure.)
  - (34) Schneider, Carl E., Chauncey Stillman Professor of Ethics, Morality, and the Practice of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of law, with tenure, Law School, and professor of internal medicine, without tenure, Medical School.)
  - (35) Sears, Elizabeth L., George H. Forsyth, Jr. Collegiate Professor of the History of Art, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of history of art, with tenure.)
  - (36) Shapiro, Matthew D., Lawrence R. Klein Collegiate Professor of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of economics, with tenure.)
  - (37) Silver, Edward A., William A. Brownell Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, effective December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2019 (also professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, and professor of mathematics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
  - (38) Smith, Karen E., M.S. Keeler II Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of mathematics, with tenure.)
  - (39) Steinmetz, George P., Charles H. Tilly Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Germanic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of sociology, with tenure, and professor of Germanic languages and literatures, with tenure.)

- 3. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (40) van der Pluijm, Ben A., Bruce R. Clark Collegiate Professor of Geology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of Earth and environmental sciences, with tenure, and professor of the environment, without tenure.)
  - (41) Wellman, Henry M., Harold W. Stevenson Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of psychology, with tenure.)
  - (42) Williams, John A., Ph.D., Horace W. Davenport Collegiate Professor of Physiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of molecular and integrative physiology, with tenure, and professor of internal medicine, without tenure.)
  - (43) Xi, Guohua, M.D., Richard C. Schneider Research Professor of Neurosurgery, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of neurosurgery, with tenure.)
  - (44) Zak, Donald R., Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (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.)
  - (45) Zearfoss, Sarah C., assistant dean and admissions officer, Law School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.
- 4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Abecasis, Gonçalo, chair, Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017 (also Felix E. Moore Collegiate Professor of Biostatistics, and professor of biostatistics, with tenure.)
  - (2) Barton, Debra L., Ph.D., professor of psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014 (also Mary Lou Willard French Professor of Nursing, and professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing.)

- 4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (3) Brown, Catherine, associate professor in the Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017 (also associate professor of romance languages and literatures, with tenure, and associate professor of comparative literature, with tenure.)
  - (4) Chin, Rita C.-K., Richard Hudson Research Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015 (also associate professor of history, with tenure.)
  - (5) Farris, Karen B., interim chair, Department of Clinical, Social, and Administrative Sciences, College of Pharmacy, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2015 (also Charles R. Walgreen III Professor of Pharmacy Administration, and professor of social and administrative sciences, with tenure.)
  - (6) Flynn, Caryl, professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of screen arts and cultures, with tenure.)
  - (7) Forrest, Stephen R., Paul G. Goebel Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, professor materials science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, and professor of physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
  - (8) Friedman, Charles P., Ph.D., joint appointment and transfer of tenure to chair, Department of Learning Health Sciences, Josiah Macy, Jr. Professor of Medical Education, effective July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019, professor of learning health sciences, with tenure, Medical School, professor of information, without tenure, School of Information, and professor of health management and policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective July 1, 2014 (currently professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, and professor of health management and policy, with tenure, School of Public Health.)
  - (9) Holden, Janean E., associate dean for research, School of Nursing, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also professor of nursing, with tenure.)
  - (10) Isom, Lori L., Ph.D., interim chair, Department of Pharmacology, Medical School, effective August 1, 2014 (also professor of pharmacology, with tenure, and professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure.)

- 4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (11) Kaul, Gautam, Fred M. Taylor Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of finance, with tenure.)
  - (12) Keller-Cohen, Deborah, associate dean for academic programs and initiatives, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2016 (also professor of linguistics, with tenure, professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of education, without tenure, School of Education.)
  - (13) Kuzmich, Alex, Martin L. Perl Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of physics, with tenure.)
  - (14) Larsen, Scott D., Joseph Burckhalter Collegiate Professor, U-M Office of Research, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also research professor, College of Pharmacy.)
  - (15) Magee, John, M.D., professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014 (also professor of surgery, with tenure.)
  - (16) McLaughlin, Vallerie V., M.D., Kim A. Eagle, M.D. Endowed Professor of Cardiovascular Medicine, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure.)
  - (17) Miller, Gregory S., Ernst and Young Professor of Accounting, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of accounting, with tenure.)
  - (18) Penner-Hahn, James E., associate dean for budget and planning, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2019 (also George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Biophysics, professor of biophysics, with tenure, and professor of chemistry, with tenure.)
  - (19) Richardson, Bruce C., M.D., Ph.D., Frederick G.L. Huetwell Research Professor of Rheumatology, Medical School, effective June 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure.)

- 4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (20) Rowley, Stephanie J., interim chair, Department of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 (also professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of education, without tenure, School of Education.)
  - (21) Sinha, Mrinalini, professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also Alice Freeman Palmer Professor of History, professor of history, with tenure, and professor of English language and literature, without tenure.)
  - (22) Traub, Valerie J., interim chair, Department of Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015 (also Frederick G. L. Huetwell Professor, professor of English language and literature, with tenure, and professor of women's studies, with tenure.)
  - (23) Vaillant, Derek W., associate professor of history, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate professor of communication studies, with tenure.)
  - (24) Wu, Xun, Sanford R. Robertson Assistant Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015 (also assistant professor of strategy.)
  - (25) Yakel, Elizabeth, associate dean for research and faculty affairs, School of Information, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also professor of information, with tenure.)
- 5. Recommendations for approval of leaves of absence for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff.
  - (1) Rouillard, Jean-Marie, extension of a personal leave of absence, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015 (assistant research scientist, Department of Chemical Engineering, College of Engineering.)
- 6. Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic and administrative positions.
  - (1) Approval to establish a professor administrative position as assistant dean for administration and student services, School of Nursing, effective July 1, 2014.

- 6. Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic and administrative positions.
  - (2) Approval to name an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the William I. Higuchi Collegiate Professorship in Pharmacy, College of Pharmacy, effective August 1, 2014.
  - (3) Approval to name an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Rhys Isaac Collegiate Professorship in History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014.
  - (4) Approval to name an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Pearl L. Kendrick Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Complex Systems, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014.
  - (5) Approval to name an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Earl Lewis Collegiate Professorship in Afroamerican and African Studies and in the Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014.
  - (6) Approval to establish a Research Professorship as the Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professorship in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014.
  - (7) Approval to name an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Michael W. Traugott Collegiate Professorship in Communication Studies and Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014.
  - (8) Approval to name an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Michael B. Woodroofe Collegiate Professorship in Statistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014.
  - (9) Approval to name an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Ta-You Wu Collegiate Professorship in Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014.
  - (10) Approval to name an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Patricia S. Yaeger Collegiate Professorship in Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014.

- 7. Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and 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, 2014 through August 31, 2014.
  - (2) Gombosi, Tamas I., Konstantin I. Gringauz Distinguished University Professor of Space Science, effective September 1, 2014 (also Rollin M. Gerstacker Professor of Engineering, professor of atmospheric, oceanic and space sciences, with tenure, and professor of aerospace engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
  - (3) Grizzle, Jessy W., Elmer G. Gilbert Distinguished University Professor of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014 (also Jerry W. and Carol L. Levin Professor of Engineering, professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, and professor of mechanical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
  - (4) Kennedy, Robert T., Hobart H. Willard Distinguished University Professor of Chemistry, effective September 1, 2014 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of pharmacology, with tenure, Medical School.)
  - (5) Kinder, Donald R., Philip E. Converse Distinguished University Professor of Political Science, effective September 1, 2014 (also professor of political science, with tenure, and professor of psychology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
  - (6) Mobley, Harry L.T., Frederick G. Novy Distinguished University Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, effective September 1, 2014 (also chair, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, professor of microbiology and immunology, with tenure, Medical School.)
  - (7) Murphy, Susan A., Herbert E. Robbins Distinguished University Professor of Statistics, effective September 1, 2014 (also professor of statistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School.)
  - (8) Railton, Peter A., Gregory S. Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy, effective September 1, 2014 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and professor of philosophy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)

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- 7. Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (9) Sparling, Peter D., Rudolf Arnheim Distinguished University Professor of Dance, effective September 1, 2014 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and professor of dance, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance.)
  - (10) Boulton, Matthew L., senior associate dean for global public health, School of Public Health, effective August 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (also professor of epidemiology, with tenure, professor of preventive medicine, without tenure, professor of health management and policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, and professor of internal medicine, without tenure, Medical School.)
  - (11) Petrowski, Patricia M., associate vice president and deputy general counsel, Office of the Vice President and General Counsel, effective September 1, 2014.
  - (12) Sanders, Erica L., interim director, Office of Undergraduate Admissions, effective September 1, 2014.
  - (13) Szczepanski, Thomas, assistant vice president of development, Office of University Development, effective August 1, 2014.
  - (14) Winfield, Robert W., M.D., change in title to executive director of university health service, Office of the Vice President for Student Life, effective September 1, 2014 (currently director of university health service, Office of the Vice President for Student Life, also chief health officer, Office of the President.)

# **DEARBORN CAMPUS**

- 8. Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, without tenure.
  - (1) Banner, Francine, associate professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective September 1, 2014.
  - (2) Shelton, Donald E., associate professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective September 1, 2014.

# **DEARBORN CAMPUS**

- 9. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Reynolds, Laura, associate dean, College of Education, Health, and Human Services, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also associate professor of education, with tenure.)
- 10. Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Eschrich, Gabriella M., change in title to associate dean, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (currently chair, Department of Language, Culture, and Communications, also associate professor of French, with tenure.)

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- 11. Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure.
  - (1) Buckingham, Robert W., professor of public health, with tenure, School of Health Professions and Studies, effective September 1, 2014.
- 12. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Lawand, Jamile T., chair, Department of Foreign Languages, College of Arts and Sciences, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2017 (also associate professor of foreign languages, with tenure.)
  - (2) Myers, Steven F., chair, Department of Biology, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2019 (also professor of biology, with tenure.)
- 13. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Barnett, Robert W., dean, School of Education and Human Services, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2019 (also interim chair, Department of Social Work, School of Education and Human Services, and professor of English, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences.)

# **FLINT CAMPUS**

- 13. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (2) Emenyonu, Ernest N., chair, Department of Africana Studies, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2017 (also professor of Africana studies, with tenure.)
  - (3) Finney, Mary Jo, chair, Department of Education, School of Education and Human Services, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also associate professor of education, with tenure.)
  - (4) Paroske, Marcus, chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2017 (also associate professor of communication, with tenure.)
  - (5) Repic, Randall L., acting chair, Department of Earth and Resource Science, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014 (also professor of Earth and resource science, with tenure.)
  - (6) Schilling, Kenneth E., acting chair, Department of Mathematics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014 (also professor of mathematics, with tenure.)

# **COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS**

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# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Jason J. Corso

TITLE: Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and

Computer Science, College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jason J. Corso as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.

#### **ACADEMIC DEGREES**

Professor Corso received his B.S. in computer science (Cum Laude) in 2000 from Loyola College in Maryland. He received both his M.S.E. and Ph.D. degrees in computer science from The Johns Hopkins University in 2002 and 2006, respectively. Between 2006 and 2007, he completed a post-doctoral fellowship in neuroscience and statistics at the University of California, Los Angeles.

# PROFESSIONAL RECORD

In 2007, Professor Corso was appointed to the position of assistant professor in the Computer Science and Engineering Department at the State University of New York, Buffalo, NY. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2013.

#### SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Corso's research covers a wide range of topics in the field of computer vision, ranging from "lower-level" processing such as segmentation, up to "high-level" activity understanding in videos. His main research focus is high-level computer vision and data science, primarily focusing on problems in video understanding such as video segmentation and activity recognition. His long-term career goals are two-fold. From a scientific perspective, he seeks to advance the understanding of human visual cognition, generally gaining insight into cognitive representations and models that under-pin superior human visual intelligence capabilities. From a computational or engineering perspective, he seeks a comprehensive and principled methodology for general high-level visual intelligence: automatically mining, quantifying, and

generalizing information-objects, scenes, actions, intents, and events-in projective and volumetric images and video.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- C. Xu, R.F. Doell, S.J. Hanson, C. Hanson and J.J. Corso, "A study of actor and action semantic retention in video supervoxel segmentation," *International Journal of Semantic Computing*, in press. Early version appeared as arXiv:1311.3318.
- C. Xiong, W. Chen, G. Chen, D. Johnson and J.J. Corso, "Adaptive quantization: An information-based approach to learning binary codes," In *Proceedings of SIAM International Conference on Data Mining*, 2014.
- C. Xu, S. Whitt and J.J. Corso, "Flattening supervoxel hieararchies by the uniform entropy slice," In *Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision*, 2013.
- Y. Miao and J.J. Corso, "Hamiltonian streamline guided feature extraction with application to face detection," *Journal of Neurocomputing*, 120:226-234, 2013. Early version appears as arXiv.org tech report 1108.3525v1.
- S. Sadanand and J.J. Corso, "Action bank: A high-level representation of activity in video," In *Proceedings of IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition*, 2012.

#### **EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS**

REVIEWER A: "Prof. Corso is a renowned leader in computer vision and machine learning, making great contributions to several important topics including image understanding, video analysis, and medical image segmentation...Prof. Corso is an active and respected volunteer leader in the community. He has been frequently invited to serve on review panels, program committees, and editorial boards, including the Area Chair of the premier CVPR conference in the past few years. Serving on such prominent positions represents important prestige."

REVIEWER B: "Jason has received all top distinctions...the NSF CAREER award, an ARO Young Investigator award, and an election to the DARPA study group...His further funding surpasses all levels of expectation including very challenging programs like the DARPA Mind's Eye, the IARPA Alladin, funding from the Federal Highway Administration, and from ARO. I would rank him by far the best funded research [of his cohort] in computer vision, and very close to senior researchers with extensive funding beyond NSF."

REVIEWER C: "The track record amassed by Jason in the past five years is one that clearly demonstrates success in all aspects of faculty life: he has pushed new paradigms in computer vision, attracted a strong set of students to his group and has been able to supervise them to achieve a high level of performance, he has been able to raise an impressive amount of funding to support these activities...Jason can be directly compared to the top researchers in his generation..."

REVIEWER D: "He has established himself as one of the leading researchers [of his cohort] in computer vision in the U.S...Jason's potential for making future important contributions to computer vision is very high. He has enormous energy and is very creative. I am sure he will quickly build a vibrant research group and forge strong collaborations with other faculty...I am confident he would be a valuable member of your department for many years to come."

REVIEWER E: "...Jason is one of the brightest, most promising computer vision researchers [of his cohort] in the computer vision community. His breadth, creativity, productivity, technical strength, communication skills, and maturity are all exceptional...I consider Jason to be a rising star in our community, and believe that he would have a major impact on any of the world's top computer vision groups."

REVIEWER F: "Jason has an exceptional record of raising funding...He's taken seriously by his community, and has served as an area chair in multiple conferences. This is a responsible role, and his service reflects a belief in the senior ranks that he's careful, sensible, well-informed, and judicious."

#### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Professor Corso has a proven record of research excellence and a strong record of collegial interactions with peers. We are presented with a unique opportunity to hire a truly outstanding candidate whose research is in critical areas of current relevance to the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jason J. Corso as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

David C. Muramly

College of Engineering

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

July 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME:

Kenneth R. Mills

TITLES:

J. Frederick Hoffman Professor of History, and Professor of

History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS:

With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE:

September 1, 2015

APPOINTMENT PERIOD:

University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of History and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Kenneth R. Mills as the J. Frederick Hoffman Professor of History, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020, and professor of history, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.

#### **ACADEMIC DEGREES**

Kenneth Mills attended the University of Alberta and received his Bachelor of Arts in 1985 and Master of Arts in 1988. He was named a Rhodes Scholar in 1988 and went on to complete his Doctorate at the University of Oxford in 1992.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Mills began his academic career as a visiting lecturer at the University of Liverpool and as a junior research fellow in Latin American history at Oxford University's Wadham College (1992-1993). He joined the faculty at Princeton University as an assistant professor (1993-2000) and was promoted to associate professor in 2000. Professor Mills has been on the faculty at the University of Toronto since 2003. He has served as director of Latin American studies (2005-2009) and chair of the Department of History (2009-2012).

# SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

As one of the foremost scholars of the early modem Atlantic world, Professor Mills demonstrates the scholarly profile envisaged for the Hoffman endowed professorship. He has consistently been a leader whose scholarship encompasses not only an extraordinary geographic range but also deep thematic expertise in the history of colonialism and religion in the Iberian Atlantic, anthropological history and more recently, visual history. His recent studies of the Atlantic world grow organically from his earlier research on early modern Christianity in colonial contexts. His co-edited <u>Lexikon of the Hispanic Baroque</u>, juxtaposing essays about Latin

America and Iberia, appeared just six months ago and has already received extensive praise. It is destined to surpass the success of Professor Mills' earlier collections of documents and texts on colonial Latin America (published in 1998 and 2002), which are still considered indispensable and unrivaled guides for research and teaching. Professor Mills' forthcoming book about Diego de Ocana is also much anticipated by the colleagues and students in his field.

Professor Mills is an imaginative and passionate teacher at the undergraduate as well as graduate levels. He has an extensive teaching and mentoring record, offering an exceptionally wide variety of courses at all levels. His syllabi are models of the kind of deep thinking and engaged learning he hopes his students will achieve. Professor Mills also has a strong record of mentoring graduate students.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- <u>Lexikon of the Hispanic Baroque: Transatlantic Exchange and Transformation</u>, co-edited with E. Levy, University of Texas Press, 2013.
- "Mission and narrative in the Early Modem Spanish world: Diego de Ocafia's desert in passing," in <u>Faithful Narratives</u>: <u>Historians, Religion, and the Challenge of Objectivity</u>, A. Sterk and N. Caputo (eds.), Cornell University Press, 2014, pp. 115-131.
- "Demonios within and without: Hieronymites and the Devil in the Early Modem Spanish world," in <u>Angels, Demons and the New World</u>, F. Cervantes and A. Redden (eds.), Cambridge University Press, 2013, pp. 40-68.
- "Religion in the Atlantic world," in <u>The Oxford Handbook of the Atlantic World, 1450-1850</u>, N. Canny and P. Morgan (eds.), Oxford Handbook Series, Oxford University Press, 2011, pp. 433-448.

# EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

#### Reviewer (A)

"Professor Mills is one of the most influential historians today working on the history of the early modem Atlantic world. He is truly at home in the historiographies of early modem Europe, the colonial Americas, and Africa. His contributions to the history of early modern Christianity are significant. His playful approach, style, and methodology are best captured in the volume Lexicon on the Spanish Baroque... This is a complex, subtle, original volume: a feat of scholarship."

# Reviewer (B)

"Professor Mills has also proven himself to be an engaged and effective academic citizen at both the university and national levels of service with considerable administrative expertise at this point. He is much sought after to participate in national and international professional organizations, program committees, and prize selection committees, in addition to the numerous invitations he receives to deliver guest lectures around the globe. On this note, I would point out that Professor Mills is a well respected, and indeed, an integral member of the Peruvian academy to a degree that few Anglophone scholars of Peru achieve."

# Reviewer (C)

"...he has a disposition ideally equipped for teaching: patient, kind, painstaking, persevering, unflappable. He evinces the semblance that makes a teacher effective: of a happy person, whose pleasure in his work is enough to convince students of the superiority of the life of the mind."

# Reviewer (D)

"Ken's record of accomplishment...is rich, full, and wide-ranging, and there is definitely more in the way of superb scholarship to come. ...what has always impressed me about Ken's work is a methodology that combines traditional, archival-based research with an openness and sensitivity towards interdisciplinary scholarship along with many of the post-modem approaches coursing through the colonial field. This openness has served him well in the past, and also likely to figure in all of his future work."

# Reviewer (E)

"Mills is a superb and dedicated teacher, and his former graduate students are living proof. His participation in workshops abroad and excellent sourcebooks suggest this is not going to fade. Kenneth Mills is a first-rate scholar who would make an excellent colleague."

### Reviewer (F)

"Professor Mills is without doubt the most gifted [of his cohort] of the historians of the wider Hispanic world now working on the colonial, and probably on any, period. ... In an area where there is, alas, all too much simple repetition, Kenneth Mills' work constitutes a true breakthrough. The two volumes he has edited...demonstrate very clearly that he has the skills and the inclination to do what very few Latin-American historians, who generally remain confined within one geographical and linguistic area, have attempted: that is to examine a cultural process - in this case conversion - as a global, and a-temporal phenomenon."

#### **SUMMARY**

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Kenneth R. Mills as the J. Frederick Hoffman Professor of History, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020, and professor of history, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Venkat Raman

TITLE: Associate Professor of Aerospace Engineering, College of

Engineering

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Venkat Raman as associate professor of aerospace engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.

#### ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Raman received his B.Tech in chemical and electrochemical engineering in 1998 from the Madurai Kamaraj University, India. He then received his Ph.D. in chemical engineering from Iowa State University in 2003. Between 2003 and 2004, he completed a post-doctoral fellowship in the Center for Turbulence Research at Stanford University.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Raman remained at Stanford University as a research associate from 2004 to 2005. In 2005, he was appointed as an assistant professor at the University of Texas at Austin. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2011.

#### SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Raman is conducting research to develop new methods to improve Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD) to solve turbulent reacting flow problems. The problems he simulates include jet engines, scramjet engines, fundamental turbulent flames, soot formation and surface catalysts used for pollution removal. He focuses on new ways to include the complex chemistry of synthetic fuels and alternate fuels into his CFD numerical simulations. He has created optimization procedures to select the most important chemical reactions (out of a set of possible reactions) and he includes new ways to simulate turbulence, combustion, and multi-phase physics. His CV includes 30 journal articles, and over 70 conference presentations. Professor Raman has been successful securing funding for his research, including an NSF CAREER Award in 2008. He is clearly thought of as a world leader in his academic cohort.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Sung, Y., M. Maulik, V. Raman and R. O. Fox, "Large Eddy Simulation of Titania Nanoparticle Evolution in a Turbulent Flame using Conditional Quadrature Method of Moments," *AIChE Journal*, Accepted.

Mehta, M., V. Raman and R. O. Fox, "On the Role of Gas-phase Chemistry in the Production of Titania Nanoparticles in Turbulent Flames," *Chemical Engineering Science*, Accepted.

Donde, P., V. Raman, M. Mueller and H. Pitsch, "LES/PDF based modeling of soot-turbulence interactions in turbulent flames," *Proceedings of the Combustion Institute*, 34, 1183-1192, 2013.

Koo, H. and V. Raman, "Large eddy simulation of supersonic inlet-isolator," *AIAA Journal*, 7(50), 1596-1613, 2012.

Kaul, C. M. and V. Raman, "A Posteriori Analysis of Numerical Errors in Subfilter Scalar Variance Modeling for Large Eddy Simulation," *Physics of Fluids*, 23(3) 035102, 2011.

#### EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

REVIEWER A: "...I do not believe that there is another person at the same or lesser rank...that is more poised to become a true leader in his field...you would be getting an outstanding researcher and a first-class individual."

REVIEWER B: "He is one of the most promising computationalists [of his cohort] I have ever encountered. I sincerely wish he were a member of [my institution]...I can say that I have not met a peer of Venkat's who is close to being comparable in ability or accomplishments...I advise you hire him."

REVIEWER C: "...Dr. Raman's contributions in large-eddy simulation (LES) of low- and high-speed turbulent reacting flows and in computational analysis of combustion stability in gas turbine combustors have been very significant...I endorse the novel and very positive scientific and engineering contributions of Professor Venkat Raman. He is a solid researcher who has established himself as an independent scientist within the combustion community."

REVIEWER D: "His publications are numerous and well cited, his research is growing in many areas, and he has a lot to contribute to the community. His standing internationally is growing and he has all the right attributes to establish his own path as a tenured professor. I strongly recommend him."

REVIEWER E: "... Venkat Raman is in the top rank of outstanding candidates for an academic position in turbulent combustion modelling and I strongly recommend him to you."

# SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Professor Raman has a proven record of research excellence and a strong record of collegial interactions with peers. We are presented with a unique opportunity to hire a truly outstanding candidate whose research is in critical areas of current relevance to the Department of Aerospace Engineering and the College of Engineering. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Venkat Raman as associate professor of aerospace engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

Matte E. Hillel

for Academic Affairs

July 2014

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME:

Olga Yakusheva

TITLE:

Associate Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing

TENURE STATUS:

With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE:

September 1, 2014

APPOINTMENT PERIOD:

University Year

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Nursing, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Olga Yakusheva as associate professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective September 1, 2014.

#### **ACADEMIC DEGREES**

Professor Yakusheva received her Bachelor of Science degree in applied mathematics from Kazakhstan State University, Almaty, Kazakhstan in 1996. She received her Master of Science degree in economics and her PhD in economics from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in 1997 and 2005, respectively. She completed her post-doctoral training as an Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) Fellow in Health Services Research at Yale University in 2012.

# PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Yakusheva began her academic career as an assistant instructor at Kazakhstan Institute of Management, Economics and Research, Department of Economics, Almaty, Kazakhstan from 1997-1998. She was appointed as an assistant instructor at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, College of Business from 1998-2005. She was appointed as an assistant professor at Marquette University, College of Business and Graduate School of Management from 2005-2012, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2012. She was appointed as a visiting associate professor at Yale University, School of Medicine from July 2012 to December 2012.

### SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Yakusheva is an admirable teacher who has clearly set forth objectives, learning outcomes, and teaching strategies, and uses these methods and practices as evidenced by her student evaluations. She has taught at both the undergraduate and graduate levels in a wide-

range of economic courses and uses novel methods and approaches to engage and motivate students in acquiring statistical knowledge and skills. Her average teaching load is about five courses a year and has been comprised of large classes of economic and business students. From every aspect – peer evaluation, student evaluation (including course evaluations and follow-up with students) – Professor Yakusheva's teaching has been consistently rated at a high level. Her teaching evaluation scores are very good with most in the high fours (e.g., 4.7 to 4.9) to five range (e.g., 5.2 to 5.9). These courses serve a variety of different student populations such as arts and sciences, business, economics, and health sciences. She has mentored masters and doctoral students. Peer reviews of her teaching are also very good. Students describe her as a great asset.

Professor Yakusheva has an established program of research in health economics and health services research with a specific focus area of nursing in acute care and social network analysis. She is passionate about her program of research that has been characterized as interdisciplinary, impactful, policy-relevant, and uses rigorous research designs and quantitative methods. Professor Yakusheva has a good level of scholarship productivity with 16 peer reviewed research publications and an additional paper accepted with minor revisions. Six of the publications are first authored, four published and two in press. Her publications are in highly respected journals, including *Medical Care*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, *Economics and Human Biology*, and *Economic Inquiry*. Her additional 10 co-authored research publications are in high impact journals, such as in *Medical Care*, *Health Services Research (HSR)*, and *Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology*.

In relation to external funding, Professor Yakusheva has been successful in obtaining external funding from the RWJ Foundation (three grants) and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC); with approximately \$1.3 million in funding over the past seven years. These grants speak to her understanding of nursing practice and its importance in cost and quality. She is currently a co-investigator on a study about readiness assessment and discharge interventions funded by the ANCC (2014-16) that builds upon the findings of the INQRI study. She has received as PI, three grants from RWJ foundation's Future of Nursing: Call for Action Program. Professor Yakusheva has a strong reputation in the field of health economics and health services research.

Professor Yakusheva has provided a solid level of service at the unit, college, and university levels. She has served on three committees in the College Of Business (Undergraduate Committee; Information and Technology Committee; and the International Business Committee). She was instrumental in securing the College of Business International Program, and has represented Marquette University at two global symposia of international educators. She has also worked to build new partnerships for studies abroad. Professor Yakusheva has served on university level research committees, and participated in reviews of grant proposals for new research and fellowships. Her professional service includes being a reviewer for several journals, including the *Medical Care*; *Economics and Human Biology*; *Economic Inquiry*; and the *Journal of Health Economics*. Most impressive, has been her role in RWJ's Campaign for Action and her work with individual state coalitions in developing action plans. Her level of service and activities demonstrate her commitment to the organization and her leadership potential in both economics and nursing.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Yakusheva, O., Kapinos, K., and Eisenberg, D. (2014). "Estimating Heterogeneous and Hierarchical Peer Influences on Body Weight Using Roommate Assignment as a Natural Experiment." *Journal of Human Resources*, Winter 2014 vol. 49 no. 1 234-261.
- Yakusheva, O. and Fletcher, J.M. (2013). "Learning from Teen Childbearing Experiences of Peers: Evidence Using Miscarriages as a Natural Experiment." *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 10.1162/REST a 00423.
- Yakusheva, O., Wholey, D., and Frick, K (2013). "What Can We Learn from the Existing Evidence on the Business Case for Nursing Investments: the Importance of Content, Context, and Policy Environment." *Medical Care*, 51, pp.S47–S52.
- Yakusheva, O., Kapinos, K., and Weiss, M. (2011). "Peer Effects and the Freshman 15: Evidence from a Natural Experiment." *Economics and Human Biology*, 9(2), pp.119-132
- Yakusheva, O. (2011). "In High School and Pregnant: the Importance of Educational and Fertility Expectations for Subsequent Outcomes." *Economic Inquiry*, 49(3), Jul 2011, pp.810-837

#### EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

# Reviewer (A)

"She has a solid research record and she has shown the ability to generate large grant funding."

### Reviewer (B)

"Given the high quality of her research and her continued upward trajectory... [a]ny research university would be fortunate to have Dr. Yakusheva on its faculty, and there is no doubt in my mind that she is destined for even greater success with her well-chosen and expertly executed research agenda."

# Reviewer (C)

"... Dr. Yakusheva... has made excellent use of her sills and has built partnerships that have yielded a substantial base of well-crafted publications to date. She is on a path towards excellent ongoing productivity especially given her experience and the nature of the phenomena she studies."

# Reviewer (D)

"... [in] review of [her] work, [Professor Yakusheva] is a thoughtful, creative, conscientious researcher. The methods she uses are advanced and implemented well, and in some areas, such as network analysis, she is at the cutting edge of the field. The quality of her work is such that I would cite her research and rely upon it for policymaking or clinical decision making."

# Reviewer (E)

"Dr. Yakusheva's work demonstrates meritorious scholarship and creative inquiry, both in terms of her research record and documented outcomes from teaching and service. Her work contributes to what I believe is her growing national reputation as a leader in the application of health economics to health services research and policy."

# Reviewer (F)

"Her more recent work developing out of her post-doctoral program experience on the 'added value of nursing' to primary care holds great promise as an area that she could carve out a name for herself."

# **SUMMARY**

Professor Yakusheva is a solid researcher and educator. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Olga Yakusheva as associate professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Kathleen Patempa

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Matte E. Heled

Kathleen Potempa

Dean, School of Nursing

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

July 2014

# 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

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Olukola Paul Owolabi

TITLE: Associate Professor of Music, School of Music,

Theatre & Dance

TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Olukola Paul Owolabi as associate professor of music (organ), without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2014.

#### ACADEMIC RECORD

Professor Owolabi earned a B.M. with a major in organ performance from McGill University in 2000. Upon graduation, he was awarded the Salsinger Tani Gold Medal in Performance – a scholarship presented to an undergraduate student for excellence in music performance. In 2003, he received a M.M. in organ performance and choral conducting from Yale University. Professor Owolabi then served as a graduate assistant in early music at the Eastman School of Music from 2003 through 2005, and as a teaching assistant from 2005 through 2006 from that institution. In 2007, Professor Owolabi received a D.M.A. from the Eastman School of Music.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Owolabi's performance experience began as an assistant organist at St. Michael's Catholic Cathedral in Toronto, Canada. From 1996 through 2000, he served as an assistant organist at the Church of St. Andrew & St. Paul in Montreal, Canada. In 2000, he was the University Chapel Organist at Yale University, and in 2001, he also was the assistant conductor of the Yale Camerata. From 2002 through 2003, he served as the Yale Divinity School Chapel choir director. In 2003, he was the organist and choir director at St. James Roman Catholic Church in Rochester, New York. His first academic experience was as interim organ instructor and university organist at Syracuse University from 2006 through 2007. In 2007, he was appointed as university organist and assistant professor of music at Syracuse University, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2013.

#### SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

During Professor Owolabi's recent visit to campus it was noted that his pedagogical approach was positive, balanced and holistic. His manner was calm and authoritative, and he engaged the students warmly. He has a record of successful cross-disciplinary experience as a teacher, and has been a successful recruiter to the organ program at Syracuse. The appointment of Professor Owolabi

addresses current needs and long-range goals of the Department of Organ in studio instruction, courses in organ literature, church music, continuo playing and improvisation, recruiting, curriculum review and inter-disciplinary initiatives. His expertise in memorized performance will support the organ degree requirements at all levels. His command of curricular issues relating to church music instruction in the context of a research university will be significant as the Department of Organ reviews and strengthens the range and content of undergraduate and graduate church music courses. Professor Owolabi is a gifted improviser with experience in teaching improvisation to beginning and advanced students. His research and pedagogical experience in organ literature and continuo playing are also relevant to course offerings in the Department of Organ. The department's long-standing success in recruiting the finest students will be enhanced by Professor Owolabi's national and international visibility as a solo performer, clinician and member of the early music ensembles Seraphic Fire and the Firebird Chamber Orchestra. He has held offices in the American Guild of Organists and has experience with the AGO's Pipe Organ Encounter program for high school students. Collegial by experience and temperament, he has established a successful record of cross-disciplinary initiatives as a teacher and collaborative performer.

#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

At Syracuse University, Professor Owolabi teaches courses in organ, improvisation, continuo playing and baroque chamber music, performs at weekly chapel services and special events, and coordinates the Malmgren Concert Series at Hendricks Chapel. He is currently the dean of the Syracuse Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. His former teachers have included Bruce Wheatcroft, John Grew, Martin Jean, Thomas Murray, Hans Davidsson and William Porter. In 2002, Professor Owolabi was awarded second prize and audience prize at the American Guild of Organists National Young Artists Competition in Organ Performance. Professor Owolabi is a published composer and has received commissions from the Royal Canadian College of Organists and the Catholic Archdiocese of Toronto. His solo organ composition, Dance, was selected for the Royal Canadian College of Organists National Competition in August 2013, where all of the finalists performed this composition. As a solo recitalist, he has performed across Canada, the United States, Mexico and Jamaica, including venues such as St. Thomas Church Fifth Avenue in New York, Methuen Memorial Music Hall, in Massachusetts, Cornell University, and the University of the West Indies in Jamaica. He also performs regularly as organist and harpsichordist with the Grammy-nominated vocal ensemble Seraphic Fire and Firebird Chamber Orchestra, based in Miami, Florida. He has received a number of commissions for compositions, including from the Royal Canadian College of Organists and the Canadian Broadcasting Company. Six of his works have been recorded on commercial CD's.

# **EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS**

#### Reviewer (A)

"He has an excellent reputation as an organist and I am impressed by his experience as a chamber musician."

#### Reviewer (B)

"Professor Owolabi plays with ease and fluency, even in the most virtuosic music. This is first-rate playing, and as his playing matures, Professor Owolabi is all but assured of a major performing career. He is an organist/teacher of great promise, and I know that his career will continue to blossom."

#### Reviewer (C)

"He has already established himself as an active recitalist, having performed in at least nine states and three foreign countries, including a number of significant venues and concert series. He has also earned some distinction in being awarded prizes in national and international organ performance competitions. He is a musician of distinction, with considerable drive and professional stature."

Reviewer (D)

"I believe that Dr. Owolabi is a perfect fit for the position at Michigan. He has a fine combination of strengths in the areas required: studio teaching, church music, improvisation, organ literature, a vision for the curriculum, a collaborative, interdisciplinary approach, and an emerging national and international career as a performer."

### Reviewer (E)

"Dr. Owolabi has clearly demonstrated his ability to not only teach and perform on the organ, but to serve in the classroom in a variety of topics ranging from theory to improvisation. Students need the inspiration of professors who can demonstrate such scholarship and he has clearly met that standard."

# Reviewer (F)

"Mr. Owolabi will fit in well in maintaining the high level of instruction expected at UofM. Mr. Owolabi has an outstanding performance listing in a variety of venues, and has performed on piano and harpsichord as well. I expect him to be a great colleague."

#### **SUMMARY**

The School of Music, Theatre & Dance and the Department of Organ enthusiastically support the appointment of Olukola Paul Owolabi. Professor Owolabi has an emerging national career as a performer and is a gifted improviser in a range of styles. He is collegial by experience and temperament, and is a team player that will collaborate effectively within and across departmental lines. The recruitment of Professor Owolabi to our Organ Department presents an outstanding opportunity to continue the tradition of excellence in our organ program as well as strategically plan for the future. We unreservedly recommend the appointment of Olukola Paul Owolabi as associate professor of music (organ), without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMEDED BY:

Christopher W. Kendall

Paul Boylan Collegiate Professor of Music and Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive

Vice President for Academic Affairs

Marte E. Yellon

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Roger L. Albin, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Anne B. Young Collegiate Professor of Neurology, and

Professor of Neurology, with tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Anne B. Young Collegiate Professor of Neurology,

Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

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 Roger L. Albin, M.D. as the Anne B. Young Collegiate Professor of Neurology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Anne B. Young Collegiate Professorship in Neurology was established in May 2009 through a generous gift from the Leslie Fund, Inc., and is intended to support the activities of a tenured faculty member in the Department of Neurology. Dr. Anne Young served on the faculty of the University of Michigan Medical School during 1978-1985, and currently is a professor of neurology at Harvard Medical School.

Dr. Albin received his M.D. degree from the University of Pittsburgh in 1982, and undertook residency training in neurology at the University of Michigan during 1983-1986. He completed a movement disorders fellowship in 1988, also at this institution, under the mentorship of Drs. Anne Young and John Penney. That same year, Dr. Albin joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an instructor in neurology. He advanced to associate professor of neurology, with tenure, in 1994, and achieved his current rank of professor of neurology in 2000.

Dr. Albin's clinical and research interests include the underlying neurobiologic causes of the clinical features of movement disorders, basal ganglia structure and function, Parkinson's disease, Tourette syndrome, dementias, dystonias, and Huntington's disease. His laboratory is pursuing work on basic mechanisms of neurodegeneration in Huntington disease using mouse genetic models. The present focus of research is uncovering the basis for non-motor problems in Parkinson's disease including sleep disorders, depression, dementia, and autonomic dysfunction. Dr. Albin is working toward applying positron emission tomography imaging methods to improve diagnosis of dementing disorders like Alzheimer's disease, with the hope that understanding how specific brain alterations cause specific clinical features will lead to improved treatments.

Dr. Albin continues to be scholarly productive with 223 published articles and is the site investigator for the NIH Exploratory Trials in Parkinson disease initiative. He also serves as chief of neuroscience research at the Veterans Administration Healthcare System Geriatric Research Education and Clinical Center. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Roger L. Albin, M.D. as the Anne B. Young Collegiate Professor of Neurology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, l

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.I

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Barbara A. Anderson

CURRENT TITLES: Ronald Freedman Collegiate Professor of Sociology and

Population Studies, and Professor of Sociology, with tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Ronald Freedman Collegiate Professor of Sociology and

Population Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Barbara A. Anderson as the Ronald Freedman Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Population Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Ronald Freedman Collegiate Professorship in Sociology and Population Studies was established in August 2009. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Since her appointment to the collegiate professorship, Barbara Anderson's research has moved from the sources of women's delayed entry into the labor force in the former Soviet Union and the impact of ethnicity on China's excessively male sex ratios at birth to South Africa more particularly. Motivated by discussions with African scholars in South Africa, she has begun to explore how and why black South Africans commit to the African National Congress (ANC) more than to any other progressive political party. Her research continues to reflect extensive methodological sophistication and scholarly objectivity. Since 2010 she has published a textbook entitled World Population Dynamics: An Introduction to Demography (Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson, 2014). This book is an undergraduate/graduate social demography textbook where the publisher's reviewers praised it for having a distinctly sociological approach and for integrating much more material from public health than is typical. She has also published a series of reports in *Statistics South Africa* that provide information about demographic patterns and trends in a country that is still realizing the importance of demographic analysis.

Professor Anderson's teaching record remains extremely strong. At the undergraduate level, she has consistently taught seminars on health and population in South Africa that enroll 20-40 students. She spends each summer taking approximately twelve undergraduate students who had been in one or more of her seminars to South Africa for two weeks. She receives funds from the

Global Course Connections and the Experiential Learning Program to defray student expenses for the trip. At the graduate level, she remains a very versatile and accomplished teacher and mentor. To help pre-doctoral and post-doctoral fellows fulfill a responsible conduct of research requirement, Professor Anderson devised in-person seminars that cover a variety of topics. The program was approved by Rackham and in fall 2012 approximately 60 fellows satisfied the requirement through this experience. She has consistently taught world population dynamics/social demography, demographic methods, and the population workshop to graduate students since 2010.

Professor Anderson has also served admirably in a number of capacities at the University of Michigan. In the Population Studies Center, where she is appointed as a research professor, she has been associate director of the center and director of graduate training. In 2011 she was appointed to a three-year term as a member of the U.S. Census Scientific Advisory Committee (CSAC), which is a congressionally-mandated committee that gives advice to the Census Bureau on scientific matters. She has served as deputy editor of *Demography* and is a member of the editorial board of *Southern African Journal of Demography*.

Professor Anderson is an accomplished scholar, a dedicated and effective teacher and mentor, and an outstanding colleague. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Barbara A. Anderson as the Ronald Freedman Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Population Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Sugar A Galman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Ketra L. Armstrong

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Associate Dean for Graduate Programs and Faculty Affairs, and

Professor of Kinesiology, with tenure, School of Kinesiology

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Associate Dean for Graduate Programs and Faculty Affairs,

School of Kinesiology

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2016

The Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Kinesiology are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ketra L. Armstrong as associate dean for graduate programs and faculty affairs, School of Kinesiology, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2016.

Professor Armstrong received her Bachelor of Science and Master of Education degrees from Mississippi State University in 1987 and 1988, respectively. She received her Ph.D. from The Ohio State University in 1996.

Professor Armstrong is a scholar with a national and international reputation. Since beginning her tenure in the School of Kinesiology at the University of Michigan, she has rapidly shown herself to be a leader as demonstrated by her recent election to the school's Executive Committee for the next two years. Her research is focused on the social and psychological nuances of managing, marketing, and participating in sport. In particular, her research probes the influences of race and gender on sport consumption and management experiences of women and individuals of African descent. She has published in the leading journals in her field as well as receiving numerous honors and awards.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ketra L. Armstrong as associate dean for graduate programs and faculty affairs, School of Kinesiology, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Ronald F. Zernicke Professor and Dean

School of Kinesiology

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Deborah Loewenberg Ball

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, William H. Payne Collegiate

Professor of Education, Dean, and Professor of Education, with

tenure, School of Education

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

William H. Payne Collegiate Professor of Education, School of

Education

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2020

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Education, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Deborah Loewenberg Ball as the William H. Payne Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2020.

The William H. Payne Collegiate Professorship in Education was established in December 2004. William H. Payne was the first chair of the "art and science of pedagogy" at the University of Michigan. When President James Angell created a special chair of the art and science of pedagogy in 1879, William H. Payne was an excellent candidate for the position. Professor Payne led the organizational work needed for the newly developed education department. Moreover, as chair, he was a distinctive innovator responsible for the formation of teacher education at Michigan. Principles he pursued include the special disciplinary preparation of teachers, equipping them to understand subjects in ways that would enable them to help others learn those subjects. This phenomenon is an enduring problem of teacher education that Professor Payne understood and sought to solve. A stipend funded from school resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Ball received her bachelor of arts, master of arts, and doctor of philosophy degrees from Michigan State University in 1976, 1982, and 1988, respectively. From 1975 to 1988, she was an elementary classroom teacher for the East Lansing Public Schools, and from 1988 to 1992 she was a third and fourth grade mathematics teacher at Spartan Village School in East Lansing. She joined Michigan State University in 1988 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor in 1991. Professor Ball joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in 1996 as a professor. She was named an Arthur F. Thurnau Professor in 2000. Professor Ball has served as dean of the School of Education since December 2005.

Professor Ball's research focuses on the practice of mathematics instruction, and on the improvement of teacher training and development. She is an expert on teacher education, with a particular interest in how professional training and experience combine to equip beginning teachers with the skills and knowledge needed for responsible practice. Her work is informed by strong links both to the arts and sciences and to professional preparation in other domains.

Professor Ball is leading an effort to develop a comprehensive professional training curriculum that spans initial training through at least the first three years of teaching practice, with corresponding assessments to determine whether beginning teachers are ready to be responsible for a classroom of students. This curriculum focuses on a set of core skills and knowledge that are "high-leverage" for responsible teaching. Skill with these tasks of teaching is crucial for all teachers if they are to help each of their students achieve. In addition, the curriculum addresses, in the specialized ways needed for teaching, the subject matter content that is high-leverage for teachers, including essential topics and skills represented in the Common Core State Standards.

Professor Ball has authored or co-authored more than 150 publications and has lectured and made numerous major presentations around the world. Her research has been recognized with several awards and honors, and she has served on several national and international commissions and panels focused on policy initiatives and the improvement of education, including the National Mathematics Advisory Panel and the Michigan Council for Educator Effectiveness. She is a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, the American Mathematics Society, and the American Educational Research Association, and an elected member of the National Academy of Education.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Deborah Loewenberg Ball as the William H. Payne Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME:

David H. Baum

CURRENT TITLE:

Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, Law School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, Law School

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017

The Law School is pleased to recomment the reappointment of David H. Baum as assistant dean for student affairs, Law School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017, subject to the conditions outlined in an appointment letter from the Law School. His responsibilities will not include teaching.

Dean Baum has earned two degrees from the University of Michigan -- a B.A. degree in honors English with high distinction in 1985, and a J.D. degree in 1989. As an undergraduate, he was an Angell Scholar, a Regents Scholar, and was awarded Class Honors. While in law school, he served as an instructor in the Writing and Advocacy Program.

After graduation from law school, Dean Baum clerked for the Honorable Noel Anketell Kramer, and then was an assistant United States attorney in Washington, D.C. In 1995 he returned to Ann Arbor as a special assistant to the associate dean for student affairs. In May 1998 he was promoted to director of the Office of Student Services, and in March 2000 promoted to assistant dean.

The reappointment of Dean Baum will ensure that the Law School student services program will continue to provide the excellent support that has become our tradition. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of David H. Baum as assistant dean for student affairs, Law School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Mark D. West

Dean, Law School

Nippon Life Professor of Law

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

Matte E. Hillal

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Jill B. Becker

CURRENT TITLES: Patricia Y. Gurin Collegiate Professor of Psychology, and

Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Patricia Y. Gurin Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Patricia Y. Gurin Collegiate Professorship in Psychology was established by the Regents in June 2009. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Since her appointment to the collegiate professorship, Jill Becker's research has continued to progress. Throughout her career she has focused on how the female hormone estradiol modulates dopamine function in the basal ganglia, and through this affects motivated behaviors, resulting in sex differences in brain and behavior. She has published seventeen peer-reviewed articles and maintains a high citation index. Professor Becker received external funding from the National Institutes of Health (NIH) over the last five years and she was recently awarded funding from the National Science Foundation. She is also involved in a collaborative project to look at sex and gender differences in addictions through a broader lens in order to advance the field by developing approaches to integrate scholarly information across disciplinary boundaries. To that end she will focus on informatics and big data analysis in order to begin some projects and a book they are writing.

Professor Becker has been teaching successful graduate and undergraduate classes throughout this time. During fall 2013, she changed the format in "Hormones and Behavior" to make it more interactive and to engage the students in discussions throughout the course. She has a first year biopsychology graduate student working in her laboratory and an undergraduate student who will do her honors thesis with her this coming year, in addition to many other undergraduate students working in her laboratory for research credit.

Professor Becker has been working with the Society for Neuroscience (SfN) on the Committee for Women in Neuroscience and the Professional Development Committee. In this role she was involved in writing a grant that was funded by the National Science Foundation through the ADVANCE/PAID mechanism to develop a program to train chairs of departments in policies and procedures (based on the UM ADVANCE grant) that will increase the number of women and underrepresented minorities among their faculty. She also created the format for five workshops, co-presented the materials at the workshops, and helped to create an interactive video to be used by the SfN to disseminate this information now that the grant is ended. She continues to be active in SfN. In 2011 Professor Becker received the University's Sarah Goddard Power Award for promoting women in every aspect of her work as a scientific researcher, leader, and mentor. In 2010 she received the Louise Hanson Marshall Special Recognition Award from the Society for Neuroscience. This award recognizes an individual for significant contributions to promoting the professional advancement of women in neuroscience through teaching, public advocacy, and organizational leadership.

Professor Becker is an accomplished scholar, an effective teacher and mentor, and an outstanding colleague. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Ernesto Bernal-Mizrachi, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Larry D. Soderquist Professor, and Associate Professor of

Internal Medicine, with tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Larry D. Soderquist Professor, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ernesto Bernal-Mizrachi, M.D. as the Larry D. Soderquist Professor, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Larry D. Soderquist Professorship was established in July 2007, through the generosity of William and Delores Brehm and serves as a memorial to Mr. Larry Soderquist, the late brother of Mrs. Brehm. This professorship is intended to support, advance and accelerate medical research related to type 1 diabetes.

Dr. Bernal-Mizrachi is widely regarded for his expertise and groundbreaking research in the area of pancreatic beta cell growth and development. He continues his research studying the signaling pathways that regulate proliferation, growth and survival of pancreatic beta cells. He has made significant progress in the understanding of insulin signaling regulated beta cell mass with emphasis on interception between insulin and nutrient pathways. Dr. Bernal-Mizrachi has expanded his research program to investigate the regulation of alpha cell mass and function with the hope that this knowledge will serve as a platform for designing novel therapeutic strategies to expand drug development for diabetes.

Dr. Bernal-Mizrachi continues to be published in top-tier journals, and has received extramural funding from the NIH, the Veterans Administration, the Junior Diabetes Research Foundation and the American Diabetes Association. He is on the editorial board of *Molecular Endocrinology* and is associate editor of *Journal Islets*.

Dr. Bernal-Mizrachi is a highly regarded clinician and investigator who is recognized for his contributions to research in the field of diabetes and metabolism. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Ernesto Bernal-Mizrachi, M.D. as the Larry D. Soderquist Professor, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Kent C. Berridge

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

James Olds Collegiate Professor of Psychology, and

Neuroscience and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College

of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

James Olds Collegiate Professor of Psychology and

Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES:

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kent C. Berridge as the James Olds Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The James Olds Collegiate Professorship in Psychology and Neuroscience was established in August 2009. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Since his appointment to the collegiate professorship, Kent Berridge has continued to make good progress. His research focuses on clarifying how intense emotions of desire, pleasure, fear, and disgust are produced in the brain. This field is generally called affective neuroscience and his research aims to answer fundamental questions like "what causes addiction" and "why do brain mechanisms of fear overlap with those of desire," among others. He has published around 48 journal articles or book chapters, and co-edited a book entitled Pleasures of the Brain (Oxford University Press, 2010). His articles have received a high citation index. Professor Berridge is an invited faculty member of Faculty of 1000 (a web-based post-publication peer-review institute focusing on science and biomedical disciplines) and has published over 150 online evaluations of articles in the past five years. He also delivered approximately 30 invited lectures or keynote addresses. His laboratory students additionally presented at least 25 submitted research posters or talks at national and international conferences based on their own laboratory research. He was named a fellow by the American Association for the Advancement of Science (2011), most "outstanding member of the faculty in Neuroscience" (2011, 2012) and most "outstanding member of the faculty in all disciplines" (2013) awards from the Faculty of 1000, and he was invited to become an honorary fellow of the Mind and Life Foundation (2014).

Professor Berridge continues to teach undergraduate and graduate students with enthusiasm, including a lower level introductory course in behavioral neuroscience to approximately 300 undergraduate students. In 2012 he received the "Distinguished Lecturer Award" from Ph.D.

students in the graduate program in behavioral neuroscience at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

Professor Berridge is an accomplished scholar, an effective teacher and mentor, and an outstanding colleague. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kent C. Berridge as the James Olds Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Joel N. Bregman

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Astronomy, Heber D. Curtis Collegiate

Professor of Astronomy, and Professor of Astronomy, with

tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Heber D. Curtis Collegiate Professor of Astronomy, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Astronomy and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Joel N. Bregman as the Heber D. Curtis Collegiate Professor of Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Heber D. Curtis Collegiate Professorship in Astronomy was established by the Regents in June 2009. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Bregman continues to be a highly productive member of our faculty. His research involves topics relating to galaxy structure, galaxy formation, galaxy clusters, unusually luminous black holes, and globular star clusters. He was recently selected for a leadership role on the Constellation-X Facilities Science Team defining NASA's next international observatory in X-ray astronomy. This is a joint venture between the United States, Europe, and Japan, and will be the premier instrument in the coming decade. Professor Bregman is invited to speak and attend up to three meetings each year in addition to colloquia. He has received grant funding between \$200K and \$300K each year in support of his research personnel, which consists of a post-doctoral scholar, a graduate student, two undergraduate students, and collaborators at other institutions. He is currently an editor of *Astronomy and Astrophysics Reviews*, the number two impact journal in his field, as well as a proposal reviewer for Spitzer Space Telescope at the California Institute of Technology and reviewer for Chandra Post-doctoral Fellowship Program at Harvard University.

Professor Bregman has continued to make outstanding contributions to undergraduate education despite his heavy administrative load. He has also served as chair of the provost's committee on "Being a Faculty Member in the 21st Century" and delivered the resulting report in May 2014. He was chair of the High Energy Astrophysics Division of the American Astronomical Society, and as of January 2014 became past chair for a two-year term with responsibilities despite the

name. Professor Bregman served on the NASA Senior Review, which reviews all operating astrophysics missions to determine whether they should be terminated or continued and sets the budget. He is also a member of the Astrophysics Subcommittee, the top level advisory committee in the astrophysics division.

Professor Bregman continues to bring distinction to the Department of Astronomy and the University of Michigan. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Joel N. Bregman as the Heber D. Curtis Collegiate Professor of Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

### Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Howard Brick

CURRENT TITLES: Louis Evans Professor of History, and Professor of History,

with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Louis Evans Professor of History, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of History and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Howard Brick as the Louis Evans Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

As a result of a generous gift from David S. Evans and Joan E. Evans in honor of his grandfather, the Louis Evans Professorship in History was established by the Regents in November 2008.

Since his arrival at Michigan in 2009, Howard Brick has developed several new scholarly projects, two of which he is currently completing. In fall 2014 he will submit Radicals in America: The U.S. Left since 1945 (co-authored with C. Phelps) to Cambridge University Press and will submit At the Center: American Thought and Culture at Mid-Twentieth Century (co-authored with C. Black and D. Borus) to Rowman and Littlefield. In addition, Professor Brick continues to pursue his next major scholarly monograph, The Worldly Theorists: Mid-Twentieth Century Social Theory and the Rebirth of World History, which is eagerly awaited in the fields of U.S. and global history. He has also completed five scholarly articles, review essays, or encyclopedia entries, along with several book reviews, since 2011.

Professor Brick has assumed a wide range of teaching responsibilities with survey courses in U.S. history and upper-division lecture courses on the history of American radicalism and the history of the U.S. empire. He also became a definitive presence in the graduate program with teaching and advising in the fields of U.S. cultural history, the U.S. and the world, and world and global history. Professor Brick is an enormously successful teacher at all levels and students have consistently given him high ratings. He has supervised four honors theses and one Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP) student in the past two years. Professor Brick is currently chairing or co-chairing five dissertations and serving as a member of at least eight additional dissertation committees. He is much in demand as an undergraduate and graduate mentor because of the wide range of his erudition across the fields of U.S. and

global/world history and because of his extraordinary intellectual engagement with and generosity towards students.

Professor Brick's service contributions attest to his exceptional intellectual leadership: he has chaired important committees and been a member of the regular Executive Committee and the Augmented Executive Committee (for all tenure and promotion cases). At the college level, Professor Brick served a three-year term on the Social Sciences Divisional Evaluation Committee. Among his most important intellectual contributions was his organization of two major conferences: "A New Insurgency: *The Port Huron Statement* in Its Time and Ours," (2012), which involved hundreds of faculty and graduate students from a wide range of disciplines as well as significant participation by members of the public; and "Lineages of the Literary Left: A Symposium in Honor of Alan M. Wald," (2013). Both of these conferences have prompted scholarly publications that are to be published by Maize Books, University of Michigan Press.

Professor Brick continues to bring distinction to the Department of History and the University of Michigan. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Howard Brick as the Louis Evans Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

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for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Nancy E. Burns

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Chair, Department of Political Science, Warren E. Miller Collegiate Professor of Political Science, and Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science,

and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Warren E. Miller Collegiate Professor of Political Science,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Nancy E. Burns as the Warren E. Miller Collegiate Professor of Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Warren E. Miller Collegiate Professorship in Political Science was established in August 2003. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

During the past five years, Professor Burns has continued to conduct research on gender, race, and politics. The centerpiece of this work is a book project that she and her co-author D. Kinder are completing on ordinary Americans' views on gender and race and the consequences of those views for public opinion. They have together and separately (and sometimes with graduate students) published a series of articles laying out parts of the argument and parts of the evidence. Professor Burn's last book (with K. Schlozman and S. Verba) is the central work in the field on gender and political participation. This new book will be the central book in the field on gender and public opinion. She is currently working with a graduate student on her next major project, which focuses on the multidimensional consequences for public opinion and political participation of the transformation in the lives of U. S. women and men over the last 40 years.

Because of the administrative roles Professor Burns has held during this five-year period, her primary teaching responsibility has been a graduate level research design course. Instead of classroom teaching, she has served students more by working intensively with honors thesis and dissertation students, coauthoring with students, and involving students in her research projects. Professor Burns has served on eighteen dissertation committees over the past five years. Her students have gone on to academic positions at top schools around the country, including Princeton University, Cornell University, and Duke University, among others. In addition, she has supervised three undergraduate students' honors theses.

At the department, college and university levels, Professor Burns has served on numerous committees. She has also been director of the Center for Political Studies at the Institute for Social Research (2005-present). Her leadership led to the building of social science infrastructure, the retention and recruitment of top faculty, and excellent training of graduate students. She also organized the weekly workshop on politics and policy. Professor Burns has led teams of faculty to carry out training in research methods in Qatar, at the Social and Economic Survey Research Institute (SESRI) at Qatar University that the Center for Political Studies helped to set up. Her visits helped build scientific capital in the Gulf and fostered collaborative projects between scholars at Michigan and scholars at SESRI. She also co-wrote and serves as the principal investigator of the National Science Foundation grants that have provided continuous funding for the Comparative Study of Electoral Systems, a 60-nation collaboration.

In the discipline at large, Professor Burns served as vice president, president-elect, and president of the Midwest Political Science Association, the second most prominent association in her discipline. She served on the Social Sciences Nominating and Selection Committee for the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and on the Fellows Selection Committee for the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences. She chaired the Society of Political Methodology committee to select the recipient of their Lifetime Achievement Award in 2009, 2010, and 2011; and was the keynote senior scholar for Visions Methodology Conference for Women in Political Methodology in 2011. Lastly, she received the 2014 Midwest Political Science Association Women's Caucus Outstanding Professional Achievement Award.

Professor Burns' scholarship remains outstanding, she is a strong teacher inside and outside of the classroom, and she is an exceptional provider of service. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Nancy E. Burns as the Warren E. Miller Collegiate Professor of Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Kyung J. Cho, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology, and

Professor of Radiology, with tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology,

Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through December 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, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

The William Martel Collegiate Professorship in Radiology was established in July 1997 to recognize Dr. Martel's expertise in musculoskeletal radiology, and his contributions to the field and the University of Michigan. Dr. Martel retired from active faculty service in 1997.

Dr. Cho has been a faculty member at the University of Michigan since 1973, when he was appointed as an instructor of radiology. He rose through the ranks to professor in 1982. He has held numerous administrative appointments, including director of interventional radiology and his current role as director of the Radiology Animal Imaging Laboratory. Dr. Cho is managing editor of *eMedicine*, *Interventional Radiology*, and a consulting physician for the VA Medical Center.

Dr. Cho is an outstanding angiographer who has received multiple citations for outstanding teaching, scientific merit and clinical acumen. He received the University of Michigan Medical School's Lifetime Achievement Award in Medical Education in 2003, The Society of Interventional Radiology Gold Medal Award in 2012, the Society of Interventional Radiology Gold Medal Award in 2012. Dr. Cho was also honored with the University of Michigan League of Educational Excellence Award in 2013.

Dr. Cho has been an outstanding leader in his field, and has achieved an impressive record of accomplishments. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Kyung J. Cho, M.D. as the William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

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Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Kathleen A. Cooney, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Frances and Victor Ginsberg Professor of

Hematology/Oncology, Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Professor of Urology, without tenure,

Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Frances and Victor Ginsberg Professor of

Hematology/Oncology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kathleen A. Cooney, M.D. as the Frances and Victor Ginsberg Professor of Hematology/Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Frances and Victor Ginsberg Professorship in Hematology/Oncology was established in April 1999 through the generosity of Frances and Victor Ginsberg. This professorship was intended to be held by the chief of the Division of Hematology/Oncology in the Department of Internal Medicine.

Dr. Cooney received her M.D. degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1984. She completed an internship and residency in internal medicine and a fellowship in hematology/oncology at the University of Michigan. Dr. Cooney was appointed as assistant professor of internal medicine in 1993, and received a secondary appointment in the Department of Urology in 2000. She rose through the ranks to professor, with tenure, in the Department of Internal Medicine and professor, without tenure, in the Department of Urology in 2005. Since 2009, she has served as chief of the Division of Hematology/Oncology. Dr. Cooney is also deputy director for Cancer Clinical Service in the Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Dr. Cooney continues her work on the identification and characterization of genetic factors which cause or influence the development of prostate cancer. Her work in this field led to the discovery of the first widely replicated rare prostate cancer susceptibility gene, HOXB13. She has initiated two new IRBMED approved research projects; a high throughput sequencing of germline and tumor DNA from men with early onset metastatic prostate cancer, and a clinical trial led by Dr. R. Eeles in the United Kingdom designed to screen men in HNPCC families for

prostate cancer. She has published over 120 articles and has consistently received funding from the NIH and Department of Defense for her research.

Dr. Cooney has distinguished herself as a nationally and internationally renowned physicianscientist in the field of prostate cancer research, and continues the intent of this professorship. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Kathleen A. Cooney, M.D. as the Frances and Victor Ginsberg Professor of Hematology/Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: William T. Dauer, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Elinor Levine Professor of Dementia Research,

Associate Professor of Neurology, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology,

without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Elinor Levine Professor of Dementia Research.

Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

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 William T. Dauer, M.D. as the Elinor Levine Professor of Dementia Research, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Elinor Levine Professorship in Dementia Research was established in August 2009 through a generous gift from the estate of Elinor Levine. It is intended to support the research efforts of a faculty member in the Department of Neurology whose expertise is focused on diseases of dementia.

Dr. Dauer received his M.D. degree from Washington University in St. Louis in 1990. After a post-doctoral research fellowship at the Massachusetts General Hospital, Dr. Dauer completed an internship in internal medicine at Beth Israel Hospital in Boston and a neurology residency at Columbia University from 1993-1996. He continued his training at that institution with a one-year clinical fellowship in movement disorders, followed by a research fellowship in neurology and behavior during 1997-2001. From 2001-2009, Dr. Dauer was an assistant professor of neurology in pharmacology at Columbia University. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2009 as an associate professor, with tenure, in the Department of Neurology, and as associate professor, without tenure, in the Department of Cell and Developmental Biology.

Dr. Dauer's clinical and research interests focus on understanding the fundamental molecular and cellular mechanisms of neurodegenerative disease, with a specific focus on those that disturb basal ganglia function. He has made seminal discoveries regarding the pathogenesis of Parkinson's disease and DYT1 dystonia. Dr. Dauer's work has been recognized by his receipt of numerous awards, including the Fahn Award for excellence in dystonia research, and the Harold and Golden Lamport Award for excellence in clinical science research. He directs the movement and disorders group in the Department of Neurology, and is in preparation to establish an NIH funded Udall Center at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Dauer's research continues to be substantial, with funding from the NIH, the Bachmann-Strauss Dystonia and Parkinson Foundation, the William J. Matheson Foundation and the Dystonia Medical Research Foundation. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of William T. Dauer, M.D. as the Elinor Levine Professor of Dementia Research in Neurology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

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Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Alan V. Deardorff

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

John W. Sweetland Professor of International Economics, Professor of Economics and Public Policy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Associate Dean, and Professor of Public Policy,

with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Associate Dean, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

EFFECTIVE DATES:

June 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Alan V. Deardorff as associate dean, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, effective June 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015.

Alan V. Deardorff was educated at Stanford (B.S., 1966), and Cornell (M.A., 1969, Ph.D., 1971). He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a lecturer in 1970, was promoted to assistant professor in 1971, to associate professor in 1975, to professor in 1980, and is currently the John W. Sweetland Professor of International Economics.

The associate dean is responsible for organizing the curriculum of the Ford School, and interacts with faculty and students around issues relating to the teaching mission of the School. Professor Deardorff is a long-time faculty member at the Ford School who is respected by his colleagues and his students. He will provide strong and effective leadership in the associate dean position. Furthermore, Professor Deardorff has a strong reputation as one of the world's very top academic scholars in the field of international trade and is a regular participant in academic and policy-related conversations about issues of economic globalization.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Alan V. Deardorff as associate dean, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, effective June 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Susan M. Collins

Joan and Sanford Weill Dean of Public Policy

Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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, 2014 through August 31, 2019

The Law School is pleased to recommend the reappointment of Rebecca S. Eisenberg as the Robert and Barbara Luciano Professor of Law, Law School, for a five-year renewable term effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Robert and Barbara Luciano Professorship in Law was established in May 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*), 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. She has received grants from the Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications program of the Human Genome Project from the U.S. Department of Energy Office of Biological and Environmental Research for her work on private appropriation and public dissemination of DNA sequence information. Professor Eisenberg has also played an active role in public policy debates concerning the role of intellectual property in biopharmaceutical research.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Rebecca S. Eisenberg as the Robert and Barbara Luciano Professor of Law, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

**RECOMMENDED BY:** 

Mark D. West Dean, Law School

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Marie E. Pillal

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

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

CURRENT TITLES: Russell N. DeJong Professor of Neurology, and Professor

of Neurology, with tenure, Medical School

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

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

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, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Russell N. DeJong Professorship in Neurology was established in May 1995 and was 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 her Ph.D. degree, and her M.D. degree in 1979 from the University of Michigan. She completed a residency in neurology at Johns Hopkins in Baltimore 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 an assistant professor of neurology in 1988, and achieved her current rank of professor, with tenure, 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 appointed as the director of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation Center for the Study of Complications in Diabetes. She also serves as the director of the Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) Clinic and the Neuropathy Center at the University of Michigan. In 2007, Dr. Feldman was appointed as one of the inaugural Taubman Scholars. Along with four other U-M researchers, she received unrestricted funding to pursue her research on the causes, treatment and prevention of ALS. Shortly thereafter, Dr. Feldman was appointed as the first director of the A. Alfred Taubman Medical Research Institute 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 continues to exhibit strong leadership and continued productivity. 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, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

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Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Katherine Freese

CURRENT TITLES: George E. Uhlenbeck Collegiate Professor of Physics, and

Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science,

and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: George E. Uhlenbeck Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Katherine Freese as the George E. Uhlenbeck Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The George E. Uhlenbeck Collegiate Professorship in Physics was established in August 2009. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Freese's research in the past few years has focused on identifying the dark matter and dark energy that permeate the universe. She has proposed Dark Stars as actually the first stars to form in the universe and her Natural Inflation model has recently been shown to be one of the very few remaining models for early exponential expansion of the Universe in light of recent detection of gravity waves from the early Universe. Professor Freese is a fellow of the American Physical Society and was awarded an honorary Doctorate in Philosophy by the University of Stockholm. In 2012 she was awarded a fellowship by the Simons Foundation and in 2013 she was invited to present the Carl Friedrich Siemens Lecture at the Nymphenburg Castle in Munich. She regularly gives invited talks and colloquia at conferences and universities worldwide.

Professor Freese is a caring teacher and students continue to give her high evaluation marks, particularly in her cosmology classes. Students in these courses range from freshman nonscientists to physics and astronomy graduate students. She has served on important committees in her department and her international service includes membership on the Advisory Board of the Oskar Klein Center for Cosmo Particle Physics in Stockholm and organization of conferences in Europe and the U.S. She served as associate director or board member of the Michigan Center for Theoretical Physics (MCTP) throughout most of its 13-year existence. She has also organized many MCTP workshops and conferences.

Professor Freese is an outstanding educator and scientist. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Katherine Freese as the George E. Uhlenbeck Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Kirk A. Frey, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: David E. Kuhl Collegiate Professor of Radiology,

Professor of Radiology, with tenure, and Professor of

Neurology, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: David E. Kuhl Collegiate Professor of Radiology,

Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

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 Kirk A. Frey, M.D., Ph.D. as the David E. Kuhl Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The David E. Kuhl Collegiate Professorship in Radiology was established in August 2009 to honor Dr. Kuhl who was a professor of radiology, chief of the Division of Nuclear Medicine and director of the Positron Emission Tomography Center. He is recognized as the creator of single proton emission computer tomography and positron emission tomography. The professorship was made possible through gifts, pledges and departmental resources.

Dr. Frey received his M.D. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1984, and completed a residency in neurology and fellowships in nuclear medicine and neurology here. He was appointed as an assistant professor of internal medicine and assistant professor of neurology in 1989. Dr. Frey has risen through the ranks to professor of radiology, professor of neurology and research professor of molecular and behavioral neuroscience. He holds the position of chief of the Division of Nuclear Medicine, director of the Positron Emission Tomography Center and co-director of the Movement Disorders Clinic and training program director of Nuclear Medicine.

Dr. Frey continues to be a prolific researcher, with over 180 published articles and continuous funding from the NIH and the Department of Energy. His international prominence is evident through numerous awards he has received, including the Kuhl-Lassen Award from the Society of Nuclear Medicine and the Distinguished Investigator Award from the Academy of Radiology Research. Dr. Frey is a member of 10 national societies, and serves on the board of directors for the American Board of Nuclear Medicine and the American Board of American Specialties. He is also an associate editor of *The Journal of Nuclear Medicine*.

Dr. Frey is an innovative, well-funded investigator who is recognized as a leader in his field. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Kirk A. Frey, M.D., Ph.D. as the David E. Kuhl Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

### Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Lorna G. Goodison

CURRENT TITLES: Lemuel A. Johnson Collegiate Professor of English and

Afroamerican and African Studies, Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, and Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, with tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Lorna G. 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Lemuel A. Johnson Collegiate Professorship in English and Afroamerican and African Studies was established in August 2004 and renamed in June 2009. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Goodison has maintained an academic and creative career of prodigious productivity and remarkable importance. She has won international distinction as one of the three most important creative voices writing from the Caribbean diaspora. Her body of work is notable both for its quality and for its spectacular aesthetic accomplishment across a range of genres – poetry, fiction, and memoir. Professor Goodison's poetry has been elevated to canonical status in all the major anthologies, her nonfiction work has earned the important British Columbia Award for Canadian Nonfiction, and her recent book of short fiction (By Love Possessed, 2011) has received extraordinary review. Her remarkable career shows no signs of slowing down; it seems as if she is now doing the best work of her entire career. Professor Goodison's worldwide reputation can be measured at least in part by the distinctions she has garnered from various international organizations. Her remarkable parade of international awards includes the CPPC Jamaican Cultural Medal of Honour for Services to Jamaican Literature (2012) and the Commander of the Order of Distinction, a National Honor conferred by the Government of Jamaica.

Professor Goodison has been an innovative and successful teacher at all levels. She is widely known for her dedication to students, from the athletes in her introductory DAAS courses to the English MFA students in poetry whose creative careers she helps to foster. Overall, student responses to her teaching are favorable and their evaluations put her very near or in the top quartile. Students make frequent reference to Professor Goodison's enthusiasm, compassion, insightfulness, and sense of humor in her engagement with her classes. Deemed "a special teacher" and "by far the best instructor that I have had at this university" by a remarkable number of undergraduate students, she is widely spoken of as a professor whose "emotional response to the poetry" is inspirational and contagious. Graduate students are similarly effusive in their praise. She regularly serves as a thesis reader and advisor for three to five MFA students every year, and has helped some of the most successful writers find their voice and audience.

Professor Goodison is an extraordinary teacher and colleague who has enhanced both of her departments. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Lorna G. 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

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for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME:

Marc B. Hershenson, M.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and Prevention of Cystic Fibrosis, Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure, and Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, without tenure,

Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and

Prevention of Cystic Fibrosis, Medical School

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of Valerie P. Castle, M.D., the Ravitz Foundation Professor and Chair of the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Marc B. Hershenson, M.D. as the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and Prevention of Cystic Fibrosis, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Huetwell Professorship for the Cure and Prevention of Birth Defects was established in October 1995 through a generous gift from the estate of Mr. Huetwell, who was a life-long friend of the University of Michigan. Through this endowment, seven professorships with Mr. Huetwell's name have been established in the Medical School, including the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and Prevention of Cystic Fibrosis.

Dr. Hershenson has had an exceedingly productive career, publishing 129 articles, and serving as the director of the Division of Pediatric Pulmonology. Throughout his tenure as the holder of the Huetwell Professorship, he has been awarded over \$8,200,000 in grant funding. Dr. Hershenson has made significant scientific discoveries regarding rhinovirus-induced exacerbations of asthma and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease. He is now examining the potential role of early life viral infections in the origin of asthma. Dr. Hershenson is also studying the role of mesenchymal progenitor cells and matricellular proteins such as periostin in the development of bronchopulmonary dysplasia and asthma.

Dr. Hershenson continues to make outstanding contributions to both the Department of Pediatrics and the University of Michigan. His commitment to scientific research, patient care and education distinguishes him among his peers. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Marc B. Hershenson, M.D. as the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor for the Cure and Prevention of Cystic Fibrosis, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: James R. Hines, Jr.

CURRENT TITLES: Richard A. Musgrave Collegiate Professor of Economics,

Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professor of Law, Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School, and Professor of Business Economics, without tenure, Stephen M. Ross School

of Business

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

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

The Law School is pleased to recommend the reappointment of James R. Hines, Jr. as the L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professorship was established in the Law School in March 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 he was a visiting assistant professor at the John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, and in 1992-1997 he 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 has served on many important editorial boards including as 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*. He is a leading scholar on the economics of taxation and has been an important figure in shaping contemporary tax policy.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of James R. Hines, Jr. as the L. Hart Wright Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1. 2014 through August 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Mark D. West

Dean, Law School

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Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor,

Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Alison Davis-Blake

Edward J. Frey Dean of Business

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July 2014

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Andrew J. Hoffman

CURRENT TITLES: Holcim (US), Inc. Professor of Sustainable Enterprise, Professor of

Management and Organizations, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and

Environment

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Holcim (US), Inc. Professor of Sustainable Enterprise, Stephen M.

Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Andrew J. Hoffman as the Holcim (US), Inc. Professor of Sustainable Enterprise, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Holcim (US), Inc. Professorship in Sustainable Enterprise was established in April 2003 as a result of a commitment from Holnam, Inc., to forge interdisciplinary links between a professional school of business, a school of natural resource management, and the corporate community, serving a critical national and global need. This professorship is held jointly between the Stephen M. Ross School of Business and the School of Natural Resources and Environment to be held by a faculty member trained in a combination of environmental science, technology and business with applied experience in areas such as business strategy, technological change, or research and development.

Andrew Hoffman earned a bachelor of science in chemical engineering at the University of Massachusetts in 1983, a master of science in civil and environmental engineering at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1991 and a PhD from the Sloan School of Management and the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering in 1995. After a two-year post-doctoral position in the Kellogg School of Management at Northwestern University, he served as an assistant professor and then an associate professor in the School of Management at Boston University from 1997 to 2004. He came to the University of Michigan as an associate professor in the School of Natural Resources and Environment and the Stephen M. Ross School of Business in 2004. He was promoted to professor of natural resources and environment in 2009 and to professor of management and organizations in 2010.

Professor Hoffman is a scholar in organizational behavior with interests that center on the role of business in environmental sustainability. He has published 12 books and many research papers on a wide range of sustainability issues including climate change, pollution remediation, fracking, green building, and endangered species. In keeping with his social science perspective, he has focused on how cultural framing of environmental and social initiatives impacts their success. Consistent with his business orientation, much of his writing focuses on strategy and practices of private industry relative to environmental issues.

In addition to being a widely published and highly visible academic researcher, Professor Hoffman is consciously a public scholar. He writes regularly in outlets aimed at management professionals and many of his books are oriented toward practice rather than research. This practice-oriented scholarship complements his academic research by keeping him grounded in issues of importance to business and society. It also serves to translate his research and that of others into forms useful for industry and policy leaders. Because relatively few academicians are effective at technology transfer, Professor Hoffman is particularly valuable to the University of Michigan in this public scholar role.

Professor Hoffman is an innovative and effective teacher. He offers popular and well-reviewed courses on competitive environmental strategy and on green construction. He actively engages students in writing cases to illustrate important issues in the sustainability space and has published many of these in the GlobalLens case series, where they have been adopted by a number of other business schools.

Finally, Professor Hoffman has been a dedicated and effective director of the Erb Institute for Global Sustainable Enterprise. Under his leadership, the institute has initiated student research programs, has sponsored major environmental conferences, has developed a program under which the best student thesis is published as a book, has instituted a highly visible blog and Twitter feed, and has undertaken many other innovative steps to enhance sustainability education at the University of Michigan.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Andrew J. Hoffman as the Holcim (US), Inc. Professor of Sustainable Enterprise, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Alison Davis-Blake

Edward J. Frey Dean of Business Stephen M. Ross School of Business

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Marie Lynn Miranda, Ph.D.

Professor and Samuel A. Graham Dean

School of Natural Resources and Environment

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic

Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Ronald F. Inglehart

CURRENT TITLES: Amy and Alan Lowenstein Professor of Democracy,

Democratization, and Human Rights, and Professor of

Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science,

and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Amy and Alan Lowenstein Professor of Democracy,

Democratization, and Human Rights, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Political Science, and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ronald F. Inglehart as the Amy and Alan Lowenstein Professor of Democracy, Democratization, and Human Rights, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year term renewable, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

As a result of a generous gift from Alan Lowenstein, the Amy and Alan Lowenstein Professorship in Democracy, Democratization, and Human Rights in the Department of Political Science was established by the Regents in September 2001.

Professor Inglehart helped found the Euro-Barometer surveys and directs the World Values Survey, which has surveyed representative national samples of the publics of over 100 countries containing almost 90 percent of the world's population. His research deals with changing belief systems and their influence on social and political change. He has always been extremely prolific and in the last five years he has published one new book, edited another, and produced a second, expanded edition of another book. In addition, he has published twenty journal articles and book chapters, and is currently working on a book project on cultural evolution. For his research, he has received numerous awards and honors. In 2010, he was awarded a significant grant from the Russian Ministry of Education and Science to found the Laboratory for Comparative Social Research at Higher School of Economics in Moscow and St. Petersburg. This grant funded the World Values Surveys in Russia and eight former-Soviet countries. In 2013, he was awarded a second significant grant to continue the activities of the Laboratory for Comparative Social Research. Professor Inglehart has received two honorary degrees — one from the Free University of Brussels, Belgium, and the other from Leuphana University, Lueneburg, Germany. In 2009, he was elected fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and in

2011 he was awarded the Johan Skytte Prize for outstanding research in political science, which is probably the highest worldwide honor that a political scientist can receive.

Over the last five years, Professor Inglehart has regularly taught two undergraduate courses and two graduate courses in the Department of Political Science. Two of these courses (one undergraduate and one graduate) are introductory courses, which means that the students taking these classes had the good fortunate of being introduced to the subfield of comparative politics by one of the most accomplished social scientists in the world.

Professor Inglehart has been an excellent provider of service to the department and the profession. Since 2009, he has served on numerous departmental committees. For the discipline, he serves on the editorial boards of eight scholarly journals and is director of Laboratory for Comparative Social Research, Higher School of Economics, Moscow and St. Petersburg.

Professor Inglehart is a prominent scholar who teaches important courses and contribute in many significant ways. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ronald F. Inglehart as the Amy and Alan Lowenstein Professor of Democracy, Democratization, and Human Rights, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year term renewable, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

John Jonides

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Edward E. Smith Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience, and Professor of Psychology, with tenure,

College of the second of respectively, with tent

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Edward E. Smith Collegiate Professor of Psychology and

Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the Department of Psychology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of John Jonides as the Edward E. Smith Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Edward E. Smith Collegiate Professorship in Psychology and Neuroscience was established by the Regents in January 2013. A stipend funded from college resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Jonides' current research is concerned with the psychological and neural processes that underlie short-term memory. His lab has concentrated especially on those processes that allow us to control our cognitive lives, which includes processes such as being able to inhibit inappropriate thoughts and behaviors. It is this focus that has allowed him to move into more translational directions in the past ten years, and these have proven quite productive. The initial move to translational research concerned Major Depressive Disorder. The main issue was how rumination among depressed individuals could be characterized both psychologically and neurally, and how remediation of rumination might be accomplished given what we know about its underlying mechanisms. This project was active for approximately seven years and resulted in a large number of publications – it is now largely complete. The second project is concerned with willpower: How does the ability to delay gratification early in life express itself in later life behaviors and in brain mechanisms of self-control? The third project is concerned with how training in cognitive control and short-term memory might lead to improved performance on tests of higher cognitive processes, most notably fluid intelligence. The fourth is an investigation of how cognitive control varies as a function of body weight. This past year, Professor Jonides worked with a graduate student to begin a project concerned with cognitive control deficits in Attention Deficit Disorder. He currently has two pending grants that will be used to continue

this work. In collaboration with a colleague, Professor Jonides is preparing an application to expand this work into an examination of cognitive control as a function of social media usage.

During this period, Professor Jonides had 60 publications and five externally funded grants, of which four are still active. His publications total over 200, his citation count is excellent, and his H-index is very strong. His laboratory now includes two full-time and two part-time graduate students. He also had a steady stream of undergraduate students working in the lab, all of whom have gone on to graduate or professional school. He has taught undergraduate and graduate classes – all of which have been very well-received by the students as indicated by their course ratings.

Professor Jonides has continued to make excellent progress in his research. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of John Jonides as the Edward E. Smith Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

E. Holled

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: George W. Kling II

CURRENT TITLES: Robert G. Wetzel Collegiate Professor of Ecology and

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

TITLE BEING RENEWED: 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Robert G. Wetzel Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology was established by the Regents in June 2009. A stipend funded from college resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Kling is one of the truly stellar faculty members of this university and brings great luster to our international reputation in ecology. He holds a unique niche by combining exceptional scholarly achievements in basic research with dedication to applying his expertise to problems of great importance to human society and with tireless efforts to communicate science to the public and to policy makers. His research area is in biogeochemistry (the study of energy transfers and element cycles in ecosystems) with a focus on lakes and land-water interactions. In particular, his innovative ideas about applying the processes controlling the movement of nutrients and carbon through soils, streams, and lakes have pointed the way to analyzing impacts of climate change and human change on the ecology of large systems up to whole river basins. Over the last five years, Professor Kling has continued his remarkable trajectory of scholarship. Since 2009, he has published 21 papers in the top journals in his field. His work is highly respected not only by his peers but also by the general public. For example, his paper in *PNAS* last year was featured on the University of Michigan gateway.

Professor Kling's teaching continues to be of the highest quality. He is also well known for mentoring undergraduate and graduate students to become leaders in their own right. He insists on great rigor while making sure that all students have the resources to succeed, including as much of his time as they need. He was one of the core groups of faculty who established the set

of university courses on global change, which is now a minor housed in the Program in the Environment. This involved obtaining substantial funding from both the National Science Foundation and the Hewlett Foundation, as well as ongoing intense interactions with coinstructors in the courses to ensure continuing integration. With Howard Hughes Foundation funding, he also set up a new, intense laboratory curriculum for the limnology (freshwater lakes) course that was project-focused rather than a series of cookbook-type labs. Over the last five years, he has supervised five undergraduate research students, chaired three master's student committees, served on two other master's student committees, chaired two Ph.D. student committees, and served on three Ph.D. student committees.

Professor Kling is a stellar scientist and a wonderful teacher and colleague. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

E. Helley

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Thomas Peyton Lyon

CURRENT TITLES: Dow Professor of Sustainable Science, Technology and

Commerce, Professor of Business Economics, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, without tenure, School of Natural

Resources and Environment

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Dow Professor of Sustainable Science, Technology and

Commerce, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Thomas Peyton Lyon as the Dow Professor of Sustainable Science, Technology and Commerce, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Dow Professorship in Sustainable Science, Technology and Commerce was established in September 2002 by the Dow Chemical Company and is held jointly between the Stephen M. Ross School of Business and the School of Natural Resources and Environment. This professorship is intended to be held by a faculty member who is trained in a combination of environmental science, technology and business and who has applied experience in areas of business strategy, technological change and research and development.

Professor Lyon was first appointed to the Dow Professorship in 2004. He received his B.S.E. from Princeton University in civil engineering in 1981 and his M.S. from Stanford University in engineering-economic systems in 1984. Professor Lyon then received his Ph.D. in engineering-economic systems in 1989 from Stanford University. He joined the Ross School and the School of Natural Resources and Environment in 2004.

Professor Lyon is an industrial organization economist whose work focuses on firm decisions and the government policies that affect these decisions, in particular in the area of environmental policy. He is an outstanding economist in the area of government regulation, specifically, environmental regulation. He maintains a national reputation in his research, teaching abilities and leadership talents.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Thomas Peyton Lyon as the Dow Professor of Sustainable Science, Technology and Commerce, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Alison Davis-Blake

Edward J. Frey Dean of Business Stephen M. Ross School of Business

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Martha E. Pollack, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic

Affairs

Marie Lynn Miranda, Ph.D.

Professor and Samuel A. Graham Dean

School of Natural Resources and Environment

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: W. Joseph McCune, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Michael H. and Marcia S. Klein Professor of Rheumatic

Diseases, and Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure,

Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Michael H. and Marcia S. Klein Professor of Rheumatic

Diseases, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of W. Joseph McCune, M.D. as the Michael H. and Marcia S. Klein Professor of Rheumatic Diseases, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Michael H. and Marcia S. Klein Professorship in Rheumatic Diseases was established in January 2009 through funding from the Michael and Marcia Klein Research Fund and is intended to support research in rheumatoid arthritis and lupus.

Dr. McCune received his M.D. degree from the University of Cincinnati in 1975. He completed an internship and residency in internal medicine at the University of Michigan, followed by a research fellowship in rheumatology and a clinical fellowship in internal medicine, both at the Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston. Dr. McCune joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor of internal medicine in 1981, and rose through the ranks to his current rank of professor in the Department of Internal Medicine, with tenure in 1999.

Dr. McCune has utilized the resources from the Klein Professorship to sustain the infrastructure for clinical and translational lupus research. This includes the Lupus Clinical Trials Group, the Michigan Lupus Cohort and the Michigan Lupus Cardiovascular Cohort. This research has led to the publication of more than 50 peer-reviewed articles. Dr. McCune has an impressive track record of sustained extramural funding, including NIH R01 grants. He completed a six-year term on the Rheumatology examination committee of the American Board of Internal Medicine, and will be continuing on a related committee focused on testing for recently acquired knowledge.

Dr. McCune's illustrious career shows him to be an outstanding physician scientist in the field of translational lupus research, and promises to continue to be a leader in this field. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of W. Joseph McCune, M.D. as the Michael H. and Marcia S. Klein Professor of Rheumatic Diseases, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Mark E. Meyerhoff

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Philip J. Elving Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the

Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Philip J. Elving Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES:

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Chemistry and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark E. Meyerhoff as the Philip J. Elving Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Philip J. Elving Collegiate Professorship in Chemistry was established by the Regents in July 2004. A stipend funded from college resources accompanies this professorship.

Since the renewal of his appointment as the Philip J. Elving Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, Professor Meyerhoff continues to make important scholarly contributions in research in the areas of chemical sensors, novel nitric oxide (NO) releasing biomaterials, and new binding assay methods. During the past five years, his group published nearly 50 research papers on these and other topics. Further, he has been able to maintain significant external funding by renewing three of his own National Institutes of Health R01 grants and receiving several new industrial/SBIR grants in addition to a major Helmsley Foundation grant to develop more biocompatible implantable electrochemical glucose sensors. Disclosures and patents have been filed for a number of discoveries/advances, and collaboration/licensing with several local companies (EyeLab, Michigan Critical Care Consultants, Biocrede) has resulted in research funding to his laboratory via successful SBIR/STTR grants. Additionally, a new research collaboration with doctors at the Medical School regarding novel chemical methods to enhance nitric oxide levels within sinus cavities of humans as a means to treat/prevent sinusitis has yielded very promising albeit unpublished results using human cell culture. A new company has just been formed (NOTA Laboratories) to pursue potential commercialization of this very exciting technology.

Professor Meyerhoff conceived the idea and ultimately developed and implemented the entire curricula for two completely new undergraduate analytical chemistry courses — Biomedical Analytical Chemistry lecture and laboratory. These courses were designed initially as a

chemistry sequence for non-chemistry pre-health majors, emphasizing the principles of clinical chemistry (i.e., measurements of biomedically important species in blood, urine, etc.). Professor Meyerhoff taught both courses during winter 2011, twice again in fall 2011 and 2012, and by another professor in fall 2013 with enrollment increasing steadily to nearly 50 students. These courses have been very well received and are taken primarily by neuroscience, biology, microbiology, psychology, and bioscience majors who are generally on the pre-med track. At the graduate level, Professor Meyerhoff's most important contribution has been the continued mentoring of Ph.D. students and post-doctoral scholars in his research laboratory. Over the past five years, ten new Ph.D. students have completed their dissertation research under his direction (now totaling 60) and eight post-doctoral scholars have trained with him during this period, with most of these trainees going on to academic positions in the U.S. and around the world.

Professor Meyerhoff served as acting chair of chemistry (2009-2010) and during that period he helped recruit six new assistant professors to the department and retain one faculty member. He has served on the departmental Graduate, Development, Fajans Award, and Faculty Search committees. At the university level, he served on the Biointerfaces Institute Planning Committee and the UM Public/Private Partnership Committee.

Professor Meyerhoff has excelled in research, teaching, and service. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark E. Meyerhoff as the Philip J. Elving Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

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, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

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 fiveyear renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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.

John Mitani is a biological anthropologist whose specialty in the social behavior of nonhuman primates, especially chimpanzees, has made him a very prominent and influential figure in primate studies. He has conducted field observations of wild chimpanzees in Uganda regularly since 1995, building up a long term acquaintance with the particular chimp societies in Kibale National Park and thus gaining an extraordinary depth of knowledge about these animals' social life. While his early work focused mainly on chimpanzee vocalizations and other forms of communication, his work in recent years has explored such topics as male bonding, territoriality, aggression, reciprocal exchange, and the relationship between kinship and cooperation. This work has been central in revealing many aspects of their aggressive as well as their cooperative behavior. In the last five years, Professor Mitani has continued to publish at a high rate, producing over 30 papers and book chapters, sixteen of which are articles in peer-reviewed journals. He is first author on seven of those articles. In addition to this, Professor Mitani is coeditor of numerous proceedings volumes. The journals in which he publishes are important venues in his field and related fields and include Animal Behaviour, Current Biology, the Journal of Human Evolution, PNAS, and others.

Professor Mitani continues to be a very successful teacher. His undergraduate classes always draw very large enrollments and earn high marks from students. He works with multiple undergraduate students as an advisor, research supervisor, or honors thesis reader/advisor. He is also serving as chair for five dissertation committees and is a member of six more. Professor Mitani's service contributions in the department, the college, the university, and to his discipline have been substantial. He served as Anthropology's associate chair and as director of undergraduate education, spearheading major improvements in the undergraduate major. He has served on multiple promotion and review committees, and as a mentor to multiple junior faculty in anthropology and other related units in the college. His colleagues recently reelected him to serve as subfield head for biological anthropology. At the college and university levels, he has served on important committees and nationally he has served as editor, assistant editor, or on the editorial board for multiple peer review journals.

Professor Mitani has had a very strong record of research, teaching, and scholarship. 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

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Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Malla

Provost and Executive Vice President

Recommendation endorsed by:

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Michael R. Moore

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Associate Dean for Research, and Professor of Environmental

Economics, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Associate Dean for Research, School of Natural Resources and

Environment

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Natural Resources and Environment are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Michael R. Moore as associate dean for research, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015.

Professor Moore earned his Bachelor of Arts degree in economics from the University of Colorado in 1977. He earned his Doctorate degree in natural resource economics from the University of Michigan in 1986. Professor Moore began his career with the Economic Research Service within the U.S. Department of Agriculture in 1986 as a natural resource economist. He continued his career with the Economic Research Service holding several different positions including acting branch chief through 1995. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1996 as an associate professor. He was promoted in 2007 to professor of environmental economics.

Professor Moore's teaching interests are in natural resource economics, environmental economics, and economics of river restoration. His research includes analysis of federal water policy and water allocation conflicts between environmental and consumptive uses of river systems; economic aspects of biodiversity and species conservation; and economics of environmental markets, including markets for green products and markets for pollution permits.

Professor Moore's service activities consist of significant responsibilities within the profession of environmental and resource economics. In addition, he has held various committee assignments within the School of Natural Resources and Environment as well as the University of Michigan. He continues an active role in maintaining relationships with the Department of Economics at the University of Michigan and with client or partner organizations involving his research. His service as associate dean for research has been exemplary, with Professor Moore taking the lead on several key initiatives within the school.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Michael R. Moore as associate dean for research, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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Marie Lynn Miranda, Ph.1

Samuel A. Graham Dean

School of Natural Resources and Environment

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Julia E. Richards, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Harold F. Falls Collegiate Professor of Ophthalmology and

Visual Sciences, Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, with tenure, Medical School, and Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Harold F. Falls Collegiate Professor of Ophthalmology and

Visual Sciences, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of Paul P. Lee, M.D., J.D., the F. Bruce Fralick Professor and Chair of the Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Julia E. Richards, Ph.D. as the Harold F. Falls Collegiate Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Harold F. Falls Collegiate Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences was established in August 2002 to honor Dr. Harold Falls who was an early and significant contributor to the field of medical genetics. This professorship was established by family, friends, and colleagues to ensure that Dr. Falls' commitment to ophthalmic genetic research and educational endeavors would continue in perpetuity.

Dr. Richards joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1989, as an assistant professor of epidemiology and an assistant research scientist in ophthalmology and visual sciences. She rose through the ranks to professor of ophthalmology and visual sciences, with tenure, and to professor of epidemiology, without tenure, in 2007. In 2013, Dr. Richards was one of ten winners of the National Eye Institute Audacious Goals competition for research, and is working to add investigations into delaying aging as well as continuing her work in genetics. She is a great contributor within the Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, in her roles as associate director of the Molecular Biology and Microarray Core Module and as chair of the Ophthalmology Electronic Medical Records Interface Committee.

Dr. Richards continues to be an internationally recognized investigator and a gifted teacher and mentor. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Julia E. Richards, Ph.D. as the Harold F. Falls Collegiate Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

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

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Martin A. Philbert

Dean, School of Public Health

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Martin F. Sarter

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Charles M. Butter Collegiate Professor of Psychology, and Professor of Psychology with tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Charles M. Butter Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES:

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Psychology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Martin F. Sarter as the Charles M. Butter Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Charles M. Butter Collegiate Professorship in Psychology was established by the Regents in July 2004. A stipend funded from college resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Sarter's current research investigates the regulation and function of forebrain circuits mediating attentional processes and capacities. His work ranges from experiments employing molecular, cellular, and genetic approaches to investigate the regulation and function of major forebrain circuits in animals to studies in humans using genetic, neuropsychological, and neuroimaging techniques. Since 2009, he has published or has in press over 35 peer-reviewed publication and nine book chapters. He has given 40 keynotes, invited talks, or colloquia, and with his students has made 68 presentations at national or international conferences. The impact of his research is indicated by high citation numbers and a very strong h-index. While his laboratory has had a long-standing interest in the treatment of the cognitive symptoms of schizophrenic patients, attention has now turned to translational issues as diverse as fall propensity of patients with Parkinson's disease and addiction vulnerability. In 2010, Professor Sarter was an elected member of American College of Neuropsychopharmacology (ACNP) and in 2012 he received a James McKeen Cattell Fellowship from the Association for Psychological Science (APS). He has given numerous talks at universities, symposia and conferences.

Professor Sarter is currently supervising or co-supervising four graduate students, three post-doctoral students, and has over fifteen undergraduate students receiving research training in his laboratory. During the last five years, prior students and post-doctoral scholars have moved into new positions at Duke University, Boston University, the Institute of Genetics and Biophysics,

Naples, Italy, and Pfizer. Prior undergraduate students now attend either medical school or neuroscience graduate programs at Stanford University, University of Pennsylvania, and Duke University.

Professor Sarter has served and is serving as chair of the Biopsychology area (2008-2012, 2013-2015). He twice served as a member of the departmental Augmented Executive Committee and on various search and admission committees. At the university level, he successfully competed for an Interdisciplinary Junior Faculty Initiative position (Genes, Environment, and Behavior), and this funded five new faculty positions across five departments. Currently he is serving as a subject matter expert (SME) for the Mentored Research Academy of the University of Michigan Medical School and on the Neuroscience Graduate Program (NGP) Recruitment and Admissions Committee. Professor Sarter is currently in his sixth (and final) term as co-editor in chief for the *European Journal of Neuroscience* (EJN). In the last five years, he has served on five National Institutes of Health study sections. In 2012, he completed a ten-year membership on the National Scientific Advisory Committee of the American Federation for Aging Research. Currently he is an elected member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the International Society for Monitoring Molecules in Neuroscience, and a member of the Public Information Committee of the American College of Neuropsychopharmacology.

Professor Sarter has been extraordinarily productive in research activities and actively involved in teaching and service. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Martin F. Sarter as the Charles M. Butter Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

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for Academic Affairs

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, 2014 through August 31, 2019

The Law School is pleased to recommend the reappointment of Carl E. Schneider as the Chauncey Stillman Professor for Ethics, Morality, and the Practice of Law, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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 regulation of notice to consumers had great theoretical and practical significance.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Carl E. Schneider as the Chauncey Stillman Professor for Ethics, Morality, and the Practice of Law, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

#### RECOMMENDED BY:

Mark D. West

Dean, Law School

Nippon Life Professor of Law

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll, Professor of Medicine

July 2014

#### RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Elizabeth L. Sears

CURRENT TITLES:

George H. Forsyth, Jr. Collegiate Professor of the History of Art,

and Professor of History of Art, with tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

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, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of the History of Art and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The George H. Forsyth, Jr. Collegiate Professorship in the History of Art was established by the Regents in June 2009. A stipend funded from college resources accompanies this professorship.

In the last five years, Professor Sears has been impressively active and increasingly prominent in her field. She has won significant awards, including two in 2010 – a Guggenheim Fellowship and a Paul Mellon Senior Fellowship at the Center for Advanced Study in the Visual Arts (Washington, DC). This year she is a faculty fellow at the Institute for the Humanities. Professor Sears recently spent considerable time in twenty or so archives in Europe and America doing research for a major book, tentatively titled Warburg Circles, 1929-1964: Cultural Study in an Unquiet Time. She is now engaged in writing what will be the first comprehensive treatment of an intellectual movement emanating from Hamburg that had a determining effect on the interdisciplinary study of art and images in the mid-twentieth century. Since becoming a collegiate professor, she has she has published six articles on aspects of her research, including a widely read study for *Art Bulletin* (the flagship journal of the discipline) entitled "An Émigré Art Historian and America: H. W. Janson." Two more will be published in the coming year. She has also delivered sixteen talks, including invited lectures in Italy, England, and America; at specialist conferences and study days; and disciplinary conferences.

Professor Sears' teaching has ranged from First Year Seminars to graduate seminars, and her 300-level courses (two per year) have been filled with students whose evaluations have been in the upper quartile. She has been an active and effective mentor for graduate students; she is

currently chairing two dissertation committees and sits on six others. Professor Sears has also been a conscientious member of a range of committees, including chairing the South Asian Search Committee and serving as director of graduate studies when a colleague was taken ill. Beyond the university she is an active member of the medieval art history community, frequently contributing evaluations to promotion cases (from two to six per year). She is also serving a second three-year term as head of the Publication Committee of the International Center of Medieval Art.

Professor Sears is an award-winning scholar, an excellent teacher, and a caring citizen. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Matthew D. Shapiro

CURRENT TITLES: Lawrence R. Klein Collegiate Professor of Economics, and

Professor of Economics, with tenure, 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, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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 is a world-renowned expert in macroeconomics. Over the course of his career, he has worked on many topics, including consumption, investment, productivity, labor markets, finance, time series econometrics, fiscal policy, monetary policy, and economic statistics. His work employs theoretical modeling and econometric analysis as well as survey methods and, most recently, scraping of social media data. Much of Professor Shapiro's research in the last few years has focused on analyzing the changes in tax policy under the Bush administration. Much of the work is collaborative – in addition to economists, the projects engage psychologists, survey methodologists, and computer scientists. This research is supported by large grants from the National Institute on Aging, the National Science Foundation, and the Sloan Foundation. These grants provide for the support of a number of graduate students. In addition to research at Michigan, Professor Shapiro is working with researchers at New York University, University of California at Berkeley, Stanford University, and the financial services companies.

After completing his term as chair of the Department of Economics (2003-2007), Professor Shapiro volunteered to teach a large-scale undergraduate lecture courses in macroeconomics. In the 2007 fall term, he taught Intermediate Macroeconomics in a lecture with approximately 340 students. He also taught the weekly discussion section for the honor program students. In his lectures he strove to bring current events into the classroom, and given his close connections with those formulating policy in Washington, he was able to give his students a front-row seat to economic policymaking in action. Most recently he has concentrated on teaching in the Ph.D.

sequence in macroeconomics. Professor Shapiro is also a very active dissertation advisor. He has been a member of thirteen dissertation committees in the last five years. He has been an advisor to star students as well as his share of solid, middle-of-the-field students. In addition, he has been a dedicated mentor to assistant professors, carefully reading carefully their papers and offering advice.

In addition to serving as chair of the department, Professor Shapiro has done an extraordinary amount of service. He has regularly been elected to the executive committee and been an invaluable source of advice and counsel to the current chair. Inside the university and in the wider community, Professor Shapiro has a high profile of professional and public service.

Professor Shapiro has a high scholarly profile and high level of productivity in the field of macroeconomics. He makes critical contributions to the teaching mission and can be counted on for exemplary service to the department and college. 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

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for Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Edward A. Silver

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

William A. Brownell Collegiate Professor of Education, Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education, and Professor of Mathematics, without tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

William A. Brownell Collegiate Professor of Education, School

of Education

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Education, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Edward A. Silver as the William A. Brownell Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, for a five-year renewable term, effective December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2019.

The William A. Brownell Collegiate Professorship in Education was established in November 2004. William A. Brownell was a professor of education at Duke from 1930 to 1949 and chair of the Department of Education and dean at the University of California, Berkeley from 1950 to 1961. His research centered on human learning with particular reference to arithmetic. His work presaged and gave systematic substance to what has more recently become known as cognitive learning though he characterized his point of view as the "meaning theory." In developing it, he laid the foundation for the emergence of what was to be known as the "new mathematics." He showed that comprehension, not sheer repetition, is primarily the basis for children's mathematical learning. He was not only interested in theory and research but he actively applied these principles to mathematical education. During a time when it was popular to leave arithmetic in grades one and two to incidental teaching, he insisted on systematic instruction. As dean at Berkeley, he carried forward his interests in research and gave personal attention to the quality of research by doctoral candidates. A stipend funded from school resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Silver received his bachelor of arts degree, *magna cum laude*, from Iona College in 1970. He attended Columbia University where he received his master of arts degree in 1973, master of science degree in 1977, and doctor of philosophy degree in 1977. Professor Silver began his career as a middle school teacher of mathematics and science at Angela Merici School in New York in 1971. In 1974 he joined the faculty at LaGuardia Community College as an

adjunct instructor and was a high school physical science teacher during this same period. In 1977 he became an assistant professor at Northern Illinois University. In 1979 he moved to San Diego State University where he was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1984. In 1985 he became the director of the Center for Research in Mathematics and Science Education. In 1987 he moved to the University of Pittsburgh. He joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in 2000 as a professor. From July 2010 to June 2013, Professor Silver served as dean of the School of Education at the University of Michigan-Dearborn and from July 2013 to December 2013 he served as interim dean of the College of Education, Health, and Human Services at the University of Michigan-Dearborn.

Professor Silver is a distinguished mathematics educator. His work continues to be located primarily within the subfield of mathematics education, pursuing two already-established lines of scholarship: (a) studying the design and use of instructional tasks, materials, and activities intended to engage students in mathematical thinking and problem solving; and (b) designing and using innovative methods to enhance the knowledge and proficiency of teachers of mathematics. In addition, he has opened two new lines of scholarship that he intends to pursue with vigor in the next several years: (a) probing the interface between educational scholarship and educational practice; and (b) examining the treatment of formative assessment in the practice of mathematics teacher educators and professional development specialists.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Edward A. Silver as the William A. Brownell Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, for a five-year renewable term, effective December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Deborah Loewenberg Ball

William H. Payne Collegiate Professor of Education, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,

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and Dean, School of Education

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor,

Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Karen E. Smith

CURRENT TITLES: M.S. Keeler II Professor of Mathematics, and Professor of Mathematics,

with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: M.S. Keeler II Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science,

and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Mathematics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Karen E. Smith as the M. S. Keeler II Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2014.

The M.S. Keeler II Professorship in Mathematics was established by the Regents in November 1996 as a result of a generous gift from Miner S. and Mary Ann Keeler II.

Professor Smith's research lies at the interface of commutative algebra and algebraic geometry. She is currently working on problems connected with cluster algebras, which is a new area for her, as well as continuing her work in birational geometry and applications of the Frobenius endomorphism throughout algebraic geometry. She is the principle investigator on an individual five-year National Science Foundation grant and on the Research Training Grant (TRG) in algebraic geometry. She has been mentoring and collaborating with several of post-doctoral assistant professors. She has also had six Ph.D. students complete their degrees since 2010 and current has one more. Her most recent teaching evaluations are in the upper quartile with two perfect ratings in courses intended for undergraduate students. Professor Smith supervised two undergraduate students in REU programs last summer. In addition, Professor Smith has done outstanding service as chair of the doctoral committee for the last three years, as well as in her role of director of the Algebraic Geometry RTG. She has done substantial external service, including serving as an editor of Advances in Mathematics.

Professor Smith continues to be an outstanding researcher, teacher, mentor, and colleague. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Karen E. Smith as the M. S. Keeler II Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: George P. Steinmetz

CURRENT TITLES: Charles H. Tilly Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Germanic

Languages and Literatures, Professor of Sociology, with tenure, and Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures, with

tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Charles H. Tilly Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Germanic

Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and

the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of George P. Steinmetz as the Charles H. Tilly Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Germanic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Charles H. Tilly Collegiate Professorship in Sociology and Germanic Languages and Literatures was established in August 2009. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Steinmetz has been highly productive in scholarship, teaching, and service in the past five years. He has cemented his status as one of America's leading comparative historical sociologist while also becoming the leading American sociologist in incorporating critical realism into the discipline.

Since 2010 Professor Steinmetz has combined his two former research foci (colonial history and social science epistemology) into a single project that concerns social science in imperial settings. More precisely, he has been working on a major comparative historical study of sociological research in the British and French empires, Nazi Germany, and in the United States. His current book project, which he aspires to complete in 2015, is a comparison of British and French colonial sociology between the 1940s and the 1960s. He has published a series of articles from this project in history and social science journals, and has published on American and German imperial sociology in venues ranging from *Ab Imperio* to *Actes de la recherche en sciences sociales*. In a second line of research he is continuing to develop an approach to social science that he calls historical critical-realist socioanalysis. In addition to various commentaries on critical realism, he has been involved in organizing a series of conferences and mini-courses

on critical realism in the U.S. starting in 2013. Professor Steinmetz is frequently invited to conferences on comparative colonial history and these often give rise to chapters in edited volumes.

Professor Steinmetz has developed three new courses during the past five years and students have received these courses very positively. Enrollments went up the second time he taught the course entitled "Marxism and Sociology." He also created a workshop in social theory in the Department of Sociology, which has been successfully running on an approximately bi-weekly basis since 2010. It provides a venue for graduate students to present work in progress and a venue where they can interact with students and faculty in sociology and philosophy from Michigan and farther afield. He has developed a new syllabus called "Metatheory, Theory, and the Practice of Sociology," which systematically walks students through the main issues in the philosophy of social science and connects these issues directly to empirical social research. He has supervised between seven and twelve sociology Ph.D. candidates on average during the past five years.

Since 2010 Professor Steinmetz's service to the university, department, and discipline has taken various forms. He has served on important university and college committees, and participated in various departmental and promotion committees. Until 2012, he edited a book series with Duke University Press, which published books by sociologists and others. Since 2010 he has joined the editorial boards of six journals and helped create a new journal, which is getting off the ground in 2014. He is regularly invited to participate in evaluations of doctoral theses, departments, programs, and universities around the world.

Professor Steinmetz is a highly accomplished scholar, who has contributed greatly to the development of graduate and undergraduate students in the past five years. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of George P. Steinmetz as the Charles H. Tilly Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Germanic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Ben A. van der Pluijm

CURRENT TITLES: Bruce R. Clark Collegiate Professor of Geology, Professor of

Earth and Environmental Sciences, with tenure, and Professor of the Environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science,

and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Bruce R. Clark Collegiate Professor of Geology, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Bruce R. Clark Collegiate Professorship in Geology was established in June 2009. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor van der Pluijm's research area is tectonics and structural geology, dealing with the deformation of Earth's lithosphere on scales ranging from microscope to continent. He uses laboratory methods that include X-ray analysis, electron microscopy, geochronology, and rock magnetism. Current topics are seismic faulting, lithospheric architecture, and orogenic evolution. He has had eleven active research grants over the past five years with total funding of \$1.85M. He has published 31 peer-reviewed research articles in very high quality journals, including *Earth and Planetary Science Letters*, *Geology*, and *Nature Geoscience*. Professor van der Pluijm's work has been well cited in Web of Science and in Google Scholar. He has hosted three post-doctoral fellows and several collaborating scientists in his laboratory.

Since 2009 Professor van der Pluijm has offered five courses – three at the introductory level and two at earth majors level. Student evaluations have been in the upper quartile. He has consistently been ranked by the department as one of its best instructors and he continues to innovatively use information technology in the classroom.

In the 2011-2012 academic year, Professor van der Pluijm held a one year federal appointment at the National Science Foundation and developed a national funding program in sustainability science (\$150-200M/y). In fall 2013, he accepted the position of editor-in-chief of the American Geological Union's new, open-access journal, *Earth's Future*, which examines the interaction

between our changing environment and human society. Professor van der Pluijm also serves on several scientific and editorial boards. He was elected as council delegate for geology and geography for the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Since 2009, he has also served on institutional review boards for the University of Colorado, Arizona State University, and Colorado State College. Professor van der Pluijm has served as associate chair (2010-2011) in the Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences and as the Program in the Environment's academic advisor for the Global Change Program (2000-present). He is currently serving on the department's Graduate Admissions Committee.

Professor Van der Pluijm has maintained and improved upon his record of research, teaching, and service at Michigan and professionally. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment 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, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Henry M. Wellman

CURRENT TITLES: Harold W. Stevenson Collegiate Professor of Psychology, and

Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Harold W. Stevenson Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College

of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Psychology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Henry M. Wellman as the Harold W. Stevenson Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Harold W. Stevenson Collegiate Professorship in Psychology was established by the Regents in July 2009. A stipend funded from college resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Wellman's research has been very successful over the last five years. He has published nearly 40 peer-reviewed journal articles and written a book, Making Minds: How Theory of Mind Develops (in press, Oxford University Press). The book is an overview of current research and thinking on theory of mind and is the sequel to The Child's Theory of Mind (1990; MIT Press), which helped launched the now voluminous international research on theory of mind and its development almost 25 years ago. Professor Wellman has given numerous talks, most notably invited keynote addresses at the 2011 meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, the 2012 meeting of the American Psychological Association, the 2013 meeting of the Greek Psychological Association, and the 2013 meeting of Australasian Human Development Association. Professor Wellman has received numerous honors over his career and the following in the last five years: Michigan's Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award (2009); the G. Stanley Hall Award for distinguished career contributions to Developmental Psychology from the American Psychological Association (2012), Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences (2012), and the Distinguished Alumni Award, College of Education and Human Development, University of Minnesota (2013). Current funding for his research comes from the Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD).

Over the last five years, Professor Wellman has regularly taught undergraduate and graduate student classes and guest lecturer in several other courses. He has chaired and sat on numerous Ph.D. dissertation committees. Students and post-doctoral scholars for whom he has been the primary advisor have gone on to successful careers at New York University, Cornell University, Lehigh University, Vanderbilt University, and the University of Maryland.

Professor Wellman is currently serving as a member of the executive committees for the Department of Psychology and the Center for Human Growth and Development, where he is appointed as a research professor. He is on the grants advisory panel for the Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan Foundation and the awards committee for the American Psychological Association Division 7 (Developmental Psychology). He was also a member of the Board of Directors for the Cognitive Development Society and is co-editor or member of the editorial boards for Psychology Press, *Child Development*, *Journal of Cognition and Development*, *Developmental Review*, and the *European Journal of Developmental Psychology* (2003-present).

Professor Wellman has been very successful in research, teaching, and service. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Henry M. Wellman as the Harold W. Stevenson Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

John A. Williams, M.D., Ph.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Horace W. Davenport Collegiate Professor of Physiology, Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, with tenure, and Professor of Internal Medicine, without tenure,

Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Horace W. Davenport Collegiate Professor of Physiology,

Medical School

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of Bishr Omary, M.D., Ph.D., the H. Marvin Pollard Professor and Chair of the Department of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of John A. Williams, M.D., Ph.D. as the Horace W. Davenport Collegiate Professor of Physiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Horace W. Davenport Collegiate Professorship in Physiology was established in August 2009 as a memorial to Dr. Horace Davenport who was one of the most distinguished scholars and teachers at the University of Michigan. Dr. Davenport served as chair of the Department of Physiology from 1956-1978.

Dr. Williams received his M.D. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Washington in Seattle in 1968. He completed a one-year post-doctoral fellowship at the University of Utah and served as a staff associate in the Clinical Endocrinology Branch of the National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases during 1969-1971. He continued his post-doctoral training as a Helen Hay Whitney Foundation Fellow in the Department of Pharmacology at the University of Cambridge, United Kingdom. Dr. Williams came to the University of Michigan in 1987 as a professor and chair of the Department of Physiology, and received a secondary appointment as professor of internal medicine in 1988. He served as department chair for 21 years before stepping down from this leadership position in 2008 to focus on his research and teaching activities.

Dr. Williams has dedicated his career to advancing the science of pancreatic physiology. He is a leader in the Basic Science departments at the University of Michigan. He was involved with the establishment of the Program in Biomedical Sciences (PIBS) and has served as a chair representative on the Medical School Executive Committee. Dr. Williams' most important contribution has been the organization and establishment of the Endowment for Basic Sciences. He continues to advocate for all the basic sciences as well as the department of Molecular and

Integrative Physiology. Under his leadership, the department evolved from Physiology to Molecular and Integrative Physiology.

Dr. Williams continues to be an important contributor to the university, the department and the field of pancreas physiology. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of John A. Williams, M.D., Ph.D. as the Horace W. Davenport Collegiate Professor of Physiology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns. M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Research Professorship

NAME: Guohua Xi, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Richard C. Schneider Research Professor of Neurosurgery,

and Professor of Neurosurgery, with tenure, Medical

School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Richard C. Schneider Research Professor of Neurosurgery,

Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of Karin M. Muraszko, M.D., the Julian T. Hoff Professor and Chair of the Department of Neurosurgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Guohua Xi, M.D. as the Richard C. Schneider Research Professor of Neurosurgery, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Richard C. Schneider Research Professorship of Neurosurgery was established in May 2009 through funding from the Richard C. Schneider Endowed Professorship in Neurosurgery, established in 1993 through a generous gift from the Shirley M. McLaughlin Trust. This professorship is intended to support the activities of an outstanding investigator and educator in the Department of Neurosurgery.

Dr. Xi received the M.D. degree from Zhejiang Medical University, China, in 1985. He completed his medical training at that institution from 1986-1991 and then undertook a post-doctoral fellowship in neuropathology at the University of Cincinnati from 1992-1996. This training was followed by a one-year research fellowship at the Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Cincinnati, Ohio. Dr. Xi joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a research fellow in the Department of Surgery in 1997, and was appointed as a research investigator in neurosurgery during 1998-2000. He advanced through the research track to achieve the title of research associate professor in 2004, and was promoted to professor, with tenure, in 2011.

Dr. Xi is a highly accomplished and independent neuroscientist, with extensive experience in stroke models and intracerebral hemorrhage. He clearly has attained a high level of national recognition, as demonstrated by an outstanding history of extramural funding and excellent publication record. Dr. Xi's bibliography reflects over 120 articles, and co-authorship of four books. He is the principal investigator of two NIH R01 grants and one NIH R21 grant. In 2008, Dr. Xi received the Established Investigator Award from the American Heart Association, and in 2011 was inducted into the League of Research Excellence in the Medical School.

Dr. Xi is a gifted educator and investigator, with significant funding and scholarly productivity. He carries on the traditions established by Dr. Schneider through his exceptional research program in the field of intracerebral hemorrhage. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Guohua Xi, M.D. as the Richard C. Schneider Research Professor of Neurosurgery, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

dichael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Marie E. Hillal

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Donald R. Zak

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, 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

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, School of Natural

Resources and Environment

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

The Deans of the School of Natural Resources and Environment and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donald R. Zak as the Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, School of Natural Resources and Environment, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professorship was established by the Regents in June 2009. Burton V. Barnes was a professor of forestry at the University of Michigan from 1970 to 2006. Throughout his career he continually applied substance and discipline to the research and teaching of forest ecology and related courses. A stipend funded from 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 he earned his Doctorate from Michigan State University. He joined the University of Michigan's 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 the use of genomic approaches to gain a better understanding of the composition and function of microbial communities in forest soils. Professor Zak's work is widely cited and has earned him numerous awards and honors.

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, and again in 2011-2012, 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 outstanding leadership as the school's Associate Dean for Academic Affairs.

We very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donald R. Zak as the Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, School of Natural Resources and Environment, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Marie Lynn Miranda, Ph.D.

Samuel A. Graham Dean

School of Natural Resources and

Environment

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor,

Professor of Psychology and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Sarah C. Zearfoss

CURRENT TITLE:

Assistant Dean and Admissions Officer, Law School

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Assistant Dean and Admissions Officer, Law School

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017

The Law School is pleased to recommend the reappointment of Sarah C. Zearfoss as assistant dean and admissions officer, Law School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017, subject to the conditions outlined in an appointment letter from the Law School. Her responsibilities will not include teaching obligations.

Dean Zearfoss was awarded an A.B. degree *cum laude* in 1986 from Bryn Mawr College. In 1992 she received a J.D. degree *magna cum laude* from the University of Michigan Law School. In law school, she was editor-in-chief of the *Michigan Journal of International Law*. She received numerous honors, including the Henry M. Bates Memorial Scholarship, the highest award given to Michigan law students.

After graduation from law school, Dean Zearfoss was a law clerk to the Honorable James L. Ryan of the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit. She practiced law in Detroit, specializing in employment discrimination, for several years, and then returned to serve as a career law clerk to Judge Ryan. In 1999, Dean Zearfoss joined the Office of Career Services at the Law School. In 2001, she was promoted to assistant dean and admissions officer.

The reappointment of Dean Zearfoss ensures that the Law School admissions program will continue to be guided by a person of extraordinary abilities. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Sarah C. Zearfoss as assistant dean and admissions officer, Law School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Mark D. West

Dean, Law School

Nippon Life Professor of Law

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

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for Academic Affairs

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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

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Gonçalo Abecasis

CURRENT TITLES: Felix E. Moore Collegiate Professor of Biostatistics, and Professor

of Biostatistics, with tenure, School of Public Health

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017

The Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Public Health are pleased to recommend the appointment of Gonçalo Abecasis as chair, Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

Professor Abecasis, a 1997 graduate of the University of Leeds, received his D.Phil. in human genetics from Queen's College, Oxford in 2001. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2001 as an assistant research scientist and was appointed as an assistant professor in 2002. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2005 and to professor in 2009. Professor Abecasis was appointed as the Felix E. Moore Collegiate Professor of Biostatistics in 2009.

Professor Abecasis has garnered an international reputation for his research and software development, competed successfully for major grant funding, and taught major biostatistics courses. He is an excellent teacher and mentor, with a very active program in training pre- and post-docs in the school. He is the director of the University of Michigan Genomics Initiative. His research focuses on the development of study designs, statistical tools and computational methods that enable comprehensive studies of genetic variation and its connections to human disease. Software and algorithms developed by Professor Abecasis are used in human genetic studies around the world. He has made important contributions to our understanding of patterns of genetic variation across the genome, its relationship to complex traits and diseases, and developed algorithms that enable analysis of large challenging datasets. He is currently deploying next-generation sequencing and genotyping technologies to study the genomes of thousands of individuals.

Professor Abecasis has provided a high degree of service to the Department of Biostatistics and the School of Public Health. He has chaired the computing committee of the biostatistics department, and has been a very wise and level-headed participant on the curriculum committee, on departmental faculty searches and other departmental matters. He has served on the school's

executive committee and currently serves on the advisory committee on academic rank. He is also very active and highly regarded on the international scene.

Professor Abecasis is highly respected by his colleagues, and will provide strong and effective leadership for the department. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Gonçalo Abecasis as chair, Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

E. H. Q.J

Martin A. Philbert, Ph.D.

Deant School of Public Health

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Debra L. Barton, Ph.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Mary Lou Willard French Professor of Nursing, and Professor of

Nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE:

July 1, 2014

On the recommendation Gregory Dalack, M.D., Chair of the Department of Psychiatry, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Debra L. Barton, Ph.D. as professor of psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014.

Dr. Barton received her Ph.D. in nursing from Indiana University in 2002. After serving as a clinical nurse research scientist and nurse administrator at the Mayo Clinic, she joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2014 as a professor of nursing and the Mary Lou Willard French Professor of Nursing.

Dr. Barton's research focuses on oncology symptom management, specifically concerns for cancer survivors. She evaluates mind/body interventions for managing the psychosocial aspects of the symptom experience. She is implementing clinical trials evaluating hypnosis and cognitive behavioral therapy for cancer related fatigue, sexual health, and menopausal symptoms. Dr. Barton is the principal investigator of a Breast Cancer Research Foundation grant, and co-investigator of a National Cancer Institute clinical trial.

Dr. Barton will be a great resource for mental health clinicians and trainees in the psycho-oncology field. She will provide mentorship and leadership to the Department of Psychiatry, and will help the mental health clinicians better understand screening methods and improve ways to assess patients. For these reasons and based on her collaborations to date as well as her future collaborations, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Debra L. Barton, Ph.D. as professor of psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Kathleen Potempa

Dean, School of Nursing

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Catherine Brown

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures, with

tenure, and Associate Professor of Comparative Literature, with

tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Professor in the Residential College, without tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Residential College and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Departments of Romance Languages and Literatures and Comparative Literature, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment for Catherine Brown as associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

Catherine Brown received her Doctorate from the University of California, Berkeley in 1991 and began her academic career as an assistant professor at Michigan that same year. She was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1997.

Professor Brown came to Michigan with a doctorate in comparative literature and a primary research interest in the literatures and cultures of the European Middle Ages. Initially her research focused on Spanish-language texts in their European contexts, but her scholarly focus has shifted to the verbal, visual, and material matrix of medieval Latin manuscript culture in Iberia well before "Spanish" emerged as an independent written language. The juxtaposition of texts in different languages and cultural artifacts of different genres from different historical periods structures her more recent endeavors. Her current book project, entitled Remember the Hand: The Articulate Codex in Early Medieval Iberia, studies the copying of Latin manuscripts of 10th-century Iberia and what the scribes who made them wrote about the work of making them. Remember the Hand contributes to contemporary interrogation of language and materiality by looking anew at one of the oldest of old media—the early medieval handwritten book, studying the materiality of early medieval practices of reading, writing, and interpretation. What emerges is a medieval media theory that engages contemporary culture in mutually challenging dialogue. Her inspirations in Remember the Hand include the manuscripts themselves as well as contemporary artworks like Shelley Jackson's "Skin: A Mortal Work of Art," a story published by being tattooed word-by-word on the skin of 2095 volunteers, and the theoretically-inflected speculative fiction of writers like China Miéville, Bruce Sterling, and William Gibson. Bringing these sorts of interdisciplinary juxtapositions to the Residential College in general, and to the Arts and Ideas in the Humanities

program in particular, is an exciting prospect. Professor Brown will certainly bring a new dynamic energy to this program.

As a teacher, Professor Brown's primary commitment is not to any particular language, genre, or period, but rather to the process of generating powerful questions and then attempting to answer them through the rigorous encounter with primary sources, whether textual, visual, or musical. The "rigorous" part of the encounter is not just what a text "means," but how meaning is made by word choice, syntax, and sound; not just how a picture or a piece of music makes you feel but how exactly that feeling is produced. What is most important is that her teaching is not exclusively devoted to the distant past, but that it is committed to the ethical and intellectual challenges that the study of the past poses to students. These pedagogical commitments line up perfectly with the commitments of the Residential College, specifically the Arts and Ideas program.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment for Catherine Brown as associate professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment to a Research Professorship

NAME:

Rita C.-K. Chin

**CURRENT TITLE:** 

Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science,

and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Richard Hudson Research Professor of History, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Department of History and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Rita C.-K. Chin as the Richard Hudson Research Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015.

The Richard Hudson Research Professorship in History is a rotating professorship. Professor Brick's colleagues have recommended that he be awarded this professorship, freeing him from teaching duties.

Professor Chin joined the department in September 2003 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2008. Her areas of study include late modern Europe, especially post-1945 Germany; comparative European migrations; transnationalism; ethnic minorities; gender; and intellectual history.

During the 2014-2015 academic year, Professor Chin plans to complete her book project, On the Rise and Fall of Multiculturalism in Europe, which is under contract with Princeton University Press. The book examines the growing consensus that European multiculturalism is a failure. It seeks to understand how this consensus, which spans the political spectrum, came to pass, by addressing questions such as: What do people mean when they refer to "multiculturalism?" In what ways has it "failed?" How did multi-ethnic diversity take root in postwar Europe? What language, assumptions, and ideologies made possible a convergence of the Right and Left on this issue? In short, the book will provide a critical genealogy of multiculturalism in European public commentary and political discourse.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Rita C.-K. Chin as the Richard Hudson Research Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Karen B. Farris

CURRENT TITLES: Charles R. Walgreen III Professor of Pharmacy Administration,

and Professor of Social and Administrative Sciences, with tenure,

College of Pharmacy

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Interim Chair, Department of Clinical, Social, and Administrative

Sciences, College of Pharmacy

TERM: One Year

EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2015

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Karen B. Farris as interim chair, Department of Clinical, Social, and Administrative Sciences, College of Pharmacy, for a one-year term, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2015.

Professor Farris received her B.S. degree in pharmacy from the University of Tennessee, Memphis, in 1986; M.P.A. degree in 1989 from the University of Memphis; and Ph.D. degree in pharmacy from the University of Michigan in 1993. She joined the faculty of pharmacy and pharmaceutical sciences at the University of Alberta, Canada, as an assistant professor in 1993 and was promoted to the rank of associate professor in 1999. She joined the University of Iowa College of Pharmacy in 2000 as an associate professor of clinical and administrative pharmacy and was given the additional appointment of associate professor of community and behavioral health in the College of Public Health in 2003. In 2005 she was appointed as assistant head for post-professional education in her division at the College of Pharmacy, and in 2008 she was promoted to the rank of professor in both colleges. Professor Farris joined the University of Michigan as the Charles R. Walgreen III Professor of Pharmacy Administration and professor of social and administrative sciences, with tenure, in the College of Pharmacy and professor of health behavior and health education, without tenure, in the School of Public Health. In 2013 she became associate chair, Department of Clinical, Social, and Administrative Sciences.

Professor Farris has earned a national reputation for her work on social theories to examine how older adults manage their medications and the roles of community pharmacists in influencing medication use, including public health issues. She is a pioneer in the examination of the importance of the role of community pharmacists in public health, which is an emerging area that has gained recognition by experts in both public health and pharmacy. She has been extremely productive and has received federal funding for her work, which is quite noteworthy in her discipline. She led a team of investigators who received the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (AACP)

Lyman Award for best publication in the *American Journal of Pharmaceutical Education* in 2004 and was named fellow of the American Pharmacists Association in 2006. Her dynamic and dedicated service as an educator has been recognized through her selection as Teacher of the Year by the 2006 University of Iowa P3 College of Pharmacy Class and as the 2007 recipient of the Outstanding Mentor Award in Biological and Life Sciences at the University of Iowa. She is an outstanding citizen of her profession, having significant impact by providing effective leadership and participation in key professional organizations.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Karen B. Farris as interim chair, Department of Clinical, Social, and Administrative Sciences, College of Pharmacy, for a one-year term, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Frank J. Ascione

Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive

Vice President for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Caryl Flinn

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Screen Arts and Cultures, with tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Department of Women's Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Screen Arts and Cultures, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Caryl Flinn as professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Caryl Flinn received her Doctorate in film and broadcasting from the University of Iowa and began her academic career as an assistant professor at the University of Florida (1987-1993). She was appointed as an associate professor at the University of Toronto (1993-1999) and at the University of Arizona (2000-2004), where she was promoted to professor in 2004. Professor Flinn joined our faculty as a professor, with tenure, in 2012.

Professor Flinn served as chair of the Department of Gender and Women's Studies at the University of Arizona where she was also director of graduate studies, and briefly, director of undergraduate studies. Her research is primarily in film music cultures with a particular focus on feminist and gender theory. She has done extensive teaching in gender theory at previous institutions, along with student projects and theses she has supervised over the years. Since joining Screen Arts and Cultures in 2012, she has developed two courses that were co-listed with Women's Studies. She plans to offer more cross listed courses and hopes to build a women's studies graduate certificate for students in Screen Arts and Cultures. She will work with Women's Studies undergraduate and graduate students and will participate in service capacities and events. This appointment will formalize her ongoing involvement with the academic mission of the Department of Women's Studies. Professor Flinn will be invited to participate in faculty meetings and is eligible for election to the executive committee.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Caryl Flinn as professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME:

Stephen R. Forrest

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

William Gould Dow Collegiate Professor of Electrical Engineering, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Electrical and Computer Engineering Division, with tenure, Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, and Professor of Physics, without

tenure, Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Paul G. Goebel Professor of Engineering, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Electrical and Computer Engineering Division, with tenure, Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering and Professor of Physics, without tenure, Literature, Science and

the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephen R. Forrest as the Paul G. Goebel Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Paul G. Goebel Professorship in Engineering was established in 1968 with gifts from several donors who wanted to honor Regent Goebel for his contributions to the university. In accordance with his wishes, the professorship was located in the College of Engineering. Over the years it has been awarded to distinguished members of the faculty of the college and to visiting professors.

Professor Forrest received his BA in physics from the University of California in 1972 and his MSc and PhD in physics from the University of Michigan in 1974 and 1979, respectively. As a member of the technical staff at Bell Labs, he investigated photodetectors for optical communications. In 1985, he joined the electrical engineering and material science departments at the University of Southern California, where he worked on optoelectronic integrated circuits and organic semiconductors. In 1992, he became the James S. McDonnell Distinguished University Professor of Electrical Engineering at Princeton University. He served as director of the National Center for Integrated Photonic Technology and as director of Princeton's Center for Photonics and Optoelectronic Materials. From 1997-2001, he served as chair of Princeton's Department of Electrical Engineering. Professor Forrest came to the University of Michigan in January 2006 as vice president for research and a faculty member in the College of Engineering

and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts. He served as vice president for research through December 2013.

Professor Forrest is a leading researcher on the fundamental issues surrounding photonic materials, devices and systems. He has authored more than 540 papers in refereed journals and has 258 patents. In 2003, he was elected to the National Academy of Engineering for his advances in optoelectronic devices, detectors for fiber optics and efficient organic LEDs for displays. As a fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) and the Optical Society of America, he received the IEEE/Laser and Electro Optics Society (LEOS) Distinguished Lecturer Award in 1996-1997 and in 1998 he was co-recipient of the Intellectual Property Owners National Distinguished Inventor Award as well as the Thomas Alva Edison Award for innovations in organic light emitting devices (OLED).

Professor Forrest's outstanding scholarly achievements fully merit his appointment as the Paul G. Goebel Professor of Engineering. We are therefore pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephen R. Forrest as the Paul G. Goebel Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

David C. Munson, Jr.

David C. Murami

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor,

Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ACTION REQUEST:

Joint Appointment and Transfer of Tenure for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Charles P. Friedman, Ph.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information, and Professor of Health Management and Policy, with tenure, School

of Public Health

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Chair, Department of Learning Health Sciences, Josiah Macy, Jr. Professor of Medical Education, Professor of Learning Health Sciences, with tenure, Medical School, Professor of Information, without tenure, School of Information, and Professor of Health Management and Policy, without tenure, School of Public Health

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

July 1, 2014

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment and transfer of tenure of Charles P. Friedman, Ph.D. from professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, and professor of health management and policy, with tenure, School of Public Health, to Josiah Macy, Jr. Professor of Medical Education, effective July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019, chair, Department of Learning Health Sciences, professor of learning health sciences, with tenure, Medical School, professor of information, without tenure, School of Information, and professor of health management and policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective July 1, 2014.

Dr. Friedman received his Ph.D. in education from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill in 1977. His early academic career was at that institution where he held a range of faculty and administrative roles including professor of biomedical engineering and family medicine, director of the Office of Educational Development, and assistant dean for medical education and medical informatics. In 1996, he moved to the University of Pittsburgh where he was a professor of medicine and associate vice chancellor for biomedical informatics. From 2007 to 2009, Dr. Friedman served as the deputy national coordinator for health information technology in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). From 2009 to 2011, he served as the chief scientific officer in the Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology at HHS. In 2011, he joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a professor of information, School of Information, a professor of health management and policy, School of Public Health and School of Information.

Dr. Friedman has served in leadership roles in a number of committees and professional organizations, including the American College of Medical Informatics, the American Medical Informatics Association, and the Association of American Medical Colleges.

Dr. Friedman is a well-respected educator and researcher, and a leading figure in the field of biomedical informatics. I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment and transfer of tenure of Charles P. Friedman, Ph.D. from professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, and professor of health management and policy, with tenure, School of Public Health, to Josiah Macy, Jr. Professor of Medical Education, effective July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019, chair, Department of Learning Health Sciences, professor of learning health sciences, with tenure, Medical School, professor of information, without tenure, School of Information, and professor of health management and policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective July 1, 2014.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, MAD

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Jeffrey K. MadKie-Mason

Arthur W. Burk's Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science, and

Dean, School of Information

Martin A. Philbert

Dean, School of Public Health

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

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Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Janean E. Holden

**CURRENT TITLE:** 

Professor of Nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing

ADDITONAL TITLE:

Associate Dean for Research, School of Nursing

TERM:

Three Years

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

The Dean of the School of Nursing, in consultation with members of the Executive Committee and the Administrative Council, is pleased to recommend the appointment of Janean E. Holden as associate dean for research, School of Nursing, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Professor Holden earned her bachelor of nursing at the University of Utah in 1974, and her master's and doctorate in nursing from the University of Michigan in 1987 and 1993, respectively. Her research focuses on mechanisms underlying pain modulation in the spinal cord that alter pain perception in the brain. She has identified several pathways from the hypothalamus to brain stem nuclei that send projections to the spinal cord and modify acute or chronic pain via norepinephrine release. Recently, she has investigated neuropharmacology of pain modulation in chronic evaluating the role of an alpha 1 noradrenergic receptor in the spinal cord that increases pain without a pain stimulus that may promote pain chronicity in certain pain conditions. Professor Holden has preclinical study underway to evaluate the efficacy of pharmacologic blocker in decreasing this type alpha 1 receptor induced type of chronic pain. Professor Holden has been consistently funded for this research by the National Institutes of Health since 1999.

With more than 18 years of experience and substantial expertise in teaching and research, Professor Holden is an accomplished scholar. She has an impressive track record of NIH funding and continues to pursue a focused program of research and regularly disseminates her research as evidenced by more than 50 scientific publications and over 70 scientific presentations. Her scientific papers are noteworthy because of their depth of evidence often including a series of experiments around the scientific hypotheses in a single publication. In 2000, Professor Holden received the U.S. Presidential Early Career Award for Scientists and Engineers, presented at the White House on April 12, 2000. In 2008, Professor Holden was a finalist for the prestigious Ehrlich Prize in Neuroscience at the Ehrlich II World Wide Conference on Magic Bullets.

Professor Holden is highly respected as a master teacher and has significant experience working with undergraduate and graduate students, most notably in the area of pathophysiology and pharmacology. Through her exceptional mentoring, her PhD students have obtained external funding to support their work and have disseminated their research through peer-reviewed publications and presentations.

She has also demonstrated leadership as secretary-treasurer and founding member of the Midwest Nursing Research Society Foundation (2006-2014); as member and vice president of the Midwest Nursing Research Society (2006-2010); and as editorial board member of the World Journal of Anesthesiology (2011-present). She has also served as a permanent and ad hoc member of NIH Study Sections. In addition, Professor Holden has been a member of the School of Nursing Executive Committee since 2013.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Janean E. Holden as associate dean for research, School of Nursing, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

Kathleen Potempa

Dean, School of Nursing

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and

**Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs** 

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Lori L. Isom, Ph.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Assistant Dean for Recruitment and Pre-Candidacy Education, Professor of Pharmacology, with tenure, and Professor of Molecular and

Integrative Physiology, without tenure, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Interim Chair, Department of Pharmacology, Professor of Pharmacology, with tenure, and Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology,

without tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE:

August 1, 2014

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Lori L. Isom, Ph.D. as interim chair, Department of Pharmacology, Medical School, effective August 1, 2014. Dr. Isom will assume leadership in the department while a national search commences.

Dr. Isom joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1993 as a lecturer in the Department of Pharmacology, and rose through the ranks to her current position of professor of pharmacology in 2007. In 2009, she was granted an additional title of professor of molecular and integrative physiology. Dr. Isom is experienced in administrative activities at all institutional levels. She was the associate director of the Program in Biomedical Sciences (2006-2008) and was appointed as director in 2008. In 2010, she was appointed as the assistant dean for recruitment and pre-candidacy education in the Medical School. She was the recipient of the University of Michigan Distinguished Faculty Award in 2009.

Dr. Isom is well regarded for her contributions in teaching, research and service throughout her academic career at the University of Michigan. It is the judgment of the Executive Committee that she is most qualified to serve in this administrative capacity. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Lori L. Isom, Ph.D. as interim chair, Department of Pharmacology, Medical School, effective August 1, 2014.

Recommended by

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

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Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Gautam Kaul

CURRENT TITLES: John C. and Sally S. Morley Professor of Finance, and

Professor of Finance, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of

Business

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Fred M. Taylor Professor of Business Administration, and

Professor of Finance, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of

Business

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through June 30, 2018

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Gautam Kaul as the Fred M. Taylor Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through June 30, 2018.

The Taylor Professorship was created by the University of Michigan in 1943 in honor and in memory of Fred Manville Taylor, professor of economics. The chair was designated for the Business School in 1980 for the purpose of increasing knowledge and understanding of business and economic theory and practice through instruction and research in these and related fields.

Professor Kaul received a BA from Delhi University in India in 1974, a MA from the Delhi School of Economics in 1976, and a PhD from the University of Chicago in 1984. He was also a fellow at the Indian Institute of Management in 1981. Professor Kaul joined the Ross School faculty as assistant professor of finance in 1986, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1991 and to professor in 1993. Professor Kaul currently serves as special counsel for digital education initiatives to the Provost Office and as director of the Ross Digital Education Initiative.

Professor Kaul is distinguished not only by his scholarship which has been published in the most prestigious journals in finance and economics, but also as being one of the Ross School's best teachers, receiving consistently high ratings. He has received many teaching awards in the past, and most recently received the Neary Teaching Excellence Award for our full-time MBA program in 2013. He has served as an associate dean and as chair of the finance area, and has long involvement with the school's doctoral program, both as an advisor, mentor, and participant on dissertation committees. He has also been instrumental in the development of a Center for Applied Finance. He is associate editor of the *Journal of Financial Markets*. Professor Kaul brings the same honor and dedication to the Morley professorship that he has brought to all of his other professional appointment.

We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Gautam Kaul as the Fred M. Taylor Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through June 30, 2018.

**RECOMMENDED BY:** 

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Alison Davis-Blake

Edward J. Frey Dean of Business Stephen M. Ross School of Business

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Martha E. Pollack, Provost and

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Executive Vice President for Academic

**Affairs** 

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty

Member

NAME:

Deborah Keller-Cohen

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Professor of Linguistics, with tenure, Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Education, without tenure, School of Education

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Associate Dean for Academic Programs and Initiatives, Horace H.

Rackham School of Graduate Studies

EFFECTIVE DATES:

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2016

We are extremely pleased to recommend the appointment of Deborah Keller-Cohen as associate dean for academic programs and initiatives, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, for a two-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2016.

Deborah Keller-Cohen earned her A.B. degree with distinction in Russian at the University of Michigan in 1970, her M.A. degree in Slavic languages and literatures from the University of Colorado in 1972, and completed her Ph.D. degree in linguistics at the State University of New York at Buffalo in 1974. She joined the faculty of the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in the Department of Linguistics from 1974-1980 and an assistant research scientist in the Center for Human Growth and Development from 1977-1980. Professor Keller-Cohen was promoted to associate professor in Linguistics and to associate research scientist in the Center for Human Growth and Development from 1980-1994 and to professor of education and professor of linguistics in 1994. She became a professor of women's studies in 2000. Administratively, Professor Keller-Cohen served as associate chair of the Department of Linguistics from 1982-1984, director of the English Composition Board from 1985-1992, interim director of the Project on Gender-Based Censorship in the Institute for Research on Women and Gender from 1999-2000, director of Graduate Studies in Women's Studies from 2000 to the present, and senior associate director of the Institute for Research on Women and Gender from 2010 to the present. In addition, she has served on or chaired numerous administrative committees in the College of Literature, Sciences, and the Arts, School of Education, Rackham Graduate School, and University of Michigan.

Professor Keller-Cohen's scholarly interests are in language and aging, narrative, discourse analysis, and literacy in modern and colonial America. She has conducted research on a wide range of areas using ethnographic, experimental, archival, and textual methodologies. As a discourse analyst, her work has explored how people tell their life stories with particular

emphasis on individual and gender-related differences. Her work on literacy has examined both contemporary and historical American contexts. Her current line of work is concerned with language and aging. One strand examines the relationships among social relations, cognition, and language in older adults. In a second line of work with Chris Odato, they have examined factors affecting the evaluation of older and younger individuals' speech. She is also undertaking a project to explore discourses of aging in American culture.

Selected publications of Professor Keller-Cohen include "Intertextuality and the Narrative of Personal Experience," *Journal of Narrative and Life History* (1997), which she co-authored with J. Dyer; "On Trial: Metaphor in telling the life story," *Narrative Inquiry* (2003) with C. Gordon; "Social relations, language and cognition in the 'oldest old," *Aging & Society* (2006) with K. Fiori, A. Toler, and D. Bybee; and "Evaluating the speech of younger and older adults: Age, gender and speech situation," *Journal of Language and Social Psychology* (2009) with C. Odato.

Professor Keller-Cohen's teaching, research, and administrative service have equipped her well to carry out the duties of associate dean. We are confident that she will provide strong and effective encouragement and leadership for academic program development, interdisciplinary initiatives, and graduate education more generally. We are therefore pleased to recommend the appointment of Deborah Keller-Cohen as associate dean for academic programs and initiatives, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, for a two-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Janet A. Weiss

Vice Provost for Academic Affairs, Graduate Studies, and Dean, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor,

Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Alex Kuzmich

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the

Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Martin L. Perl Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Alex Kuzmich as the Martin L. Perl Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Martin L. Perl Collegiate Professorship in Physics was established by the Regents in June 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Kuzmich investigates topics in atomic physics and quantum information. His research utilizes ultracold atoms and trapped ions suspended in ultrahigh vacuum using electromagnetic fields. His recent work includes the first realization of the quantum state transfer between matter and light and the first achievement of remote entanglement between matter qubits. He is currently interested in the collective Rydberg blockade and its applications to quantum many-body physics, scalable quantum networks based on long-lived quantum memories, and laser spectroscopy of the thorium nuclear isomer and its applications in precision frequency metrology and tests of fundamental physics. His publications have appeared in *Nature*, *Physical Review A*, *Physical Review Letters*, and *Science*, among others. Professor Kuzmich is an excellent teacher, who has taught courses in atomic physics and quantum optics.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Alex Kuzmich as the Martin L. Perl Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Research Professorship

NAME:

Scott D. Larsen

CURRENT TITLE:

Research Professor, College of Pharmacy

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Joseph Burckhalter Collegiate Research Professor, U-M Office of

Research

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

With the approval of the 2014 Research Faculty Awards Committee, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Scott D. Larsen as the Joseph Burckhalter Collegiate Research Professor, U-M Office of Research, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Joseph Burckhalter Collegiate Research Professorship was established in June 2014. 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 Larsen has clearly met this criterion. A stipend from the U-M Office of Research accompanies this professorship.

Professor Burckhalter received his U-M doctorate in medicinal chemistry in 1942. Upon earning his doctorate, Professor Burckhalter went to work for Parke Davis & Co. At Parke Davis, Professor Burckhalter was instrumental in the discovery of the anti-malarial drugs Camoquin and Propoquin. His early work also led to two useful antiamebic drugs, Camoquin and Clamoxyl. Professor Burckhalter was a professor of medicinal chemistry at the College of Pharmacy from 1960-1982 with a distinguished career in biomedical research as a scientist, teacher and administrator dedicated to utilizing medicinal chemistry for the discovery of new drugs, particularly those to treat cancer and infectious diseases. He retired from the university in 1982 at age 70.

Professor Larsen received his B.S. in chemistry in 1979 from Alma College, his Ph.D. in organic chemistry in 1983 from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. He joined the University of Michigan, College of Pharmacy as a research professor 2007 and is currently the director of the Vahlteich Medicinal Chemistry Core.

Professor Larsen's international recognition as a leading researcher in the study of medicinal chemistry, 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 Scott D. Larsen as the Joseph Burckhalter Collegiate Research Professor, U-M Office of Research, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Respectfully submitted:

S. Jack Hu

Interim Vice President for Research

Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

John C. Magee, M.D.

**CURRENT TITLE:** 

Professor of Surgery, with tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, without tenure,

Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE:

July 1, 2014

On the recommendation of Valerie P. Castle, M.D., the Ravitz Foundation Professor and Chair of the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of John C. Magee, M.D. as professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014.

Dr. Magee received his M.D. degree from Jefferson Medical College in 1988. He completed a general surgery residency from 1988 to 1991 and from 1994 to 1996 at the University of Michigan, with a research fellowship at Duke in the intervening period. From 1996 to 1998, he was a fellow in transplantation surgery at the University of Michigan and was appointed as an assistant professor of surgery in 1998. He advanced through the academic ranks to his present title of professor of surgery in 2010.

Dr. Magee has been a close collaborator with faculty in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, serving as the surgical director of pediatric kidney and liver transplantation for well over a decade. He has recently been appointed as director of the Section of Transplant Surgery and director of the University of Michigan Transplant Center. Dr. Magee will continue to collaborate scientifically and clinically with faculty in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, especially within the Divisions of Gastroenterology and Nephrology.

Dr. Magee is an outstanding clinician and educator, respected for his research and collaborations with faculty in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases. I wholeheartedly recommend the additional appointment of John C. Magee, M.D. as professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014.

Recommended by:

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

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive Vice President f

and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Vallerie V. McLaughlin, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Medical

School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Kim A. Eagle, M.D. Endowed Professor of Cardiovascular

Medicine, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Vallerie V. McLaughlin, M.D. as the Kim A. Eagle, M.D. Endowed Professor of Cardiovascular Medicine, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Kim A. Eagle, M.D. Endowed Professorship in Cardiovascular Medicine was established in June 2014 through donor funds and departmental funds from the Department of Internal Medicine. It will support the research and clinical efforts of a faculty member in the Division of Cardiovascular Medicine in the Department of Internal Medicine who, similar to Dr. Eagle, values excellence in cardiovascular research, patient care and education. Dr. Eagle has been a faculty member at the University of Michigan since 1994. He holds appointments in internal medicine at the Medical School, and in health management at the School of Public Health, and is the Albion Walter Hewlett Professor of Internal Medicine and director of the Frankel Cardiovascular Center.

Dr. McLaughlin received her M.D. degree from Northwestern University in 1989. She completed a residency in internal medicine at the University of Michigan, and a fellowship in cardiology at Northwestern University. Dr. McLaughlin was appointed as faculty at the University of Illinois, and was appointed as an assistant professor at Rush Medical College in 1996. She was promoted to associate professor in 2002. Dr. McLaughlin joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2003 as an associate professor and rose through the ranks to professor, with tenure. She was appointed as the director of the Pulmonary Hypertension Program in 2003, and holds that position currently.

Dr. McLaughlin's research focuses on pulmonary arterial hypertension. She has been the principal investigator of several major clinical trials of drug therapies for pulmonary arterial hypertension. She has brought the University of Michigan to the forefront as leaders in the diagnosis, investigation and treatment of pulmonary hypertension, and is an outstanding leader in the Pulmonary Hypertension Breakthrough Initiative, a multicenter project seeking to unravel the

mysteries of PAH. Since her appointment in 2003, referrals to the Pulmonary Hypertension Program have quadrupled. Dr. McLaughlin has published over 100 articles, and has a national presence which is evident in her service as chair of the Scientific Leadership Committee of the Pulmonary Hypertension Association and the Pulmonary Hypertension Association Board of Trustees.

Dr. McLaughlin is a valuable faculty member in the Division of Cardiovascular Medicine. She is an excellent clinician, researcher and educator and is a fitting candidate for this professorship. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Vallerie V. McLaughlin, M.D. as the Kim A. Eagle, M.D. Endowed Professor of Cardiovascular Medicine, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

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

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Gregory S. Miller

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Accounting, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross

School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Ernst and Young Professor of Accounting, Stephen M.

Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Gregory S. Miller as the Ernst and Young Professor of Accounting, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Ernst and Young Professorship in Accounting was created in January 1990 with gifts from partners and employees of the accounting firm Ernst and Young. The chair is dedicated to increasing knowledge and understanding of the field of accounting through teaching and research.

Professor Miller received his BS in accounting from Miami University in 1990 and his PhD in accounting from the University of Michigan in 1998. In July 1998, he joined the faculty at Harvard University Business School as an assistant professor of accounting and management and was promoted to associate professor, without tenure, in 2003. He joined the Ross School of Business faculty in 2008 as associate professor of accounting, with tenure, and was promoted to professor in 2013.

Professor Miller's work is of excellent quality and he has built an impressive reputation as a nationally recognized scholar in the area of accounting. He has a cohesive research program aimed at understanding financial reporting and disclosure. His research demonstrates a unique grasp of financial economics theory, and he uses state-of-the-art research methods. He is at the forefront of the issues he studies. Professor Miller has good visibility as a scholar as evidenced by his numerous invitations to present papers at conferences, and his membership on various editorial boards.

In addition to his excellent scholarship, Professor Miller has demonstrated exceptionally strong skills in developing and delivering high-quality content in teaching. His teaching record shows his capabilities in teaching a wide range of courses while providing a valuable experience for students. He also serves as an invaluable resource for mentoring and advising PhD students.

Professor Miller is a productive scholar focusing on the important area of financial disclosure and reporting. He has demonstrated exceptionally strong skills in developing teaching materials and in teaching, and he brings added value to our overall Ross community in his willingness to serve his colleagues and the profession.

The Dean and the Executive Committee wish to honor Professor Miller for his outstanding record and to support his professional growth and development. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Gregory S. Miller as the Ernst and Young Professor of Accounting, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Alison Davis-Blake

Edward J. Frey Dean of Business Stephen M. Ross School of Business

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Martha E. Pollack, Provost and

Martin E. Hillal

Executive Vice President for Academic

**Affairs** 

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Appointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment for Faculty

Member

NAME:

James E. Penner-Hahn

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Associate Dean for Budget, George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Biophysics, Professor of Biophysics, with tenure, and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and

the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Associate Dean for Budget and Planning, George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Biophysics, Professor of Biophysics, with tenure, and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES:

July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2019

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of James E. Penner-Hahn as associate dean for budget and planning, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2019.

Professor Penner-Hahn received his B.S. at Purdue University in 1979 and his Ph.D. at Stanford University in 1984. He joined the University of Michigan in 1985 as an assistant professor and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1994. He was appointed as professor of biophysics in 2009. Before serving as associate dean for natural sciences (2006-2009), Professor Penner-Hahn was chair of the Biophysics Research Division and was an elected member of the college Executive Committee. He previously served as associate chair of the Department of Chemistry and associate vice president for research. Professor Penner-Hahn's current research interests include biophysical chemistry and physical inorganic chemistry, centering on spectroscopic investigation of metal site structure in bioinorganic systems with particular emphasis on biological zinc sites. He is a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and is a senior fellow in the Michigan Society of Fellows. He has served as the associate dean for budget since 2009.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of James E. Penner-Hahn as associate dean for budget and planning, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2019.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor,

Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Research Professorship

NAME: Bruce C. Richardson, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Medical

School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Frederick G.L. Huetwell Research Professor of

Rheumatology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: June 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Bruce C. Richardson, M.D., Ph.D. as the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Research Professor of Rheumatology, Medical School, effective June 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Frederick G.L. Huetwell Research Professorship in Rheumatology was established in July 2012 through a generous gift from the estate of Frederick G.L. Huetwell and is intended to support research of a tenured faculty member in the Division of Rheumatology, in the Department of Internal Medicine.

Dr. Richardson received his M.D. degree in 1974 and his Ph.D. degree in 1977 from the University of Chicago. He completed a residency in internal medicine at the University of Michigan, and a fellowship in rheumatology at the University of California, San Francisco. Dr. Richardson returned to the University of Michigan in 1982 as an assistant professor and rose through the ranks to professor, with tenure, in 1997.

Dr. Richardson's research focuses on basic questions in systemic lupus and in autoimmunity. He is credited with opening up the study of epigenetics as an important factor in the pathogenesis of autoimmune conditions. His original observations that methylation/demethylation status of key immune interaction genes is abnormal in lupus, and pertinent to the pathogenesis of lupus, have stood the test of time, and have indeed spawned a whole new field of investigation. Dr. Richardson's research has been supported over three decades by the NIH and the Veteran's Administration Research Program. His research has resulted in more than 120 publications, and two patents. Dr. Richardson has served and chaired several NIH study sections. He has served as the section chief of the Ann Arbor Veterans' Hospital since 1992, and is director of the Cesium Irradiator Core Facility and the Medical School Epigenetics Program at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Richardson is a leader in lupus and epigenetics research in the field of rheumatology and is a dedicated teacher and clinician. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Bruce C. Richardson, M.D., Ph.D. as the Frederick G.L. Huetwell Research Professor of Rheumatology, Medical School, effective June 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Stephanie J. Rowley

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Education, without tenure, School of

Education

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Interim Chair, Department of Psychology, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

July 1, 2014

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephanie J. Rowley as interim chair, Department of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.

Stephanie J. Rowley received her B.A. in 1992 from the University of Michigan and her M.A. in 1995 and her Ph.D. in 1997 from the University of Virginia. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in 2000, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2006, and to professor in 2011. She is a very accomplished researcher, recently awarded with a 1.3 million dollar grant from the National Science Foundation titled, "Collaborative Research: Parenting for STEM Success in African American Families." Professor Rowley has earned several awards and honors, including the Harold Johnson Diversity Service Award in 2012, and currently serves as the associate chair in the Department of Psychology.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephanie J. Rowley as interim chair, Department of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor

Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

Deborah Loewenberg Ball Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,

William H. Payne Collegiate Professor

and Dean, School of Education

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Mrinalini Sinha

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Alice Freeman Palmer Professor of History, Professor of History, with

tenure, and Professor of English Language and Literature, without

tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Women's Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of English Language and Literature, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Mrinalini Sinha as professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Mrinalini Sinha completed her Doctorate at the State University of New York (1988) and was appointed as a visiting instructor at Albion College (1988-1989). Following a one-year post-doctoral fellowship at the University of Minnesota (1990-1991), she was appointed as an assistant professor (1991-1996) at Boston College and promoted to associate professor (1996). At Southern Illinois University, she was appointed as a visiting associate professor (1996-1997), associate professor (1997-2000), and promoted to professor (2007-2010). She joined our faculty as the Alice Freeman Palmer Professor of History in 2010 and was appointed in the Department of English Language and Literature, without tenure, in 2011.

Professor Sinha is a historian of colonial India and over the years her work has centrally engaged with feminist theory and the interdisciplinary scholarship of women's studies. Professor Sinha can be involved in departmental committees and will have the opportunity to offer courses listed as meet-togethers in Women's Studies.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Mrinalini Sinha as professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor,

Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

### Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Valerie J. Traub

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Frederick G. L. Huetwell Professor, Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, and Professor of Women's

Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Interim Chair, Department of Women's Studies, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the appointment of Valerie J. Traub as interim chair, Department of Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.

Valerie Traub received her B.A. in American studies and women's studies in 1982 from the University of California-Santa Cruz and her M.A. in 1986 and Ph.D. in 1990 in English from the University of Massachusetts-Amherst. After teaching at Vanderbilt University as an associate professor from 1989 to 2004, she joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an associate professor in 1994, and was promoted to professor, with tenure, in 2001. Professor Traub previously served as the chair of the Department of Women's Studies from 2003 to 2009. She has earned several awards and honors including the Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award in 2010, and was a finalist for the 2011 Lambda Literary Award for her book, <u>Gay Shame</u>, cowritten with David Halperin.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Valerie J. Traub as interim chair, Department of Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Derek W. Vaillant

CURRENT TITLE:

Associate Professor of Communication Studies, with tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Associate Professor of History, without tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Department of History and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Communication Studies, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Derek W. Vaillant as professor of history, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Derek Vaillant received his Doctorate from the University of Chicago in 1999 and began his academic career as an assistant professor at the University of Michigan in 1998. He was promoted to associate professor in 2004.

Professor Vaillant has had intellectual and collegial ties with the Department of History since he joined the faculty at Michigan. His Ph.D. is in history and his work continues to draw directly on that tradition and methodology. He has been active in advising history graduate students, serving on interdisciplinary dissertation committees, overseeing directed reading projects, and most recently reading and evaluating a prize-winning undergraduate history honors project. He has attended seminars, workshops, and other events associated with promoting the field of history, and he has been a long-standing member of the American History Association. With this appointment, Professor Vaillant will build on the ties he has forged over the years to foster a productive interdisciplinary discussion between communication studies, history, and American culture (where he is a faculty associate).

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Derek W. Vaillant as professor of history, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Susan A Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME:

Xun Wu

CURRENT TITLE:

Assistant Professor of Strategy, Stephen M. Ross School of

Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Sanford R. Robertson Assistant Professor of Business

Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

TERM:

One Year, Non-Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Xun Wu as the Sanford R. Robertson Assistant Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, for a one-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

The Sanford R. Robertson Assistant Professorship in Business Administration was established in July 1992 by the Regents and was renamed the Sanford R. Robertson Assistant or Associate Professorship in August 1994. The purpose of the professorship is to encourage the most promising non-tenured teachers/scholars to pursue worthwhile projects and to evolve into truly distinguished senior members of the faculty. Appointments to the professorship are for one year.

Professor Wu earned his BA in finance with distinction from Tsinghua University in China in 1998. He then earned his MS in management in 2001 from National University of Singapore. Finally, he earned his MS in managerial science and applied economics in 2005 and his PhD in management with a strategy and entrepreneurship focus in 2007 from the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania. Upon completion of his PhD, Professor Wu joined the Ross School as assistant professor of strategy in 2007. He is also presently a faculty associate at the Center for Chinese Studies at the University of Michigan.

Professor Wu has been a very productive faculty member since he came to Ross. In the simplest numeric terms, he has published six papers in top journals and has an excellent pipeline that includes two papers in advanced stages of review at top journals. Publishing six papers in six years with two other papers at advances stages of review is on par with the most productive junior scholars in strategy at top business schools.

In more qualitative terms, Professor Wu's research has garnered significant recognition. His papers have been selected as winners (Academy of Management Technology and Innovation Management Division Stephan Schrader Best Conference Paper Award, Best Student Paper award from the Office of Advocacy of the US Small Business Administration) and finalists

(INFORMS Dissertation; Strategic Management Society Best Conference Paper) in various best paper competitions. Last August he was named a runner-up for the Academy of Management Technology and Innovation Management Division Past Chairs Emerging Scholar Award. Professor Wu was also elected to the Executive Committee of the Business Policy and Strategy Division of the Academy of Management, which is also an important distinction in his field. Each of these distinctions is indicative of high quality research; considered together, they demonstrate a consistent pattern of excellence and external recognition.

Professor Wu's work has made very important contributions to the strategic management literature on innovation, and he has developed a particular reputation for advancing our understanding of how new entry into markets interacts with the knowledge of incumbent firms to explain future rates of innovation and competitive advantage from research and development.

Professor Wu is a great researcher contributing new methodologies and insights, a wonderful teacher, and a great citizen of the school. Therefore, we are pleased to honor him for his excellent record and to support his growth and development by appointing him as the Sanford R. Robertson Assistant Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, for a one-year non-renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Alison Davis-Blake

Edward J. Frey Dean of Business Stephen M. Ross School of Business

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Martha E. Pollack, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic

**Affairs** 

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Elizabeth Yakel

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Associate Dean for Research and Faculty Affairs, School of

Information

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

The Dean of the School of Information is pleased to recommend the appointment of Elizabeth Yakel as associate dean for research and faculty affairs, School of Information, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Professor Yakel has been a faculty member at the University of Michigan for 13 years. She was educated at Brown University (A.B., 1980) and the University of Michigan (A.M.L.S, 1982 and Ph.D., 1997), and joined the University of Michigan as an assistant professor of information in 2000. She was promoted to associate professor (with tenure) in 2005 and to professor in 2011. Last fall term she served as acting dean of academic affairs at the School of Information.

Professor Yakel has been a member of the School of Information governing faculty and has been active in the instructional program including teaching and mentoring masters and doctoral students. In 2012, she was awarded the Michael D. Cohen Outstanding Service Award at the School of Information. She has received numerous best paper awards: 2013, International Digital Curation Conference; 2012, iConference; and 2008, Society of American Archivists Fellows' Ernst Posner Award. As associate dean for research and faculty affairs she will focus on research administration, faculty affairs, and strategic initiatives.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Elizabeth Yakel as associate dean for research and faculty affairs, School of Information, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Jeffrey K. MacKie-Mason

Arthur W Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science, and

Dean, School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

E. Hellas

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

#### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval of Extension of Leave of Absence

NAME:

Jean-Marie Rouillard

**CURRENT TITLE:** 

Assistant Research Scientist, Department of Chemical

Engineering, College of Engineering

TYPE OF LEAVE:

Extension of a Personal Leave

DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE:

July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014

TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED:

July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015

It is recommended that Jean-Marie Rouillard be granted an extension of leave of absence, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.

Jean-Marie Rouillard is the co-founder of Biodiscovery LLC; a start-up company developing commercial products based on new technology to synthesize DNA oligonucleotides in a massively parallel approach. As chief scientific officer, he is responsible for identifying new market opportunities and adapting the technology to better serve these markets. He is also responsible for setting up collaborations with academic and industrial labs in the United States, Europe and Australia. Through this work, he is part of several international research networks working on various topics ranging from species de-extinction to food safety and forensic investigation. Finally, he is responsible for writing grant proposals to support product development. We believe the University of Michigan will benefit from his continued involvement in this initiative.

We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Jean-Marie Rouillard.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

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#### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic administrative positions.

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval to Establish a New Professional Administrative Position

POSITION TITLE:

Assistant Dean for Administration and Student Services, School of

Nursing

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

July 1, 2014

The dean and the executive committee of the School of Nursing request approval to establish the position of assistant dean for administration and student services, School of Nursing, effective July 1, 2014.

The recent change of structure in the School of Nursing reflects the evolutionary needs of the school which include the effective and efficient oversight of all staff administrative functions. The establishment of the professional administrative position will provide one primary decision maker for administrative operations that reports directly to the dean. It will also provide a greater emphasis and oversight for operational activity and allow faculty administrators to focus on true academic work

The assistant dean for administration and student services will be responsible for the administrative vision and oversight for the areas of financial management, human resource management, student services, marketing and communications, information technology, research support including pre- and post-award support, and facilities management. In addition, the assistant dean will be responsible for faculty practice administration including developing and tracking practice contracts, invoicing for clinical practice and credentialing of practitioners.

Overall, the assistant dean will be responsible for providing administrative, financial, student services and operational leadership for the school.

**RECOMMENDED BY:** 

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

E. Y. Q.

Kathleen Potempa

Dean, School of Nursing

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and

Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate

Professorship

PROPOSED NAME:

William I. Higuchi Collegiate Professorship in Pharmacy, College

of Pharmacy

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

August 1, 2014

The College of Pharmacy seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for William I. Higuchi, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1962 through 1982.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office. This professorship will be funded from College of Pharmacy resources, and the initial term of appointment will be for five years with the possibility of renewal. A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor.

Professor Higuchi received his B.A. in chemistry from San Jose State College in 1952 and his Ph.D. in chemistry from the University of California, Berkeley, in 1956. He completed a two-year post-doctoral fellowship in 1958 at the University of Wisconsin and joined the California Research Corporation as a research chemist immediately thereafter. He returned to the University of Wisconsin in 1959, where he held the appointment of assistant professor of pharmaceutical chemistry before joining the University of Michigan as associate professor of pharmaceutical chemistry in 1962. He was promoted to the rank of professor in 1965 and received a joint appointment as professor in the Dental School in 1966. He was named the Albert B. Prescott Distinguished Professor of Pharmacy in 1976, a title he held until his departure for the University of Utah in 1982. Professor Higuchi is currently professor emeritus of pharmaceutics and pharmaceutical chemistry at the University of Utah. He received an honorary degree from the University of Michigan in 2013.

Professor Higuchi is internationally recognized as a pioneer in the area of drug formulation and delivery, having made significant contributions in drug transport which have led to advancements in transdermal and gastrointestinal drug delivery. He has also made discoveries related to fluoride's role in cavity prevention and the formation and dissolution of cholesterol gallstones. He has received several prestigious honors, including the Ebert Prize and Research Achievement Award of the American Pharmaceutical Association, as well as Japan's Order of the Rising Sun for his role in promoting Japan—U.S. cooperation and his outstanding work in science. He has founded and co-founded several pharmaceutical companies, and was highly regarded for his outstanding mentorship of graduate students.

The William I. Higuchi Collegiate Professorship will honor Professor Higuchi and will provide the opportunity to recognize distinguished members of the faculty.

Recommended by:

Frank J. Ascione

Dean, College of Pharmacy

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive

Vice President for Academic Affairs

Matte E. Pollal

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME:

Rhys Isaac Collegiate Professorship in History, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE:

July 1, 2014

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Rhys Isaac, who was an Institute for the Humanities Fellow in winter 2002 as well as a frequent visitor from the 1980s to 2002.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Rhys Isaac (1937-2010) and his twin were born in Cape Town, South Africa. He attended Oxford University (Balliol College) where he was the 1959 Cape Province Rhodes Scholar. He moved to Australia in 1963 where he taught at the University of Melbourne and later at La Trobe University until his retirement in 1999. He was also the Distinguished Visiting Professor of Early American History at the College of William and Mary and a UM Humanities Institute Fellow.

Professor Isaac's field of research was colonial American history and he was the first historian to take an anthropological approach to the study of evangelical religion. His landmark study of cultural history was entitled The Transformation of Virginia, 1740-1790 (University of North Carolina Press and the Institute of Early American History and Culture, 1982; reprinted 1999) and this work inspired an entire generation of scholars. In 1983 Professor Isaac received the Pulitzer Prize in History – he was the first and only Australian to receive this prestigious prize – and the National Historical Society Book Prize. He also published Landon Carter's Uneasy Kingdom: Revolution and Rebellion on a Virginia Plantation (Oxford University Press, 2004), which was based on the diary of a Virginia landowner and member of the House of Burgesses.

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:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor,

Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

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Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME:

Pearl L. Kendrick Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and

Evolutionary Biology and Complex Systems, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

July 1, 2014

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Pearl L. Kendrick, who was a resident lecturer at the University of Michigan from 1951 until her retirement in 1960.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Pearl Kendrick was born in Wheaton, Illinois in 1890 and completed her Bachelor of Science at Syracuse University in 1914. She taught biology and chemistry in New York high schools (1914-1919) and assisted in research at the New York State Department of Health (1919-1920). The Michigan Department of Health attracted her to its Lansing laboratory as a bacteriologist and in 1926 appointed her as associate director of laboratories and chief of the Western Michigan Branch Laboratory in Grand Rapids. During a leave of absence she earned her Doctorate at John Hopkins University in 1932.

Dr. Kendrick's most important work was done at the Michigan Department of Health where she carried out extensive studies on the diagnosis and prevention of whooping cough, a serious disease that claimed approximately 6,000 lives each year in the United States. The majority of these deaths were young children. Dr. Kendrick and her colleagues began a field study to demonstrate the effectiveness of the pertussis vaccine and helped establish the field trial as an important method for measuring immunization. The Department of Health started general distribution of the vaccine in 1940. Dr. Kendick served as a consultant on immunization projects in a number of foreign countries and for the World Health Organization. She was also a member of the 1962 Immunology Delegation that visited laboratories in the Soviet Union as part of a United States-Union of Soviet Socialist Republics exchange program.

Dr. Kendrick retired from the Michigan Department of Health in 1951 and accepted a position as a lecturer in the Department of Epidemiology in UM's School of Public Health. After nine years she retired a second time. She was active in professional associations throughout her career serving as chair of several committees of the American Public Health Association and as president of the Michigan American Society for Microbiology. She passed away in Grand Rapids in 1980.

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:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Provost and Executive Vice President Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Earl Lewis Collegiate Professorship in Afroamerican and African

Studies and in the Residential College, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2014

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Earl Lewis, who was a faculty member at Michigan from 1989 until he resigned in 2004.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Earl Lewis received his Doctorate from the University of Minnesota in 1984 and began his academic career as a lecturer there in 1983. He was appointed as an assistant professor at the University of California, Berkeley, in 1985, and joined the faculty at Michigan as an associate professor in 1989. He was promoted to professor in 1995. Professor Lewis served as the interim director (1990-1991) and director (1991-1993) of the Center for Afroamerican and African Studies. He also held positions as senior associate dean and interim dean at the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies before being appointed as dean and vice provost (1998-2004). The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recognized Professor Lewis' contributions with an appointment as the Elsa Barkley Brown and Robin D. G. Kelley Collegiate Professor of History and African American and African Studies in 2004. Professor Lewis was next appointed at Emory University as the Asa Griggs Candler Professor of History and African American Studies and as provost and executive vice president for academic affairs (2004-2013). He is currently serving as president of The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation (2013-present).

Professor Lewis has established himself as a leading scholar in African-American studies and has been a prolific scholar in spite of his extensive administrative responsibilities. He has published two monographs, including In Their Own Interests: Race, Class and Power in Twentieth-Century Norfolk, Virginia (1991), and co-authored or co-edited six books on contemporary history and social status of African-Americans. He also co-edited an award-winning series, Young Oxford History of African Americans (1994-1997) and has published more than two dozen scholarly articles and essays that include race, ethnicity, urban studies, and higher education, among others. His enormous contributions to graduate education at the University of Michigan and to national discussions concerning graduate education and diversity have earned him substantial recognition and praise. Professor Lewis was elected as a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences in 2008.

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:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Establishment of a Research Professorship

PROPOSED NAME:

Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professorship

in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

July 1, 2014

On the recommendation of Edward L. Bove, M.D., the Helen F. and Marvin M. Kirsh Professor and Chair of the Department of Cardiac Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professorship in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014.

This professorship is being established through gifts, departmental funds and a bequest from the Sarns family, to support cardiac surgery with a focus on research, clinical application and teaching. The holder will be a faculty member of the Department of Cardiac Surgery. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Dick Sarns was born and raised in Mt. Clemens, Michigan. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II and studied engineering at the Lawrence Institute of Technology and the University of Michigan. In the 1960s, Mr. Sarns and his wife Norma founded Sarns, Inc., a medical device company focused on developing products used in open heart bypass surgery. Through work with physicians from the University of Michigan Hospital, Mr. Sarns helped transform the field of surgery, by producing cannulas, dilators, oxygenators, valves, a sternal saw, and heart-lung machine among many other developments. These breakthrough developments served to advance surgical procedures and improve patient outcomes. The heart/lung machine was used in the first human heart transplant by Dr. Christian Barnard in Cape Town, South Africa in 1967.

The Sarns family shifted their focus to cardiac rehabilitation in 1989. They then founded NuStep with the vision of helping those with heart disease transform their lives. In 1993, following years of research and development, NuStep introduced its first product, a seated recumbent cross trainer designed for use in cardiac rehabilitation settings.

Dick Sarns' groundbreaking technologies have improved surgical outcomes for countless patients worldwide. This professorship will recognize his achievements in the field of cardiac surgery. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professorship in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective July 1, 2014.

Recommended by:

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

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Michael W. Traugott Collegiate Professorship in Communication

Studies and Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the

Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2014

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Michael W. Traugott, who has been a faculty member at the University of Michigan since 1984 and will be retiring in July 2014.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Michael Traugott received his Doctorate from the University of Michigan in 1974. He joined the Survey Research Center in 1974, the Center for Political Studies in 1970, and was appointed as an adjunct associate professor in the Department of Communication Studies in 1984. He became a professor of communication studies, without tenure, in 1987 and was tenured in 1983. In 2011 he was given a courtesy appointment in the Department of Political Science. Professor Traugott was appointed as a senior research scientist at the Centre for Political Studies in 1998, having served as the program director for the preceding decade. He has played similarly pivotal roles at the Institute for Social Research and the Centre for Survey Methodology.

Professor Traugott is an international authority on the study of political communication, political behavior, and public opinion. His research in political communication focuses on the use of the media by candidates in their campaigns, and the related impacts on voters, as well as the ways in which campaigns are covered, and the impact of this coverage on candidates. He has studied the history, uses, and impact of public opinion polls, the impact of voting technology on voting behavior, and more recently the data quality in the kinds of low-cost data collection methodologies that organizations use to produce news about public opinion. He is an expert on survey design, focusing on the measurement of public opinion and behavior. Professor Traugott is the author or co-author of twelve books and more than 100 journal articles and book chapters. He has been president of the American Association for Public Opinion Research (AAPOR) and the World Association for Public Opinion Research (WAPOR); and he is currently president of the Midwest Association for Public Opinion Research (MAPOR). He received the AAPOR Distinguished Lifetime Achievement award in 2010 and was invited to give the Distinguished Lecture at the Joint Program in Survey Methods at the University of Maryland in 2012.

Professor Traugott has been a dedicated teacher and mentor of undergraduate and graduate students. He has taught courses in political communication and research methods. He received the Recognition Award for Outstanding Research Mentorship from the Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP) in 2002. He has also been a selfless administrator and outstanding leader in his department. He served as chair of the Department of Communication Studies (1998-2004) and interim chair (2007-2008). He also served as LSA associate dean for development (1992-1994), and on numerous committees.

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:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

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for Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME:

Michael B. Woodroofe Collegiate Professorship in Statistics,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

July 1, 2014

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Michael B. Woodroofe, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1968 until his retirement in 2008.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Michael Woodroofe completed his Doctorate at the University of Oregon in 1965 and began his career as a research associate at Stanford University (1965-1966). He was appointed as an assistant professor at Carnegie Mellon University (1966-1968) and joined the faculty at Michigan as an assistant professor of mathematics in 1968. He was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1973. Professor Woodroofe served as chair of the Department of Statistics (1977-1983) and was appointed as the Leonard J. Savage Collegiate Professor of Statistics in 1994.

As an eminent scientist in statistics and probability, Professor Woodroofe has made pioneering contributions in nonparametric inference, biased sampling, isotonic inference, sequential analysis, and statistics in astronomy. His seminal work was done in the area of sequential analysis and non-linear renewal theory, which as influences an entire generation of researchers. Professor Woodroofe published more than 100 articles, a monograph, and a book.

Professor Woodroofe was an outstanding and dedicated teacher. He taught core courses and developed new courses, including a course he co-taught with faculty from philosophy and astronomy – a collaboration that was quite unusual. He directed the dissertation work of 40 students over the course of his career.

Professor Woodroofe served as editor of the *Annals of Statistics* (1992-1994), advisory editor of the *Journal of Statistical Planning and Inference*, and associate editor of the *Annals of Statistics*, *Annals of Probability*, and *Sequential Analysis*. He has been a member of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics Council, served on numerous federal granting and advisory panels, and lectured broadly at universities as well as national and international conferences. He is a fellow of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics and an elected member of the International Statistical Institute. In 2007, Professor Woodroofe was honored with the Rackham Distinguished Graduate Mentoring Award. His enthusiasm, dedication, and integrity have had a lasting influence on numerous colleagues and students.

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:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME:

Ta-You Wu Collegiate Professorship in Physics, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE:

July 1, 2014

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Ta-You Wu, who was a visiting faculty member at the University of Michigan during the 1946-1947 academic year. He was awarded an Honorary Degree of Science from Michigan in 1991.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Ta-You Wu (1907-2000) was born into a family of scholars in 1907 in Canton, China. He was an atomic and nuclear theoretical physicist who received his Doctorate from the University of Michigan in 1933 and stayed on as a researcher and adjunct until 1934 when he returned to China. Between 1934 and 1949, Professor Wu taught at various institutions there, including Peking University and the National Southwestern Associated University in Kunming where he wrote his first book on molecular spectroscopy, Vibrational Spectra and Structure of Polyatomic Molecules, for which he received the 1939 Ting Memorial Prize from the Academia Sinica.

In 1949 during a very difficult time of war in China, Professor Wu fled to Canada where he headed the Theoretical Physics Division of the National Research Council until 1963. He was also chair of the Department of Physics at the State University of New York (1966-1969). Professor Wu was appointed as the director of the Institute of Physics of Academia Sinica in 1962, Chairman of the National Science Council of the Republic of China in 1967, and chair of the Committee for Science Development of the National Security Council, Republic of China, in 1967, a position he held for many years. He was president of Academia Sinica from 1983 to 1994. He served as one of the senior Presidential advisors to the government of Taiwan and continued to lecture at several universities there until his death in 2000.

Professor Wu's Ph.D. dissertation dealt with theoretical predictions of the chemical properties of the yet undiscovered transuranic elements of the actinide series, which includes such well known elements as plutonium and americium. Later in his career, he worked on solid-state physics, molecular physics, statistical physics, and other areas of theoretical physics. He was known as a teacher as much as a theoretician. His many illustrious students include Chen Ning Yang and Tsung-Dao Lee, co-winners of the Nobel Prize in Physics in 1957. Professor Wu was the author of twenty-one books, including a seven-part series on theoretical physics and seven volumes of collected essays. He published over 120 papers in a wide range of areas in modern and classical physics.

In 1991 the University of Michigan conferred on him an honorary degree. The Citation read in part, "More than any other individual, Ta-You Wu is responsible for raising physics to its current level in both mainland China and Taiwan [and] it is chiefly for his extraordinary work as a teacher and scientific statesman that Dr. Wu has become known throughout the world... Commending his exceptional influence as a science teacher and policy-maker, the University is proud to bestow upon Ta-You Wu its honorary degree, Doctor of Science."

In 1994, Dr. Wu was awarded the Presidential Medal in Taiwan for his distinguished achievement.

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:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Patricia S. Yaeger Collegiate Professorship in Molecular, Cellular, and

Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2014

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Patricia S. Yaeger, who has been a faculty member at the University of Michigan since 1990.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Patricia Yaeger received her Doctorate from Yale University in 1980 and began her academic career as an assistant professor at Williams College (1979-1983). Following a one-year Mellon Fellowship, she was appointed at Harvard University as a lecturer (1984-1986), head tutor (1986-1989), and associate professor (1989-1990). Professor Yaeger joined our faculty as an associate professor, with tenure, in 1990 and was promoted to professor in 1999. She served as interim chair of the English department (2002-2003) and was appointed to the Frieze Collegiate Professorship in 2005.

Professor Yaeger is an internationally prominent scholar, whose research is situated at the conjunction of feminist theory, literary theory, southern fiction, post-colonial theory, and cultural studies. Beginning in 1990 she co-edited a series of agenda-setting anthologies. In 2004 she was appointed as editor of *PMLA*, the flagship journal of the Modern Language Association and the single most visible and highly regarded journal in literary studies. She has been honored with a Distinguished Faculty and Graduate Student Seminar Award (2003), Faculty Recognition Award (2001), and the College's Excellence in Education Award (1997), among others. In addition to the Mellon Fellowship, she held a Bunting Fellowship and a fellowship from the American Center for Learned Societies. Her stature in the field is easily recognized by her extensive activities at the national level. She is regularly sought as a keynote speaker and is widely sought for committees at the departmental, college, and university levels.

Professor Yaeger has taught original courses at all levels in the English department's curriculum and has worked individually with numerous honors and graduate students. She has served on the college's Humanities Divisional Evaluation Committee and the departmental Executive Committee. She has also contributed generously to hiring, mentoring, and other service activities.

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:

Susan A. Gelman

Heinz Werner Distinguished University Professor, Professor of Psychology, and Interim Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Matte E. Hill.

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

#### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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

#### **ACTION REQUEST**

SUBJECT:

Interim Appointment Approval During August

**ACTION REQUESTED:** 

Authorization for approving necessary

appointments during August

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

August 1, 2014 through August 31, 2014

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.

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME:

Tamas I. Gombosi

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Rollin M. Gerstacker Professor of Engineering, Professor of

Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, with tenure, and Professor of

Aerospace Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Konstantin I. Gringauz Distinguished University Professor of Space Science, Rollin M. Gerstacker Professor of Engineering, Professor of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, with tenure, and Professor of Aerospace Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

TERM:

Period of Active Service

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

September 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Tamas I. Gombosi as the Konstantin I. Gringauz Distinguished University Professor of Space Science, effective September 1, 2014.

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 prestigious honors conferred by the university upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Gombosi, a native of and educated in Hungary, earned his doctorate and post-doctoral degrees in physics. He served as a research scientist at the Central Research Institute for Physics in the Hungarian Academy of Sciences from 1970 to 1985 when he joined the faculty of the University of Michigan. Presently he is the Rollin M. Gerstacker Professor of Engineering, professor of atmospheric, oceanic and space sciences and professor of aerospace engineering. In addition, he is the founding director of the Center for Space Environment Modeling.

Professor Gombosi established close interdisciplinary collaborations with faculty involved in computational fluid dynamics and computational science research, and formed a tightly integrated group of faculty and students that pioneered high performance simulation technology of space plasmas. His present research includes the physics of planetary space environments, theoretical investigations of plasma transport in various regions of the heliosphere, and fundamental kinetic theory of gases and plasmas. He also continues to participate in the exploration of the space environment and the solar system.

Professor Gombosi participated in a number of exciting space missions, including the Venera 9 and 10 Venus orbiters, the VEGA mission to comet Halley, the Dynamics Explorer mission to explore the upper atmosphere and ionosphere, and the Pioneer Venus mission. Recent space missions include the Cassini/Huygens mission to Saturn and its moon Titan, the Rosetta mission to comet ChuryumovGerasimenko, the STEREO mission to explore solar storms, and the Magnetospheric Multiscale mission.

Professor Gombosi's contribution to scholarship is notable. He has written two textbooks, edited four scientific monographs and authored or co-authored over 325 peer-reviewed publications. Professor Gombosi's work has been cited more than 7,500 times and his h-index is 46. In addition, he gave or significantly contributed to more than 150 invited and 550 contributed presentations at major national and international conferences. His active engagement in mentoring is equally striking. Professor Gombosi to date has supervised 28 Ph.D. dissertations and supervised 11 post-doctoral researchers.

His achievements have been internationally recognized by many awards and achievements. These include the American Geophysical Union's inaugural Space Weather Prize (2013), election to full membership in the International Academy of Astronautics (1997), and the NASA Group Achievement Award (2009, 1998), to name just a few.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Gombosi wishes to be named the Konstantin I. Gringauz Distinguished University Professor of Space Science.

Konstantin I. Gringauz (1918-1993) is internationally acknowledged as one of the earliest space pioneers; he holds a special position in the history of space research. He obtained his doctorate in 1941 from the Leningrad Electro-technical Institute in the innovative field of frequency modulation, and after 1945 continued post-graduate studies in radio wave propagation in the ionosphere. By the mid-1950s K.I. Gringauz was designing the radio transmitter for Sputnik-1 and scientific instruments used on Sputnik-3, and later on the first Soviet Moon missions. By the early 1960s he was the head of the Laboratory for the Propagation of Radio Waves at the U.S.S.R.'s Academy of Sciences. During the next thirty years, Dr. Gringauz and his research group focused on exploring the plasma environments of solar system objects. He pioneered the exploration of the induced magnetospheres of Mars and Venus, and was the first to observe the magnetosphere of Halley's comet, an adventure that crowned his most distinguished career. During the last decade of his life, Dr. Gringauz frequently visited the University of Michigan and worked closely with Michigan students and post-doctoral fellows.

The appointment of Tamas I. Gombosi as the Konstantin I. Gringauz Distinguished University Professor of Space Science, effective September 1, 2014, recognizes his extraordinary productivity and engagement in research facilitating advancement in space sciences, his commitment to excellence in education, and his extensive contributions to the University of Michigan and 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:

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Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

ACTION REQUEST:

Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME:

Jessy W. Grizzle

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Jerry W. and Carol L. Levin Professor of Engineering, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Elmer G. Gilbert Distinguished University Professor of Engineering, Jerry W. and Carol L. Levin Professor of Engineering, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

TERM:

Period of Active Service

EFFECTIVE DATE:

September 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Jessy W. Grizzle as the Elmer G. Gilbert Distinguished University Professor of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.

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 prestigious honors conferred by the university upon a member of its faculty.

Jessy W. Grizzle was awarded a Ph.D. in electrical engineering from the University of Texas at Austin in 1983, and was an NSF-NATO post-doctoral fellow before he joined the faculty at the College of Engineering in 1987. His research interests often have focused on theoretical aspects of nonlinear systems and control, including geometric methods for continuous- and discrete-time systems, and observer design in discrete time. He has been a consultant in the automotive industry since 1986 and jointly holds sixteen patents dealing with emissions reduction through improved controller design. More recently, Professor Grizzle has been exploring the possibilities of robotic bipedal locomotion and successfully designed and created a robot that walks with a human-like gait.

In addition to his intensive and productive research program, Professor Grizzle has an extensive record of scholarship. He has produced a research monograph, 82 journal papers, 104 reviewed conference papers, and has an h-index of 40. At the same time, he has served as advisor for 27 doctoral students, and mentored two master's students and two post-doctoral fellows. Professor Grizzle has been consistently involved in professional activities on a national and international level. For example, he has served as senior editor for the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) *Transactions on Automatic Control* (2009-2012), associate editor for *Automatica* (2002-2005), on the Program Committee for the Conference Internationale Francophone d'Automatique (2001-2006) and on the Board of Governors for the IEEE Control Systems Society (1997-2000).

His professional achievements have been recognized by many honors and awards. He is, for example, the recipient of the Bode Prize from the (IEEE), the Ford Innovation Award, and the George S. Axelby

Award. He was named one of the Ten World-Changing Innovators by *Popular Mechanics* and listed as one of *Scientific American*'s Top 50. Here at the university he has received the Attwood Award, the Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award, the Research Excellence Award, and the College of Engineering Teaching Award.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Grizzle wishes to be named the Elmer G. Gilbert Distinguished University Professor of Engineering.

Elmer G. Gilbert is an emeritus professor of aerospace engineering and professor of electrical engineering and computer science. He received his undergraduate and graduate degrees at the university, joined the faculty in 1957 and remained here until his retirement in 1994. A productive researcher, Professor Gilbert has made numerous contributions in the areas of dynamic-system simulation, linear systems and control theory, optimal control of aerospace and robotics systems, and numerical optimization techniques. He was instrumental in establishing strong graduate-level programs in information and control engineering, computer, information and control engineering, and aerospace engineering. His high standards of scholarship have had a major influence on the control curriculum.

The appointment of Jessy W. Grizzle as the Elmer G. Gilbert University Professor of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014, recognizes his outstanding contributions, through research, scholarship, and mentoring, to the national and international reputation of the University of Michigan's engineering programs. 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

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Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME:

Robert T. Kennedy

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Hobart H. Willard Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and

Professor of Pharmacology, with tenure, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Hobart H. Willard Distinguished University Professor of Chemistry, Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Pharmacology, with tenure, Medical School

TERM:

Period of Active Service

EFFECTIVE DATE:

September 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Robert T. Kennedy as the Hobart H. Willard Distinguished University Professor of Chemistry, effective September 1, 2014.

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 prestigious honors conferred by the university upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Kennedy earned a B.S. in chemistry at the University of Florida (1984) and a Ph.D. from the University of North Carolina (1988). He was a post-doctoral fellow at North Carolina, and then joined the chemistry faculty at the University of Florida in 1991, before joining our university in 2002.

Professor Kennedy's research interests are analytical chemistry, and its application to neuroscience, endocrinology, and biotechnology. His research team has developed instrumentation for measuring neurotransmitters. These methods have been used to identify changes in neurotransmitter concentrations associated with behavior and diseases. He has developed methods for studying insulin secretion, including at the single cell level, and its relationship to type 2 diabetes. Professor Kennedy and his team also are researching the use of rapid electrophoretic and mass spectrometric assays as novel approaches to high-throughput screening for drug recovery. He has published close to 200 peer-reviewed papers on these topics.

Professor Kennedy's achievements have been recognized by several awards, including two MERIT awards from the National Institutes of Health, a Presidential Faculty Fellowship, a Sloan Foundation Fellowship, a McKnight Award for Technical Innovations in Neuroscience, and a Golay Award for Achievements in Chromatography. He was recently listed as one of the most influential analytical chemists in the world by *The analytical Scientist* magazine. He has held several service posts including director of the Microfluidics in Biomedical Sciences Training Program at Michigan and is presently associate editor of *Analytical Chemistry* and analytical director of the Michigan Regional Comprehensive Metabolomics Research Core (MRC²) supported by the National Institutes of Health.

His productivity in research and scholarship is matched by his dedication to training and mentoring. Professor Kennedy has graduated 50 Ph.D. students and trained 19 post-doctoral fellows who worked with him in his specific areas of research. They have moved on to successful careers in industry, academia, and government laboratories. His teaching has been recognized with several awards including a Liberal Arts and Sciences Teacher of the Year in 1996.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Kennedy wishes to be named the Hobart H. Willard Distinguished University Professor of Chemistry

Hobart H. Willard (1881-1974) was a professor in the Department of Chemistry for almost half a century, during which time he became a leader in the era of instrumental analysis in modern analytical chemistry. He received his A.B. from the University of Michigan in 1903 and then his master's degree; in 1909 he earned his doctorate from Harvard University. Professor Willard began as an instructor at the university in 1905, became a professor in 1922, and retired in 1951. He achieved a position of national leadership in his profession through his research in analytic methods and in inorganic chemistry, particularly that of perchloric and periodic acids and their salts. Under his guidance 43 students earned their doctoral degrees. Professor Willard's many accomplishments and dedication to teaching and service were recognized in 1948 when he was chosen as the Henry Russel Lecturer.

The appointment of Robert T. Kennedy as the Hobart H. Willard Distinguished University Professor of Chemistry, effective September 1, 2014, recognizes his impressive accomplishments and leadership in research, education, training and service. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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Janet A. Weiss

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

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Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME: Donald R. Kinder

CURRENT TITLES: Philip E. Converse Collegiate Professor of Political Science, Professor of

Political Science, with tenure, and Professor of Psychology, without

tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Philip E. Converse Distinguished University Professor of Political

Science, Professor of Political Science, with tenure, and Professor of Psychology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Period of Active Service

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Donald R. Kinder as the Philip E. Converse Distinguished University Professor of Political Science, effective September 1, 2014.

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 prestigious honors conferred by the university upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Kinder earned a B.A. in psychology at Stanford University (1969) and a Ph.D. in social psychology from the University of California, Los Angeles (1975). He began his teaching career as an assistant professor at Yale University in 1975 and was promoted to associate professor in 1979 before becoming a faculty member at the University of Michigan in 1981 as a professor of political science and of psychology.

Professor Kinder has become a nationally prominent scholar in the realm of political science through his innovative and creative contributions to the fields of public opinion and social psychology. His current research focuses on explicit and implicit forms of prejudice and their consequences for contemporary American political life; the misunderstanding of ideology in the study of American politics; gender and race as alternative forms for political organization; transformation of racial politics in the United States since Myrdal. Perhaps most influential of his many publications are the books co-authored by Professor Kinder. These include *The End of Race?: Obama, 2008, and Racial Politics in America* (2012); *Us Versus Them: Ethnocentric Foundations of American Opinion* (2009); and *News that Matters* (1987; 2010).

One measure of the high caliber of Professor Kinder's teaching and mentoring is that he provides exceptional training by routinely co-authoring books and articles with current and former graduate students. In addition, he regularly teaches both undergraduate and graduate courses on public opinion, American government, research methods, and political psychology. Professor Kinder is similarly engaged in service to the university and professional organizations. Currently he serves on the college's Divisional Committee, and was chair of the Department of Political Science (2004-2008) in addition to

serving on the editorial board for American Political Science Review and on the Board of Overseers for American National Election Studies.

Professor Kinder's achievements have been recognized by many awards and honors. For example, he was named Distinguished Mentor by the Women's Caucus of the American Political Science Association; received a Guggenheim Fellowship; accepted the Warren E. Miller Award from the American Political Science Association for lifetime achievement in the study of public opinion and elections; and was elected as a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. Professor Kinder has been the recipient of multiple grants from the Carnegie Foundation, the Russel Sage Foundation, and the National Science Foundation, among others.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Kinder wishes to be named the Philip E. Converse Distinguished University Professor of Political Science.

Philip E. Converse earned his master's and doctoral degrees at the University of Michigan and joined the faculty in 1960 and remained here until 1989 when he became director of the Center for Advanced Study in Behavioral Sciences in Stanford. Professor Converse received an honorary Doctor of Science degree from the University of Michigan in 2007. During his time at the university held a variety of positions, including director of the Center for Political Studies and director of the Institute for Social Research. Simultaneously, he served on the faculties of the sociology and political science departments. An internationally renowned scholar of public opinion and electoral behavior, Professor Converse is a widely quoted author whose publications occupy a prominent place in the study of political ideology, the determinants of voting behavior, and survey methodology.

The appointment of Donald R. Kinder as the Philip E. Converse Distinguished University Professor of Political Science, effective September 1, 2014, recognizes his extraordinary scholarly achievements and his dedication to training the next generation of scholars. 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

Janet A Weiss

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME:

Harry L.T. Mobley

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor of Microbiology and

Immunology, Chair, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, and Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, with tenure, Medical

School

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Frederick G. Novy Distinguished University Professor of Microbiology

and Immunology, Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor of

Microbiology and Immunology, Chair, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, and Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, with

tenure, Medical School

TERM:

Period of Active Service

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

September 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Harry L.T. Mobley as the Frederick G. Novy Distinguished University Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, effective September 1, 2014.

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 prestigious honors conferred by the university upon a member of its faculty.

Harry Mobley was awarded a Ph.D. from the University of Louisville in 1981. Following his post-doctoral training at the University of Maryland, he began his academic career at that institution as an assistant professor of medicine in the Division of Infectious Diseases, and remained there until he joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a professor and chair of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology in 2004.

Dr. Mobley is widely recognized as a leader in the field of microbial pathogenesis of human infections, particularly for bacteria causing peptic ulceration and urinary tract infection, and has achieved national and international stature for his scientific contributions. The current focus of his research concerns the mechanisms of microbial pathogenesis of urinary tract infection. He uses molecular genetic approaches to identify virulence determinants for these organisms as well as immunogenic proteins that may represent candidates for use in vaccines to prevent uncomplicated and complicated urinary tract infection. Dr. Mobley has published over 200 peer-reviewed research articles, 35 book chapters, and has edited four books. His publications have been referenced over 10,000 times by other scientists.

As renowned a researcher as he is, he has made an equivalent mark as an educator. He has taught many courses at both Maryland and Michigan during his career, and now is teaching the Medical School's first year sequence on microbiology and infectious diseases. Perhaps his greatest legacy in teaching, however,

is the significant influence he has had in training the students and post-doctoral fellows in his laboratories. Dr. Mobley has trained 27 graduate students and 28 post-doctoral fellows in his career, with nearly half of the total since he joined the faculty at Michigan. He is the recipient of the University of Michigan Postdoctoral Association's Excellence in Mentorship Faculty Award.

Dr. Mobley's service to this university and to his profession has been generous. For example, he is chair of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology, and serves on many committees at the university; he continues to hold two prominent editorial positions; and has served as president of the Association of Medical School Microbiology and Immunology Chairs. He has been elected as a fellow of the American Academy of Microbiology, and of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Mobley wishes to be named the Frederick G. Novy Distinguished University Professor of Microbiology and Immunology.

Frederick G. Novy (1864-1957) was greatly respected as one of the world's premier bacteriologists of his era. He graduated with a B.S. degree from the University of Michigan in 1886, then became an instructor in the Department of Organic Chemistry and published on the subject of bacteriological chemistry. He continued his research and training over the next decade in Berlin, Prague and Paris. The Department of Microbiology and Immunology at the University of Michigan was founded in 1902 as the Department of Bacteriology under the leadership of Dr. Novy. He became recognized nationally for his work in bacteriology and communicable diseases. Through his scholarship and presentations, Dr. Novy played an important role in educating the public on the role of bacteria in the spread of disease. Although his career was largely devoted to research, Dr. Novy also was an important member of the Medical School and served as chairman of the executive committee and then dean until his retirement in 1935.

The appointment of Harry L. Mobley as the Frederick G. Novy Distinguished University Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, effective September 1, 2014, recognizes his outstanding contributions to the University of Michigan and the advancement of his profession. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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

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RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME: Susan A. Murphy

CURRENT TITLES: Herbert E. Robbins Collegiate Professor of Statistics, Professor of

Statistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and

Professor of Psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Herbert E. Robbins Distinguished University Professor of Statistics,

Professor of Statistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School

TERM: Period of Active Service

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Susan A. Murphy as the Herbert E. Robbins Distinguished University Professor of Statistics, effective September 1, 2014.

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 prestigious honors conferred by the university upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Murphy received her B.S. in mathematics at Louisiana State University and Ph.D. in statistics at the University of North Carolina. Her research focuses on improving sequential, individualized, decision making in health, in particular on clinical trial design and data analysis to inform the development of adaptive interventions. Prior to joining the faculty of the University of Michigan in 1998 she was an assistant then associate professor of statistics at Pennsylvania State University.

Professor Murphy's research is known for its interdisciplinary nature and innovative applications. She collaborates extensively with clinical scientists, computer scientists and engineers. She is a leading developer of the Sequential Multiple Assignment Randomized Trial (SMART) design which is being used by clinical researchers to develop adaptive interventions in depression, alcoholism, treatment of substance abuse, obesity, diabetes, and autism among other applications. Her research has been funded by grants from the National Institute on Drug Abuse and the National Institute of Mental Health. Professor Murphy is presently working with computer scientists and engineers to generalize this clinical trial design and data analysis methodology to settings in which individuals are striving to maintain healthy behaviors. In these settings individual information is collected in real time (e.g., via smart phones or other wearable devices) and thus sequences of interventions can be individualized and delivered whenever and wherever help is needed.

The significance of Professor Murphy's achievements has been acknowledged by many awards and honors. She currently is a MacArthur Fellow as well as a fellow of the International Statistical Institute, the American Statistical Association, the Institute of Mathematical Statistics, and the College on Problems in Drug Dependence. Her many contributions to the university community have been

recognized by a Collegiate Professorship and being selected as a Thurnau Professor. Indeed, Professor Murphy is a dedicated teacher and mentor who is highly sought after as an instructor and thesis advisor. She is an attentive mentor, too, for post-doctoral research fellows and junior faculty.

As she assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Murphy wishes to be named the Herbert E. Robbins Distinguished University Professor of Statistics.

Herbert E. Robbins, a professor of mathematics at the University of Michigan (1966-1968), is considered one of the most influential mathematicians and statisticians of the last century. He was highly esteemed by colleagues around the world for his creativity and sharp critique of prevailing opinions. Professor Robbins was credited by founders of modern statistical theory with two major breakthroughs in the field of mathematical statistics: empirical bayes methods and stochastic approximation. In the field of statistics, Professor Robbins developed techniques for improving predictions by drawing on additional related data. Among the general public, Professor Robbins is best known for the book *What Is Mathematics*?, which he wrote with the mathematician Richard Courant and published in 1941. This work surveyed a wide range of advanced mathematics in a manner understandable to non-mathematicians and was highly praised by Albert Einstein.

The appointment of Susan A. Murphy as the Herbert E. Robbins Distinguished University Professor of Statistics, effective September 1, 2014, recognizes her creativity, innovative methods, and dedication to the next generation of interdisciplinary researchers. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Janet A. Weiss

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

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ACTION REQUEST:

Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME:

Peter A. Railton

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, John Stephenson Perrin Professor, and Professor of Philosophy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and

the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Gregory S. Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and Professor of Philosophy, with tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Period of Active Service

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

September 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Peter A. Railton as the Gregory S. Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy, effective September 1, 2014.

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 prestigious honors conferred by the university upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Railton received his Ph.D. in philosophy from Princeton University in 1980. He first joined the university in 1979 as a junior fellow in the Michigan Society of Fellows, and then became a member of the faculty in philosophy. While his permanent academic employment has been at the university, he also has been a visiting professor at the University of California, Berkeley (1984-1985) and at Princeton University (1990).

Professor Railton's primary locus of research has been in ethics and the philosophy of science, especially on questions about the nature of objectivity, value, norms, and explanation. Recently, he also has begun working in aesthetics, moral psychology, and the theory of action. Professor Railton has a special interest in the bearing of empirical research in psychology and evolutionary theory on these questions and has worked and taught with psychologists in a number of fields. His scholarship includes the publication of dozens of articles and many more invited papers and presentations. He is the co-editor of one book, *Moral Discourse and Practice* (1997) and the author of *Facts, Values, and Norms* (2003).

Due to Professor Railton's dedicated commitment to teaching at all levels, he has been recognized as a Thurnau Professor. He has piloted new approaches to undergraduate teaching and to the pedagogical experience of graduate student instructors. He serves as chair or co-chair to many doctoral students at the university, and as an external committee member for others in the U.S. and Europe.

His professional prominence is reflected in the honors and awards he has earned. Professor Railton has received fellowships from the Society for the Humanities (Cornell), the American Council of Learned Societies, the Guggenheim Foundation, the National Humanities Center, and the National Endowment for

the Humanities. He is a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and his commitment to graduate education was honored with the John H. D'Arms Award for Distinguished Graduate Mentoring in the Humanities.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Railton wishes to be named the Gregory S. Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy.

Gregory S. Kavka (1947-1994) earned his doctorate at the University of Michigan, after completing a dissertation under the supervision of Richard Brandt and William Frankena. He then joined the philosophy department at the University of California, Irvine. Professor Kavka produced an influential body of work that established him as one of the leading moral and political philosophers of his generation. He wrote more than fifty philosophical articles and reviews, some of which were widely reprinted, and he published two important books, *Hobbesian Moral and Political Theory* (1986) and *Moral Paradoxes of Nuclear Deterrence* (1987). Professor Kavka gave a systematic treatment of Hobbesian political theory that contributed to its revival in philosophy and political theory, and also did seminal work on paradoxes of deterrence and future individuals.

The appointment of Peter A. Railton as the Gregory S. Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy, effective September 1, 2014, recognizes his significant role in promoting the national and international reputation of the university's program in philosophy and his generous efforts to improve education. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Dean, Rackham Graduate School, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs and Chair, Advisory Committee on Distinguished University Professorships Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Faculty Appointment to a Distinguished University Professorship

NAME:

Peter D. Sparling

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and Professor of Dance, with tenure,

School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Rudolf Arnheim Distinguished University Professor of Dance, Arthur F.

Thurnau Professor, and Professor of Dance, with tenure, School of

Music, Theatre & Dance

TERM:

Period of Active Service

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

September 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend to the Board of Regents the appointment of Peter D. Sparling as the Rudolf Arnheim Distinguished University Professor of Dance, effective September 1, 2014.

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 prestigious honors conferred by the university upon a member of its faculty.

Professor Sparling is a graduate of Interlochen Arts Academy (1969) and received his B.F.A. from the Juilliard School (1973). He began his professional career as a performer and soon became a choreographer as well. He was a member of the José Limón Dance Company (1971-73) and the principal dancer with Martha Graham Dance Company (1973-87). As Graham's assistant, he coached Rudolf Nureyev and collaborated with her on many new works. He has performed and staged Graham's works all over the world and has appeared on *PBS Dance in America*. He has had extensive experience, too, as artistic director of the Peter Sparling Dance Company in New York City (1979-1983) as well as in Ann Arbor (1993-2007). He was on the faculty of the Martha Graham Center for Contemporary Dance, the Julliard School of Dance, and the London Contemporary Dance Theatre before joining the university's Department of Dance in 1984.

Professor Sparling is notable for his contributions to dance through the medium of video. His dances for video have been selected for numerous international festivals, including the New York Dance on Camera Festival (2007), the American Dance Festival Dance Film and Video Festival (2008), Lisbon's InShadow Festival (2010) and DANCE:FILMS Glasgow. Professor Sparling was a resident at Cité Internationale des Arts in Paris (2010). He collaborated with Ernestine Ruben, photographer, to produce video murals for Photoformance at the University of Michigan's Museum of Art in 2011 and with Water Alchemy for the Dalet Gallery in Philadelphia. His video montages, *Beautiful Captives: Martha Graham and the Cinematic Id*, and *Variations of Angels* were screened during performances of the Martha Graham Dance Company's 2012-13 seasons.

As he assumes the Distinguished University Professorship, Professor Sparling wishes to be named the Rudolf Arnheim Distinguished University Professor of Dance.

Rudolf Arnheim (1904-2007) is a world-renowned scholar of art and visual perception, and of the composition of visual information and motion within the frame of the photograph, the film and the proscenium stage. Born and educated in Berlin, Dr. Arnheim was driven from the country by Nazism, then eventually settled in New York and joined the faculty of Sarah Lawrence College before becoming a professor of the psychology of art at Harvard University. Upon his retirement in the mid-1970s he moved to Ann Arbor and became a visiting professor at the University of Michigan. He remained consistently engaged with Michigan's students and faculty until the time of his death. Dr. Arnheim's scholarly works were often controversial and highly influential, encouraging artists to see and understand the world and self in terms of the moving body.

The appointment of Peter D. Sparling as the Rudolf Arnheim Distinguished University Professor of Dance, effective September 1, 2014, recognizes his impressive artistic achievements, commitment to excellence in education in the arts, and his extensive contributions to the University of Michigan and beyond. We are delighted to make this recommendation.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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Dean, Rackham Graduate School, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs and Chair, Advisory Committee on Distinguished University Professorships RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Change in Title

NAME: Matthew L. Boulton, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Global Public Health, Professor of

Epidemiology, with tenure, Professor of Preventive Medicine, without tenure, Professor of Health Management and Policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, and Professor of Internal

Medicine, without tenure, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Senior Associate Dean for Global Public Health, Professor of

Epidemiology, with tenure, Professor of Preventive Medicine, without tenure, Professor of Health Management and Policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, and Professor of Internal

Medicine, without tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016

We are pleased to recommend a change in title for Matthew L. Boulton, M.D. as senior associate dean for global public health, School of Public Health, effective August 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016.

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 M.P.H. 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 appointment in the School of Public Health. In 2004, he joined the public health faculty as associate professor of epidemiology, with tenure, and associate dean for practice. Dr. Boulton received an additional appointment as associate professor of internal medicine in 2007 and in 2010 received joint appointments as associate professor of preventive medicine, and associate professor of health management and policy, School of Public Health. Dr. Boulton was promoted to professor in April 2014. He has served as associate dean for global public health since January 2014. The change in title will recognize Dr. Boulton's senior position in the school as well as his experience serving as both a past and current associate dean.

Dr. Boulton founded and serves as director of the SPH China CDC Scholar Exchange Program, collaborating with the China CDC in Tianjin and Beijing to facilitate scholar exchange. In June 2009, Dr. Boulton was formally appointed by the Chinese government as senior advisor to the Tianjin CDC in recognition of his contributions to improving public health in China.

Dr. Boulton has research interests in infectious disease epidemiology, vaccine-preventable illnesses and immunization coverage, public health systems and services, and public health capacity-building in China and India. He currently has a five-year, \$4 million NIH grant (International Collaborations in Infectious Disease Research) in partnership with the China CDC and Tianjin CDC focused on characterizing the epidemiology of measles in China and the role of vitamin A in measles immunity and illness in Chinese children. In July 2012, he was awarded funding from the Trehan Foundation to evaluate WHO vaccine strategies in rural India, working closely with the Public Health Foundation of India's Division of Immunization.

We are pleased to recommend a change in title for Matthew L. Boulton, M.D. as senior associate dean for global public health, School of Public Health, effective August 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016.

**RECOMMENDED BY:** 

Martin A. Rhibert, Ph.D.

Dearl, School of Public Health

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

**Approved by the Regents** July 17, 2014

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval of an Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Patricia M. Petrowski

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Associate Vice President and Deputy General Counsel, Office of

the Vice President and General Counsel

EFFECTIVE DATE:

September 1, 2014

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Patricia M. Petrowski as associate vice president and deputy general counsel, Office of the Vice President and General Counsel, effective September 1, 2014.

Ms. Petrowski has been with Sidley Austin LLP in Chicago since 2000. She joined the firm as an associate, and in 2008 became a partner. She specializes in litigation, with significant experience representing major research universities and academic medical centers. She has litigated subject matters that include breach of contract, federal and state whistleblower statutes, contested trust and estate claims, insurance and reinsurance disputes, employment statutes, fraudulent transfer, religious discrimination and securities fraud. In addition to her personnel and case management responsibilities, she is Sidley's co-chair for legal recruiting and also a member of the firm's committee for the retention and promotion of women.

Ms. Petrowski received her Bachelors degree from Michigan State University in 1995, graduating with high honors and was Phi Beta Kappa. She attended the University of Michigan Law School, where she earned her J.D. in 1999. While in law school, she was the articles editor for the Journal of Law Reform. She earned the Law School Faculty Tort Award and the Legal Writing and Practice Excellence Award.

It is with great enthusiasm that I recommend the appointment of Patricia M. Petrowski as associate vice president and deputy general counsel, Office of the Vice President and General Counsel, effective September 1, 2014.

Respectfully submitted:

Timothy G. Lynch

Vice President and General Counsel

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of a Professional Administrative Appointment

NAME: Erica L. Sanders

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Interim Director, Office of Undergraduate Admissions

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Erica L. Sanders as interim director, Office of Undergraduate Admissions, effective September 1, 2014 and continuing until a new director is hired and can begin his or her appointment.

Ms. Sanders earned a B.G.S. in accounting and secondary education from the University of Michigan in 1993. After graduation, she joined the University of Michigan as a research assistant in the Institute for Social Research. In 1994 she moved to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions where she served as an admissions counselor. She was promoted to senior admissions counselor in 1998, and to assistant director in 2000. In 2003, Ms. Sanders became a director in the office, overseeing the review and evaluations component of undergraduate admissions. She served as interim director of recruitment and operations for a year in 2007, and in 2008, assumed the role of director of recruitment and operations. Since 2011, she has served as managing director of the Office of Undergraduate Admissions.

Ms. Sanders' current responsibilities include management of the daily operations of the undergraduate admissions office staff, administrative liaison for the university's largest college (Literature, Science and the Arts), primary media spokesperson for the admissions office, and administrative oversight of the admissions process for recruited student athletes. She has presented at numerous professional conferences and workshops on topics including professional development, staff mentorship, and staff training; in addition to specifically addressing institutional responsibility and commitment to diversity as universities continue to face these challenges.

It is my pleasure to recommend the appointment of Erica L. Sanders as interim director, Office of Undergraduate Admissions, effective September 1, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of a Professional Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Thomas Szczepanski

RECOMMENDED TITLE:

Assistant Vice President of Development, Office of University

Development

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

August 1, 2014

It is with great pleasure that I recommend the appointment of Thomas Szczepanski as assistant vice president for development, Office of University Development, effective August 1, 2014.

Mr. Szczepanski received his B.A. in communication studies from University of Detroit Mercy in 1985. Prior to coming to the Office of University Development as executive director of strategic and direct development marketing in 2010, he worked for over 20 years in advertising and marketing, serving diverse industries such as non-profit, automotive, financial services, health care and retail.

Mr. Szczepanski is currently the senior executive director of marketing, annual giving and student philanthropy and a member of the senior management team for the Office of University Development. He is responsible for leading the overall marketing, communications, annual giving and student philanthropy initiatives. He provides leadership in integrated brand management for centralized revenue production, and for overall messaging in OUD. Mr. Szczepanski works closely with the Office of the Vice President for Global Communications and Strategic Initiatives to integrate development messaging, and ensures core communication and promotion of a culture of philanthropy at the University of Michigan. Mr. Szczepanski also leads the overall communications and marketing strategy for the *Victors for Michigan* campaign. In addition, he is taking on increased leadership to integrate the university's campaign with the bicentennial celebration.

In just three and a half years, Mr. Szczepanski's leadership has elevated our development-wide strategy around marketing, communications and branding.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Thomas Szczepanski as assistant vice president for development, Office of University Development, effective August 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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ACTION REQUEST:

Change in Title

NAME:

Robert W. Winfield, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES:

Chief Health Officer, Office of the President, and Director

of University Health Service, Office of the Vice President

for Student Life

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Chief Health Officer, Office of the President, and

Executive Director of University Health Service, Office of

the Vice President for Student Life

EFFECTIVE DATE:

September 1, 2014

I am pleased to recommend a change in title for Robert W. Winfield, M.D. from Director of University Health Service to Executive Director of University Health Service, Office of the Vice President for Student Life, effective September 1, 2014.

This leadership role sets the strategic direction for the planning, decision making and policies of all programs and services for the University Health Service. The current title of director does not adequately reflect the responsibilities of leading the University Health Service and four directors (Administrative, Medical, Ancillary Physical Therapy, Lab, Radiology, Pharmacy, and Wolverine Wellness) and the responsibility of promoting student health and wellness throughout the University. The role is advisory in the planning, decision making and policy development for health and wellness areas for Student Life, and is responsible as a spokesperson for the University on matters of health and wellness of the University community. The title change reflects these executive level responsibilities.

I am therefore pleased to recommend a change in title for Robert W. Winfield, M.D. from Director of University Health Service to Executive Director of University Health Service, Office of the Vice President for Student Life, effective September 1, 2014

Respectfully submitted by:

E. Royster Harper

Vice President for Student Life

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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## **UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN**

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

Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Francine Banner

TITLE: Associate Professor of Sociology, College of Arts,

Sciences, and Letters

TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

With the support of the Executive Committee and the dean of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, and with the endorsement of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Francine Banner as associate professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective September 1, 2014.

### **ACADEMIC DEGREES**

Professor Banner received a B.A. (*cum laude*) in English from Wellesley College in 1993. She holds a Ph.D. in justice studies from Arizona State University and a J.D. with honors from the New York University School of Law.

### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Banner is currently an associate professor at Arizona Summit Law School (ASLS), formerly Phoenix School of Law, where she teaches Criminal Law, Constitutional Law, and Criminal Procedure. Prior to ASLS, Professor Banner was appointed as a lecturer in political science in the School of Social and Behavioral Sciences at Arizona State University. Professor Banner also has practiced complex corporate transactional law, most recently with the firm Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz. Her current research focuses on gender, conflict, and the state in domestic and international contexts, and has been published in the Yale Journal of Law & Feminism, the Georgetown Journal of International Affairs, the NYU Journal of Law and Social Change, as well as studies in Ethnicity and Nationalism. Professor Banner was the 2012 recipient of the best "new voice" in gender studies award from the American Association of Legal Scholars Section on Women in Legal Education and is a nominee for the 2013 Dukeminier Award, given annually by UCLA's Williams Institute for the best law review article on gay and lesbian issues. Her work also has been used by the plaintiffs in recent military sexual assault class actions and cited by the District Court for the District of Columbia.

#### SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Banner strongly believes in service. She volunteered for several years with the Legal Aid Society, where she interned with the Capital Defense Unit and represented defendants in criminal appeals. She also taught legal research and writing to inmates in the New York State

prison system. During law school, Professor Banner served as a staff editor on the *New York University Review of Law & Social Change*. She also received the Larry Fleisher Memorial Foundation Prize for extraordinary achievement in sports and entertainment law.

Professor Banner is recognized as an expert on exploring the narratives regarding race, class, and gender that undergird contemporary legal responses to terrorism, violent crime, and crimes of war. Her research has been funded by grants including a David L. Boren Award from the National Security Education Program and a P.E.O. Scholar Award.

Her professional affiliations include: membership in Law & Society Association, American Bar Association, Maricopa County Bar Association, and Bar Admissions in New York and Connecticut.

### **EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS**

Reviewer A: "All of her work deals with the 'big picture,' by that I mean she tackles the effects of social structure (and warfare) on individuals' lives. At the same time, she is also focused on corporeal effects and inequalities. It is a rare scholar that can theorize across these levels, but Dr. Banner does so repeatedly and with great success. ... Dr. Banner's research also deals with timely and important political issues, such as military sexual assault and the death penalty. Furthermore, Dr. Banner's work is interdisciplinary and global. Thus her research is representative of the best kinds of scholarship. It is all high quality research, and much of it I would consider outstanding. ... She is already a leading scholar on Chechnya, and I fully expect that she will soon also be a pre-eminent scholar on military sexual assault."

Reviewer B: "Dr. Banner's thorough analysis within the feminist framework raises important human right issues by revealing systematic failures of American legal systems to protect freedom of sexual orientations, women's right to equal treatments and persistent barriers to equal employment opportunities for women who seek military career. ... Dr. Banner's works on Chechen women improve knowledge in the area of gender in politics. Using discourse analysis, Dr. Banner's works provide new understandings of Chechen female suicide bombers and the political use of women's body within their historical and cultural contexts. ... She has demonstrated the skills and ability to make important contributions in the field of criminal justice and legal studies."

Reviewer C: "Dr. Banner's writing style is simultaneously clear and sophisticated. While she knows how to turn a phrase, she does not sacrifice understanding for erudition. But, even more impressive than her wordsmithery is her ability to craft and successfully sustain a compelling argument. ... Dr. Banner has a special talent for reframing social and legal problems in unexpected ways. Her gift is evident across all substantive areas of expertise. ... Dr. Banner is poised to either publish a book about her Chechnya case study or publish new analyses in top journals like Gender & Society or Social Problems. Once her work is featured in a top tier journal, her citation rate will pick up and her expertise will raise the profile of your institution at a more global level."

Reviewer D: "Overall, Dr. Banner's work reveals a focus on issues that have an impact in various facets of research including international, political, legal, and sociological."

Reviewer E: "I conclude that she has established a significant research agenda around the themes of feminism, legal jurisprudence, and social justice. ... Dr. Banner's work is largely independent, indicating that she has made an original and significant contribution to the field in a focused area of specialization – the intersections of legal jurisprudence, feminism, and justice. ... Dr. Banner has also established an expertise in social justice issues, especially highlighting the oppression of Chechen women following the Russo-Chechen Conflict."

### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Immoral Waiver: Judicial Review of Intra-Military Sexual Assault Claims, 17 *Lewis & Clark L. Rev.* 724 (2013).
- 'It's Not All Flowers and Daisies': Masculinity, Heteronormativity and the Obscuring of Lesbian Identity in the Repeal of 'Don't Ask, Don't Tell', 24 *Yale J. Law & Feminish*: 61-117 (2012).
- 'Beauty Will Save the World': Beauty Discourse and the Imposition of Gender Hierarchies in the Post-War Chechen Republic, *Studies in Ethnicity and Nationalism*, Vol. 9, No. 1: 25-48 (2010).
- Mothers, Bombers, Beauty Queens: Chechen Women's Roles in Russo-Chechen Conflict, Georgetown Journal of International Affairs, Vol. IX, No. 2: 77-88 (2008).
- Uncivil Wars: 'Suicide Bomber Identity' As A Product of Russo-Chechen Conflict, *Religion, State & Society*, Vol. 34 (3): 215-253 (2006).
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### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Professor Banner's professional expertise, experience, and dynamic teaching style will bring practical sociological and relevant cultural experiences to the classroom. Professor Banner is one of the nation's foremost scholars publicly analyzing the intersections of race, class, gender, and social justice. She has considerable work experience as an attorney and has previously served on the faculties of Arizona Summit Law School and the University of Arizona. Professor Banner's research is inspired by a desire to investigate the themes of feminism, legal jurisprudence, and social justice. She plans to maintain her scholarly research agenda and teach an array of innovative criminal justice courses based on a principle of engaged scholarship aimed at providing students with opportunities that extend beyond the classroom. I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Francine Banner as associate professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective September 1, 2014.

Recommended By:

Daniel Little, Chancellor

University of Michigan-Dearborn

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Donald E. Shelton

TITLE: Associate Professor of Sociology, College of Arts,

Sciences, and Letters

TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee and the dean of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, and with the endorsement of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Donald E. Shelton as associate professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective September 1, 2014.

#### **ACADEMIC DEGREES**

Professor Shelton received a B.A. in Social Science from Western Michigan University in 1966. He received a J.D. (law) from the University of Michigan, an M.A. from Eastern Michigan University (criminology and criminal justice), and a Ph.D. from the University of Nevada (judicial studies). He is also an Honor Graduate from the Judge Advocate Generals School (1969).

### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Shelton began his career as a staff judge advocate in the U.S. Army, Germany from 1970-1973. From 1973-74, he was advanced to the Litigation Division in the Pentagon, Washington, D.C. After his military service, he became a partner in a law firm in Ann Arbor, MI which he left in 1978 to form his own firm. From 1987-90 he served as a Regent for Eastern Michigan University. He became a circuit court judge in 1990 and has served in that capacity until the present. Since 2010 he has been the chief judge of the Washtenaw County Trial Court. From 1978-86, he served as the Mayor of Saline, MI. Professor Shelton also has extensive university teaching experience. He has offered courses as an adjunct faculty member at the University of Maryland (1971-73), Washtenaw Community College (1976-79), Oakland University (1977-79), Eastern Michigan University (1997-2014), and the Thomas M. Cooley Law School (2011-present).

### SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Shelton is recognized as a legal scholar of the first order. He is a nationally renowned expert on Forensic Science and Criminal Adjudication. He has made presentations on those topics to the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, the Michigan Association for Justice, and the American Bar Association. He

was recently named Judge of the Year by the Washtenaw Trial Lawyers Association and the Frank J. Kelley Distinguished Public Servant Award by the State Bar of Michigan. He has an extensive publication record that is nine books solo or collaboratively authored four book chapters in edited volumes, and thirty-two articles and research papers.

His professional affiliations include: membership in the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Member of the American Bar Association Judicial Division, member of the State Bar of Michigan, and former member of the Board of Directors of the Washtenaw County Domestic Violence Project. Professor Shelton also serves on the Editorial Review Board of the *Journal of Applied Sociology/Sociological Practice*, and he is the technology editor of *Judges Journal*, Quarterly Journal of the ABA Judicial Division.

### EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A: "Judge Shelton has for many years been known as a member of a very elite group – the group of sitting judges with a truly scholarly bent. Indeed, his publication record would be impressive for many who spent their whole lives in the academy, as a glance at the C.V. that was provided to me will show...he is one of the even smaller group of judges who have a Ph.D. and he may be unique in having involved himself in substantial empirical research."

Reviewer B: "Dr. Shelton's work is comparable, and in some cases superior, to his peers. ... his accomplishments are impressive. Because he did not follow the traditional academic path, he brings a wealth of professional experience that would enrich any faculty ... Dr. Shelton has demonstrated a long and sustain record of research and publication. The sheer number of publications would rival or surpass many of his academic peers."

Reviewer C: "Dr. Shelton's work evidences competence, careful attention to legal and social science literatures and methods, selections of important problems and a fine ability to derive and articulately present useful results. His is a fine record of research and scholarship that promises to continue and expand in the future. Finally, Dr. Shelton writes with clarity and style and is comfortable in commanding the attention of multiple academic, professional and policy relevant audiences... The empirical work is impressive – creating appropriate instrumentation, collecting a large sample of prospective jurors (rather than the typical convenience sample of college students), a careful review of relevant literature, clear analysis and presentation and most importantly, exploration of the *context* of juror decision-making."

Reviewer D: "Overall, his willingness to step outside the Legal Studies traditional scholarship into more diverse forms of scholarship is impressive. He has a strong scholarship of teaching and learning that is recognized in Boyers' model of scholarship."

Reviewer E: "I would rate Dr. Shelton's standing in relation to others in his peer group who are working in the same field as superior. His obviously strong work ethic and intellectual grasp of relevant issues and how to do good research, writing, and policy reflections are outstanding."

Reviewer F: "Dr. Shelton's remarkable accomplishments as a 'part-time' scholar should be recognized and applauded. The quality and potential of his scholarship is evident in the forensic science in courts research. The Vanderbilt Law, Journal of Criminal Justice, and NIJ Journal

publications represent a series of outstanding publications. The body of his work suggests he will be highly productive as an Associate Professor. Finally, although I am not in position to assess the quality of his teaching, I believe that his professional experience combined with his intellectual curiosity will make him an outstanding contributor to the teaching mission of UM Dearborn."

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Studying Juror Expectations for Scientific Evidence: A New Model for Looking at the CSI Myth (with G. Barak & Y. Kim) *Court Review* 8 (2011).

Juror Expectations for Scientific Evidence in Criminal Cases: Perceptions and Reality about the "CSI Effect" Myth. *T.M. Cooley Law Review*, 1 (2010).

Forensic Science Evidence and Judicial Bias in Criminal Cases, *Judges' Journal* 18 (3), Summer (2010).

The "CSI Effect": Does It Really Exist? *NIJ Journal* 259 (March 2008), National Institutes of Justice, US Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.

The Current State of Domestic Violence Courts in the United States, 2007, National Center for State Courts White Paper, February 23, 2007.

### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Professor Shelton's professional expertise and experience, as well as his pedagogical acumen and research focus, will enable him to lead the reevaluation of current curriculum to consider a MA in criminal justice, design research activities, and plan outreach events for the program including internal colloquia and public educational events, and represent the program to the public. I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Donald E. Shelton as associate professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective September 1, 2014.

Recommended by:

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

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Laura Reynolds

**CURRENT TITLE:** 

Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, College of Education,

Health, and Human Services

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Associate Dean, College of Education, Health, and Human Services

TERM:

Three Years

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

On the recommendation of the dean of the College of Education, Health, and Human Services, and the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Laura Reynolds as associate dean of the College of Education, Health, and Human Services, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Professor Reynolds received her Bachelor of Arts in 1989 from Michigan State University, and her doctorate from University of South Carolina, Columbia in 2007.

Professor Reynolds has taught undergraduate courses including Educational Psychology, Introduction to Education and Adolescent Psychology as well as graduate courses including Quantitative Methodology, Research Methods and Classroom Assessment. At UM-Dearborn, Professor Reynolds has served on numerous campus-wide committees including the Vision 2020 Strategic Planning Committee and the Student Success Alliance and has functioned as an ex-officio member of the University Curriculum and Degree Committee (UCDC) and the Graduate and General Education sub-committees. She currently chairs the UCDC Assessment Sub-Committee and co-chairs the General Education Transition Committee. In the College of Education, Health, and Human Services, she has worked as a member of the former School of Education's Executive and Doctoral Program committees, and as the chair of the Tenure and Promotion Committee. Most recently, Professor Reynolds successfully coordinated our Higher Learning Commission re-accreditation self-study preparation and visit, and has served as the campus' Chief Assessment Officer.

I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Laura Reynolds as associate dean, College of Education, Health, and Human Services, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Recommended by:

Daniel Little, Chancellor

University of Michigan-Dearborn

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## **UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN**

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

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Change in Title of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Gabriella M. Eschrich

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Chair, Department of Language, Culture, and Communications, and Associate Professor of French, with tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and

Letters

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Associate Dean, and Associate Professor of French, with tenure, College

of Arts, Sciences, and Letters

TERM:

Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATE:

July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

On the recommendation of the dean of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, and the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Gabriella M. Eschrich as associate dean, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Professor Eschrich received her B.A. in 1986 and Maîtrise in 1987 in modern languages from the Université de Savoie, Chambéry, France. She was awarded her M.A. in 1993 in French and Italian literatures and her Ph.D. in 1998 in modern languages from Wayne State University.

Professor Eschrich joined the faculty of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters in 1998. She was promoted to associate professor of French, in September 2004. She has served as chair of the Department of Language, Culture, and Communication, has been a member of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters Executive and Curriculum Committees, and has served on the Faculty Senate. She teaches French literature and culture and her research focuses on the French and Italian Renaissance and early women writers. Her most recent works, "Philippe Desportes's Copy of Nocturno Napolitano's Opera Amorosa," was published in Bibliothèque d'Humanisme et Renaissance, and "Reading Philippe Desportes in Le Rencontre des muses de France et d'Italie," was published in *Renaissance Studies*. Her manuscript, The Poetry of the Disperata: from the Italian Middle Ages to the End of the French Renaissance, is under consideration at The University of Delaware Press. She is an exceptional teacher whose students praise her fairness, organization, and knowledge of the material.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Gabriella M. Eschrich as associate dean, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Recommended by:

Daniel Little, Chancellor

University of Michigan-Dearborn

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## **UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT**

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

# Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME:

Robert W. Buckingham

TITLE:

Professor of Public Health, School of Health Professions and Studies

TENURE STATUS:

With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE:

September 1, 2014

APPOINTMENT PERIOD:

12 Month

On the recommendation of the Director of Public Health and Health Sciences, and with the endorsement of the Dean and Review Committee of the School of Health Professions and Studies, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert W. Buckingham as professor of public health, with tenure, School of Health Professions and Studies, effective September 1, 2014.

### **ACADEMIC DEGREES**

Professor Buckingham received his B.A. degree from the University of Arizona in 1966, his M.A. degree from Wesleyan University, and his Doctor of Public Health from Yale University School of Medicine.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Buckingham has served since 2009 as executive director/dean and professor of epidemiology, with tenure, School of Public Health, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Canada. Concurrently, he joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as the Jack W. Thompson Distinguished Professor during 2013-14. His previous appointments included visiting distinguished professor of epidemiology at the Mahidol University, School of Medicine, Bangkok, Thailand from 2000-2001; professor, with tenure, at New Mexico State University from 1994-2009; dean and professor, with tenure, at Minnesota State University from 1991-1993; and several other appointments as associate professor and assistant professor at other universities.

### **SUMMARY OF EVALUATION**

Professor Buckingham has an extensive record of teaching both graduate and undergraduate students. His teaching experience includes courses in terminal care, public health, community development, health services administration, health education, research methods, public policy, geriatric medicine, and epidemiology. During his Thompson Distinguished Visiting Professorship at the University of Michigan-Flint, his multiple public lectures and presentations to professional groups and students in public health, nursing, physical therapy, and social work classes were well-received and participants consistently commented on his ability to engage and connect with the audience.

Beyond the classroom, Professor Buckingham has supervised and mentored many students completing their public health practicum at various sites such as La Clinic Esperanza (Honduras) in collaboration with both Johns Hopkins and Harvard Universities. He has mentored and supervised other public health students in Thailand, Arusha, Tanzania and placed students at the World Health Organization (WHO).

He has also served as a mentor for many junior faculty as reflected in the order of authorship on his recent publications.

Professor Buckingham has a strong record of scholarship with more than 10 books, 30 publications including book chapters, refereed articles in international, national, regional and state journals. He was instrumental in establishing the hospice model as an accepted form of care in the United States and published his first hospice article in 1976, and co-authored his first hospice book in 1978. He received two major federal grants to evaluate hospice care in Connecticut and nationally. He has published on topics ranging from care for the dying child to dental care policies for the terminal cancer patient as recently as 2001 when he broadened his scope to include HIV/AIDS epidemiology and prevention conducting studies across different cultures. His global research is on HIV/AIDS transmission trends and prevention strategies, the role of injection drug use, and sexual behavior risk factors. His scholarship builds upon his public health service experience and his academic and community environment producing valuable information that can be used to improve and inform public health action.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### Books

Buckingham, R. <u>Primer on International Health</u>. Allyn & Bacon Boston, Massachusetts (2001). Buckingham, R. <u>The Handbook of Hospice Care</u>. Prometheus Books, Buffalo, New York (1996).

#### Articles

- Moraros, J., Buckingham, R., Bird, Y., Prapasiri, S., and Graboski-Bauer, A. "Low Condom Use Among Adolescent Female Sex Workers in Thailand," *Journal of HIV/AIDS & Social Services*. 11(1): 125-139 (2012).
- Lemstra, M., Rogers, M., Thompson, A., Moraros, J., and Buckingham, R. "Risk Indicators Associated With Injection Drug Use In the Aboriginal Population," *AIDS Care*. 24(11): 1416-1424 (2012).
- Lemstra, M., Rogers, M., Thompson, A., Moraros, J., and Buckingham, R. "Risk Indicators of Depressive Symptomatology Among Injection Drug Users and Increased HIV Risk Behavior," *The Canadian Journal of Psychiatry.* 56(6): 358-366 (2011).
- Moraros, J., Bird, Y., Chen, S., Buckingham, R., Meltzer, R., Prapasiri, S., and Solis, L. "The Impact of the 2002 Delaware Smoking Ordinance on Heart Attack and Asthma," *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health.* 7(1): 4169-4178 (2010).
- Bird, Y., Moraros, J., Olsen, L., Foster-Cox, S., Staines-Orozco, H., and Buckingham, R. "Smoking Practices, Risk Perception of Smoking, and Environmental Tobacco Smoke Exposure Among 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Students in Ciudad Juarez, Mexico," *Society of Research on Nicotine and Tobacco*. 9(2): 195-203 (2007).
- Bird, Y., Moraros, J., Buckingham, R., Staines-Orozco, H., and Brandon, J. "Parental Beliefs and Perceptions of the Role of Middle Schools in Student Tobacco Use Prevention Activities in Juarez, Mexico," *Californian Journal of Health Promotion*. 4(3): 103-115 (2006).
- Buckingham, R., Moraros, J., Bird, Y., Meister, E., and Webb, N. "Factors Associated With Condom Use Among Brothel-Based Female Sex Workers in Thailand," *AIDS Care.* 17(5): 640-647 (2005).
- Buckingham, R., and Meister, E. "Condom Utilization Among Female Sex Workers in Thailand: Assessing the Value of the Health Belief Model," *Californian Journal of Health Promotion.* 4(4): 18-23 (2003).
- Buckingham, R., and Meister, E. "Hospice Care for the Child with AIDS," *The Social Science Journal*. 38(1): 461-467 (2001).

Professor Buckingham has a record of strong advocacy work, service (university, community, national), and academic leadership spanning more than 30 years. He has made broad and significant contributions to professional organizations in public health practice/interventions, academic public health, epidemiology, program evaluation, policy analysis, hospice care and international health. He was the first director of research of hospice in Connecticut and subsequently founded another 81 hospice programs worldwide, including a hospice for children afflicted with HIV/AIDS in Thailand. For his work he was awarded the Ivanosky Prize in Humanitarian Medicine by the Russian Institute of Virology in 1992. His service achievements are dynamic and underscored by up-to-date knowledge and an understanding of major and new public health concerns. His expertise in the multiple aspects of public health has grounded his creative activity in the science of public health making commendable contributions to his profession and to our global society.

As executive director/dean of the School of Public Health at the University of Saskatchewan he obtained five-year accreditation of the Masters in Public Health program through the Agency for Public Health Education (APHEA).

#### EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

### Reviewer (A)

"Dr. Buckingham's publications have added substantially to the field. 'The Impact of the 2002 Delaware Smoking Ordinance on Heart Attack and Asthma' (*IJERPH 2010*), 'Smoking Practices, Risk Perception of Smoking, and Environmental Tobacco Exposure Among 6th Grade Students in Ciudad Juarez Mexico' (*SRNT 2007*), and The Handbook of Hospice Care (1996) are the highest quality work."

### Reviewer (B)

"The sample articles included for this review, particularly the ones addressing HIV/AIDS, are published in respected journals, very well written, and they offer important contributions to researching HIV and AIDS."

### Reviewer (C)

"His contribution to international health has also been as an advocate for international health issues in the U.S. and Canada. His work and scholarship on HIV risk behaviors in Thailand is an example of that advocacy work. This synergy between scholarship and advocacy in the area of international health is an important contribution to the academic community in the United States."

### Reviewer (D)

"The Handbook of Hospice Care (1996) is a comprehensive compendium addressing the history and philosophy of Hospice as well as a broad array of topics ranging from assuring compassion and quality of life for the dying to cost-effective treatment options. What is particularly compelling about Dr. Buckingham's handbook is the continued relevance of these issues to the Hospice patient and his/her family today."

#### Reviewer (E)

"The article 'Condom Utilization Among Female Sex Workers in Thailand' (CJHP 2003) found that actual condom usage was well below the government's goal of 100% and their analysis of individual attitudes that were associated with condom use provides a basis for targeted interventions, such as '...educational messages [that] include elements of susceptibility to sex-based infections.' Dr. Buckingham's publications contribute to knowledge in the field and provide valuable information that can be used to improve public health action."

### **SUMMARY**

Professor Buckingham is a leader in the field of academic public health with a strong record of scholarship, teaching, and mentoring. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert W. Buckingham as professor of public health, with tenure, School of Health Professions and Studies, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

David Gordon, Dean

School of Health Professions and Studies

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Gerard Voland, Provost and

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth J. Person, Chancellor

University of Michigan-Flint

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### **UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT**

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

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty

Member

NAME:

Jamile T. Lawand

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Chair, Department of Foreign Languages, and Associate Professor of

Foreign Languages, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Chair, Department of Foreign Languages, College of Arts and Sciences

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2017

The Dean and Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences, with the endorsement of the Department of Foreign Languages, are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Jamile T. Lawand as chair, Department of Foreign Languages, College of Arts and Sciences, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2017.

Professor Laward received her M.A. equivalent in 1985 from the University of Seville, Spain and her Ph.D. in 1992 from the University of Michigan. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1995 as an assistant professor, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2000.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Lawand has served as department chair since 2011, director of the "Middle Eastern" Studies Program, a member of the College of Arts and Sciences Summer Interim II Committee, Academic Standards Committee, Nominating Committee, Executive Committee, and the General Education Assessment Task Force.

Professor Lawand is an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Jamile T. Lawand as chair, Department of Foreign Languages, College of Arts and Sciences, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Albert C. Price, Interim Dean College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Gerard Voland, Provost and

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth J. Person, Chancellor University of Michigan-Flint

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment for a

Faculty Member

NAME:

Steven F. Myers

CURRENT TITLE:

Chair, Department of Biology, and Professor of Biology, with tenure,

College of Arts and Sciences

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Chair, Department of Biology, College of Arts and Sciences

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2019

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 Biology, are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Steven F. Myers as chair, Department of Biology, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2019.

Professor Myers received his B.S. and M.S. degrees from the University of California at Davis in 1972 and 1978, respectively, and his Ph.D. from the University of Michigan in 1983. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1992 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1997, and to professor in 2004.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Myers has served as department chair since 2009, a member of the College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee, and a member of the university Human Subjects Review Committee, the Physical Therapy Advisory Committee, the Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Budget and Strategic Planning, and the Committee on the Economic Status of the Faculty.

Professor Myers is an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Steven F. Myers as chair, Department of Biology, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Albert C. Price, Interim Dean College of Arts and Sciences

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

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Robert W. Barnett

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Interim Dean, Interim Chair, Department of Social Work, School

of Education and Human Services, and Professor of English, with

tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Dean, Interim Chair, Department of Social Work, School of

Education and Human Services, and Professor of English, with

tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATE:

July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2019

Based upon a recommendation by the School of Education and Human Services Search Committee and with strong support of the faculty, staff and administration, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert W. Barnett as dean, School of Education and Human Services, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2019.

Professor Barnett earned his B.A. degree from Alma College in 1986, his M.A. degree from Central Michigan University in 1990, and his Ph.D. from the University of Nevada, Reno in 1994. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1994 as an assistant professor and director of the University Writing Center, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1999, and to professor in 2005.

Professor Barnett has served as interim dean since 2011 and concurrently as interim chair of the Department of Social Work since 2013 for the School of Education and Human Services. He served as associate dean for the College of Arts and Sciences from 2005 to 2011 and has served on the College of Arts and Sciences Academic Standards Committee, Curriculum Committee, and Student Research Committee. He also served on the Thompson Center for Learning and Teaching Advisory Board, the Academic Affairs Advisory Committee, the LEO Bargaining Team, the Enrollment and Retention Task Force for the Strategic Planning Committee, and many more too numerous to mention.

As dean of the School of Education and Human Services, his responsibilities will include: advancing the shared vision, mission, and core values of the School; build and strengthen the curricula at both the undergraduate and graduate levels; identify and develop internal and external resources for faculty and programs; formulate strategies to encourage a diverse student, faculty and staff population and to create an environment that values diversity; expand, maintain, and strengthen relationships with the external community, oversee accreditation processes; direct and manage the school's budget; and seek and support ways to strengthen collaboration between departments in the School and other academic units within the university.

Professor Barnett's research is extensive in the areas of general education, writing center theory and practice, and writing across the curriculum producing three books, over a dozen scholarly articles, one book review, a play, coupled with over 50 presentations. He is the recipient of the Teaching Excellence Award, Faculty Achievement Award for Scholarship, Special Merit Award for Professional Development, and Special Merit Award for Service.

Professor Barnett has demonstrated his ability to be a strong leader especially in the areas of budget and enrollment management, program development, professional development, and accreditation. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Robert W. Barnett as dean, School of Education and Human Services, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2019.

**RECOMMENDED BY:** 

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Gerard Voland, Provost and

ice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth J. Person, Chancellor University of Michigan-Flint

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Ernest N. Emenyonu

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Africana Studies, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Chair, Department of Africana Studies, College of Arts and Sciences

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2017

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 Africana Studies, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Ernest N. Emenyonu as chair, Department of Africana Studies, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2017.

Professor Emenyonu received his B.A. degree from the University of Nigeria in 1966, his M.A. degree from Columbia University in 1967, and his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin, in 1972. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as professor, with tenure, in 2002.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Emenyonu has served as department chair from 2002 to 2008. He serves as a department advisor, and has served as a member of the Scholarships, Awards, and Special Events Committee, the International and Global Studies Committee, and the University Outreach Committee.

Professor Emenyonu has proven is an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Ernest N. Emenyonu as chair, Department of Africana Studies, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Albert C. Price, Interim Dean

College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Gerard Voland, Provost and

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth J. Person/Chancellor University of Michigan-Flint

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Mary Jo Finney

CURRENT TITLES: Interim Chair, Department of Education, and Associate Professor of

Education, with tenure, School of Education and Human Services

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Chair, Department of Education, and Associate Professor of Education,

with tenure, School of Education and Human Services

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Mary Jo Finney as chair, Department of Education, School of Education and Human Services, University of Michigan-Flint, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Professor Finney earned her B.A. degree from Michigan State University in 1979, and her M.A.T. degree and Ph.D. from Oakland University in 1992 and 1998, respectively. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as an assistant professor in 1998 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2003. Prior to joining the University of Michigan-Flint faculty, Professor Finney served as the project coordinator for Eastern Michigan University from 1988-89, educational program manager for Birmingham Public Schools from 1982-87, and instructor at Macomb Community College and Oakland University.

Professor Finney also served as interim chair in the Department of Education from 2013 to 2014, dean of the School of Education and Human Services from 2009 through 2011, and director of the Thompson Center for Learning and Teaching from 2007 through 2009. She is the founder and most recent director of the University of Michigan-Flint Reading Center, served as co-director of the Living Learning Community, co-chair of the General Education Steering Committee and Design Team, and served on many university and school committees and boards too numerous to list.

Professor Finney has demonstrated her ability to be a strong leader. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Mary Jo Finney as chair, Department of Education, School of Education and Human Services, University of Michigan-Flint, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Recommendation by:

Robert Barnett, Interim Dean

School of Education and Human Services

Recommendation endorsed by:

Gerard Woland, Provost and

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

July 2014

Ruth J. Person, Chancellor

University of Michigan-Flint

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Marcus Paroske

CURRENT TITLE:

Associate Professor of Communication, with tenure, Department of

Communication and Visual Arts, College of Arts and Sciences

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts, College of Arts

and Sciences

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2017

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 Communication and Visual Arts, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Marcus Paroske as chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2017.

Professor Paroske received his B.A. degree from Regis University in 1997, his M.A. degree from Colorado State University in 1999, and an M.A. degree and his Ph.D. from the University of Pittsburgh in 2005 and 2006, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as an assistant professor in 2007 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2013.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Paroske served as the director of communication and a member of the Communication Program Assessment Sub-Committee and the Department Handbook and By-Laws Committee. At the university level, he served as a member of the Strategic Planning Steering Committee and as a faculty fellow of the America Democracy Project.

Professor Paroske is an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Marcus Paroske as chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Albert C. Price, Interim Dean College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Gerard Voland, Provost and

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth J. Person, Chancellor University of Michigan-Flint

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Randall L. Repic

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Earth and Resource Science, with tenure, College of Arts

and Sciences

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Acting Chair, Department of Earth and Resource Science, College of

Arts and Sciences

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014

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 Earth and Resource Science, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Randall L. Repic as acting chair, Department of Earth and Resource Science, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

Professor Repic received his B.S. degree from Aquinas College in 1980, and his M.A. degree and Ph.D. from Indiana State University in 1987 and 1993, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1992 as a cum-assistant professor, was appointed as an assistant professor in 1993, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1999, and to professor in 2006.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Repic has served as a member of College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee, director of the Earth Science Teachers Certification Program since 1996, School of Education and Human Services Dean Search Committee in 2004, university Enrollment Management Task Force, and Women's Educational Center Advisory Board.

Professor Repic is an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Randall L. Repic as acting chair, Department of Earth and Resource Science, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Albert C. Price, Interim Dean College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Gerard Voland, Provost and

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth J. Person, Chancellor University of Michigan-Flint

# Approved by the Regents July 17, 2014

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Kenneth E. Schilling

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Acting Chair, Department of Mathematics, College of Arts and Sciences

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014

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 Mathematics, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Kenneth E. Schilling as acting chair, Department of Mathematics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

Professor Schilling received his B.S. degree from the University of California-Davis in 1975, and his M.S. degree and Ph.D. from the University of California-Berkley in 1977 and 1981, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as an assistant professor in 1984, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1988, and to professor in 1998.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Schilling has served as department chair from 1992 to 1995, director of the M.A. in the Mathematics Program, director of Math Field Day for the last ten years, and a member of the Executive Committee and the NCATE Accreditation Committee. At the university level, he served as chair and a member of the Faculty Council, chair of the Ad Hoc Undergraduate Admissions Standards Committee, and co-chair of the Higher Learning Commission Reaccreditation Committee, to name a few.

Professor Schilling is an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Kenneth E. Schilling as acting chair, Department of Mathematics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Albert C. Price, Interim Dean College of Arts and Sciences

College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Gerard Voland, Provost and

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth J. Person Chancellor University of Michigan-Flint