

SUMMARY OF PERSONNEL ACTIONS
REGENTS AGENDA
July 2015

ANN ARBOR CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval

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

- (1) Alcock, Susan E., professor of archaeology and classics, with tenure, College of Literature, Sciences, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.
- (2) Colabianchi, Natalie, associate professor of health and fitness, with tenure, School of Kinesiology, effective September 1, 2015.
- (3) Hadjiyski, Lubomir M., Ph.D., professor of radiology, with tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.
- (4) Leahy, John V., professor of economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, professor of public policy, with tenure, Gerald. R. Ford School of Public Policy, effective September 1, 2015, and Allen Sinai Professor of Macroeconomics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.
- (5) Peikert, Christopher J., associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2015.
- (6) Sender, Katherine, professor of communication studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.
- (7) Villalobos Ruminott, Sergio Roberto, associate professor of romance languages and literatures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.
- (8) Yosso, Tara J., professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, September 1, 2015.

2. Reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.

- (1) Bloom, Jeremy, assistant dean for career planning, Law School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016.
- (2) Boyd, Iain D., James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of aerospace engineering, with tenure.)

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- (3) Brenner, Dean E., M.D., Kutsche Memorial Chair of Internal Medicine, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure, and professor of pharmacology, without tenure.)
- (4) Burant, Charles F., M.D., Ph.D., Dr. Robert C. and Veronica Atkins Professor of Metabolism, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure, professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, Medical School, and professor of environmental health sciences, without tenure, School of Public Health.)
- (5) Cartee, Gregory D., associate dean for research, School of Kinesiology, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2017 (also professor of kinesiology, with tenure, School of Kinesiology, and professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, Medical School.)
- (6) Curry, Milton S.F., associate dean for academic affairs and strategic initiatives, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also associate professor of architecture, with tenure.)
- (7) Herman, William H., M.D., Stefan S. Fajans, M.D./GlaxoSmithKline Professor of Diabetes, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure, Medical School, and professor of epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health.)
- (8) Johnson, Timothy M., M.D., Lewis and Lillian Becker Professor of Dermatology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of dermatology, with tenure, professor of otolaryngology – head and neck surgery, without tenure, and professor of surgery, without tenure.)
- (9) Lee, Cheryl T., M.D., Dr. Robert H. and Eva M. Moyad Research Professor of Urology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of urology, with tenure.)
- (10) Mason, Nancy A., associate dean for student services, College of Pharmacy, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018 (also clinical professor.)

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- (11) McKenna, Barbara J., M.D., Godfrey D. Stobbe Professor of Pathology Education, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also clinical professor, Department of Pathology.)
- (12) Mian, Shahzad I., M.D., Terry J. Bergstrom Collegiate Professor for Resident Education in Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also associate professor of ophthalmology and visual sciences, with tenure.)
- (13) Mueller, Bruce A., associate dean for academic affairs, College of Pharmacy, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018 (also professor of pharmacy, with tenure.)
- (14) Pipe, Steven W., M.D., Laurence A. Boxer, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, and professor of pathology, without tenure.)
- (15) Sherman, David H., associate dean for research and graduate education, College of Pharmacy, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016 (also Hans W. Vahlteich Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, professor of medicinal chemistry, with tenure, College of Pharmacy, professor of microbiology and immunology, without tenure, Medical School and professor of chemistry, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (16) Van Volkinburg, Patricia A., associate dean for academic programs, School of Kinesiology, effective June 1, 2015 through August 31, 2015 (also clinical associate professor.)
- (17) Weiss, Stephen J., M.D., E. Gifford and Love Barnett Upjohn Professor of Internal Medicine and Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure.)
- (18) Wolf, Jr., J. Stuart, M.D., David A. Bloom Professor of Urology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of urology, with tenure.)

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- (19) Yanik, Gregory A., M.D., Leland and Elaine Blatt Family Professor of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also clinical professor, Department of Internal Medicine, and Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases.)
- (20) Zak, Donald R., associate dean for academic affairs, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2016 (also 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.)

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

- (1) Berrocal, Veronica, John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018 (also assistant professor of biostatistics.)
- (2) Bohnsack, Brenda L., M.D., Ph.D., Helmut F. Stern Career Development Professor of Ophthalmology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also assistant professor of ophthalmology and visual sciences.)
- (3) Chadiha, Letha A., Rose C. Gibson Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020 (also professor of social work, with tenure.)
- (4) Danziger, Sandra K., Edith A. Lewis Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020 (also professor of social work, with tenure.)
- (5) Delva, Jorge, Kristine A. Siefert Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020 (also associate dean for educational programs, and professor of social work, with tenure.)
- (6) Hayes, Kim F., Donald Malloure Department Chair of Civil and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, effective July 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of environmental engineering, with tenure.)

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- (7) Katz, Martin E., Earl V. Moore Collegiate Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also Artur Schnabel Collegiate Professor of Music, and professor of music, with tenure.)
- (8) Larson, Janet L., Shaké Ketefian Collegiate Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of nursing, with tenure.)
- (9) Martin, Andrew D., professor of statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 (also dean, and professor of political science, with tenure.)
- (10) Najafi, Khalil, Peter and Evelyn Fuss Chair of the Division of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, effective July 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Schlumberger Professor of Engineering, professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering and professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School.)
- (11) Prince, Mark E.P., M.D., assistant dean for graduate medical education, Medical School, effective August 1, 2015 (also professor of otolaryngology – head and neck surgery, with tenure.)
- (12) Spencer, Michael, Fedele F. Fauri Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020 (also professor of social work, with tenure.)
- (13) Stein, Joshua D., M.D., Edward T. and Ellen K. Dryer Career Development Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also associate professor of ophthalmology and visual sciences, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of health management and policy, without tenure, School of Public Health.)
- (14) Stephenson, Robert, professor of health behavior and health education, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2015 (also professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing.)

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

- (15) Taylor, Robert J., Harold R. Johnson Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also Sheila Feld Collegiate Professor of Social Work, and professor of social work, with tenure.)
- (16) Tolman, Richard M., Sheldon D. Rose Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020 (also professor of social work, with tenure.)
- (17) Tropman, John E., Henry J. Meyer Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020 (also professor of social work, with tenure.)
- (18) Trumpey, Joseph E., associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also associate professor of art, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, and associate professor of natural resources, without tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment.)

4. Leaves of absence for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff.

- (1) Freese, Katherine, extension of research leave, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2016 (George E. Uhlenbeck Collegiate Professor of Physics, and professor of physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)

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

- (1) Naming of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Burton L. Baker Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.
- (2) Naming of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Robert H. Bartlett Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

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- 5. Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic and administrative and positions.**
- (3) Naming of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Irene H. Butter Collegiate Professorship in English and Comparative Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2015.
 - (4) Naming of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Frank P. Casa Collegiate Professorship in Spanish, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2015.
 - (5) Naming of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Nicholas D. Kazarinoff Collegiate Professorship in Complex Systems, Mathematics, and Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2015.
 - (6) Change in the terms of an existing Clinical Professorship for the Carol J. and F. Edward Lake Clinical Professorship in Nursing, School of Nursing, effective July 1, 2015.
 - (7) Naming of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Robert B. Payne Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2015.
 - (8) Establishment of an Endowed Professorship as the Melvyn Rubenfire Professorship in Prevention Cardiology, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.
 - (9) Naming of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Marilyn J. Shatz Collegiate Professorship in Linguistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2015.
 - (10) Establishment of a Collegiate Professorship as the Galen B. Toews, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.
 - (11) Establishment of a Research Professorship as the Angela Dobson Welch and Lyndon Welch Research Professorship, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.
 - (12) Naming of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Roger C. Wiggins Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

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6. 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, 2015 through August 31, 2015.
- (2) Baum, David H., change in title to assistant dean for student life and special counsel to the dean, Law School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2017 (currently assistant dean for student affairs.)
- (3) Keller, Christian, Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.
- (4) Park, Jennifer, T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.
- (5) Rubright, Marjorie, Norman Freehling Visiting Professor, Institute for the Humanities, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through April 30, 2016.
- (6) Van Limbeek, Wouten, Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.
- (7) Zerbib Gelaki, Shira, T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.

FLINT CAMPUS

7. Reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.

- (1) Tischler, Jessica L., chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018 (also associate professor of chemistry, with tenure.)

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

- (1) Barnes, Roy C., interim chair, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016 (also associate dean, and associate professor of sociology, with tenure.)
- (2) Cushing, Simon S., chair, Department of Philosophy, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018 (also associate professor of philosophy, with tenure.)
- (3) Hanashiro, Roy S., chair, Department of History, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of history, with tenure.)
- (4) Kahn, Margaret F., chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of political science, with tenure.)
- (5) Pearson, Christopher A., chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering, and Physics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of physics, with tenure.)
- (6) Thwaite, Sapna, associate dean, School of Education and Human Services, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2020 (also associate professor of education, with tenure.)

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

- 9. Ann Arbor and Dearborn campuses.**

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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Approved by the
Regents
July 16, 2015

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Susan E. Alcock

TITLE: Professor of Archaeology and Classics, Department of Classical Studies, 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 Classical Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Susan E. Alcock as professor of classical archaeology and classics, with tenure, Department of Classical Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015. Professor Alcock is also being appointed by the president as his special counsel for institutional outreach and engagement.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Susan Alcock completed her Bachelor of Arts *summa cum laude* at Yale University in 1983. She attended the University of Cambridge where she received a second B.A. degree in 1985 and an M.A. and Ph.D. in 1989.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Alcock began her teaching career as a lecturer and assistant curator at the University of Reading (1990-1992). She came to the University of Michigan and was appointed as an assistant professor (1992-1996), a research scientist in the Kelsey Museum of Archaeology (1993-2005), a research affiliate in the Museum of Anthropology (1994-2005), an associate professor (1996-2002), a curator in the Kelsey Museum, and John H. D'Arms Collegiate Professor of Classical Archaeology (2002-2005). She was also appointed as an Arthur F. Thurnau Professor (2000-2003). Professor Alcock has been the director of the Joukowsky Institute for Archaeology and the Ancient World at Brown University and Joukowsky Family Professor of Archaeology since 2006.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Alcock is recognized as perhaps the most productive and creative Roman archaeologist working today. Her scholarship is recognized as first rate both in its depth and breadth. She made her name on a widely praised book, Gracca Capta: The Landscapes of Roman Greece, which shed new light on a largely neglected area of ancient history, namely Greece under Roman rule. Employing the relatively new technique of field survey rather than more traditional excavation, Professor Alcock addressed and answered big questions about settlement patterns, land use, and population change over long periods of time. Characteristic of this book (and all of Professor Alcock's work) is an admirable methodological self-awareness and sophistication, as well as a willingness to engage seriously with theories and models drawn from anthropological work from societies across time and space. The first book was followed in rapid succession by a series of high-

impact edited volumes on sacred space, the Roman Empire in the East, the ancient travel-writer Pausanias, and comparative perspectives on empire. A second book, Archaeologies of the Greek Past: Landscape, Monuments and Memories, was as theoretically adventurous, field-changing, and widely praised as her first. This book was also followed by a further series of influential edited volumes on an astounding range of topics, as well as a co-edited textbook on Classical Archaeology. Professor Alcock has directed and co-directed major archeological field projects in Greece, Armenia, and Jordan. She will be undertaking a new project in Tunisia or Morocco since a project in North Africa will complement the University of Michigan sponsored projects already established in Italy, Greece, Turkey, and Israel. Professor Alcock's recent work has been well funded through a major grant from the Getty Research Institute ('Connecting Art Histories: The Arts of Rome's Provinces,' co-organized with the late N. B. Kampen) and a Sawyer Seminar award from the Mellon Foundation ('Animal Magnetism: The Ecology of Human-Animal Relations,' co-organized with J. Bodel and S. Houston). She has also been the recipient of fellowships from the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation (2001-2006) and from the Center for Hellenic Studies at Harvard University (2006-2011), among others, and numerous honors and awards.

Professor Alcock's teaching was outstanding when she was a member of the Michigan faculty, as the award of a Thurnau professorship, a 1923 Literary and Education Class Memorial Teaching Award, two LSA Excellence in Education Awards, and an Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching Award from the Archaeological Institute of America indicates. Enrollments and numbers of majors skyrocketed when she taught, and the Department of Classical Studies attracted top students to its Ph.D. program in classical art and archaeology. Professor Alcock's mentorship and supervision of graduate students was equally impressive, and she has continued to be actively involved and highly successful in both undergraduate and graduate education at Brown.

PUBLICATIONS

The Arts of Rome's Provinces, with J. Frakes and M. Egri (co-eds.), Getty Foundation, Los Angeles: J. Paul Getty Trust, in press.

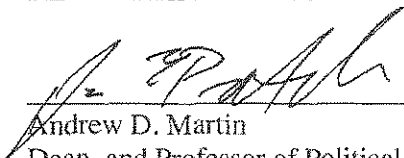
Blackwell Studies in Global Archaeology: Classical Archaeology, with R. Osborne (co-ed.), Blackwell Publishers, 2007, second edition in 2012.

Highways, Byways and Road Systems in the Premodern World, with J. Bodel and R. Talbert (co-eds.), Blackwell Publishers, 2012.

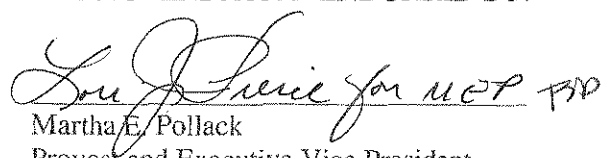
"Looting and vandalism around a world heritage site: Documenting modern damage to archaeological heritage in Petra's hinterland," with C. Vella, et al., *Journal of Field Archaeology*, 40, 2015, pp. 220-234.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Susan E. Alcock as professor of classical archaeology and classics, with tenure, Department of Classical Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2015

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Approved by the
Regents
July 16, 2015

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Natalie Colabianchi
TITLE: Associate Professor of Health and Fitness,
School of Kinesiology
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2015
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Health and Fitness Program and with the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Kinesiology, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Natalie Colabianchi as associate professor of health and fitness, with tenure, School of Kinesiology, effective September 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Natalie Colabianchi received her Bachelor of Arts from Baldwin Wallace College in 1994, her Master of Arts in the social sciences from the University of Chicago in 1998, and her Doctorate from Case Western Reserve University in 2002.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Colabianchi joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a research assistant professor in 2011. She formerly held the title of assistant professor at the University South Carolina from 2006-2011 and at Case Western Reserve University from 2002-2006.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Colabianchi's scholarly work focuses on the effect of the environment (e.g., schools, playgrounds, parks, and neighborhoods) on physical activity in diverse populations. Her research is innovative, technologically and analytically leading-edge, and vital for encouraging and facilitating physical activity across the lifespan. She is highly successful as a research leader and principal investigator, and she is a much sought-after research collaborator. To date, Professor Colabianchi has been a PI of six peer-reviewed national grants: four National Institutes of Health grants (1 R03, 2 R21s, and 1 R01) and two Active Living Research grants from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. She has served as a sub-contract PI or co-investigator for nearly a dozen federal grants. Professor Colabianchi's peer-reviewed, national/federal research funding running totals are also impressive. As a PI/Co-PI, she received \$1.4M for current grants and \$4.6M for completed grants; as co-investigator, she currently collaborates on \$1.5M in

funded projects and has completed other projects with \$20.2M in national/federal support. This is a superior record of peer-reviewed external research support for an assistant professor.

While at Case Western Reserve University, and particularly at the University of South Carolina, Professor Colabianchi revealed exceptional talents as a teacher and mentor, in addition to being an excellent researcher. Her teaching evaluations document very positive evaluations by students in her classes.

PUBLICATIONS

Colabianchi, N., Griffin, J., Slater, S., O'Malley, P. M., & Johnston, L. D. (in press). The whole-of-school approach to physical activity: Findings from a national sample of US secondary students. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*.

McDonald, S. M., Dowda, M., Colabianchi, N., Porter, D., Dishman, R. K., & Pate, R. R. (2015). Perceptions of the neighborhood environment and children's afterschool moderate-to-vigorous physical activity. *Pediatric Exercise Science*. doi:10.1123/pes.2014-0139.

Wiecha, J. L., Beets, M. W., Colabianchi, N., Ferree, A., Hall, G., Hofman, J., & Rauworth, A. (2014). Promoting physical activity in out-of-school-time programs: We built the bridge—Can we walk over it? *Preventive Medicine*, 69, Suppl 1, S114-116. doi:10.1016/j.ypmed.2014.10.027.

Wilson, D. K., Van Horn, M. L., Siceloff, E. R., Alia, K. A., St. George, S. M., Lawman, H. G., Trumpeter, N. N., Coulon, S. M., Griffin, S. F., Wandersman, A., Egan, B., Colabianchi, N., Forthofer, M., & Gadson, B. (2014). The results of the "Positive Action for Today's Health" (PATH) Trial for increasing walking and physical activity in underserved African-American communities. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*. Advance online publication. doi:10.1007/s12160-014-9664-1.

Hood, N. E., Colabianchi, N., Terry-McElrath, Y. M., O'Malley, P. M., & Johnston, L.D. (2014). Physical activity breaks and facilities in US secondary schools. *Journal of School Health*, 84(11), 697-705. doi:10.1111/josh.12206.

Howard, V. J., David Rhodes, J., Mosher, A., Hutto, B., Stewart, M. S., Colabianchi, N., Vena, J. E., Blair, S. N., & Hooker, S.P. (2014). Obtaining accelerometer data in a national cohort of Black and White adults. *Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise*. Advance online publication.

Yang, Y., Diez-Roux, A., Evenson, K. R., & Colabianchi, N. (2014) Examining the impact of the walking school bus with an agent-based model. *American Journal of Public Health*, 104(7), 1196-1203. doi:10.2105/AJPH.2014.301896.

Slater, S., & Colabianchi, N. (2014). What influences park use and physical activity? *Translational Behavioral Medicine*, 4(2), 130. doi:10.1007/s13142-014-0255-2.

Colabianchi, N., Coulton, C. J., Hibbert, J. D., McClure, S. M., Ievers-Landis, C. E., & Davis, E. M. (2014). Adolescent self-defined neighborhoods and activity spaces: Spatial overlap and

relations to physical activity and obesity. *Health & Place*, 27, 22-29.
doi:10.1016/j.healthplace.2014.01.004.

Pate, R. R., O'Neill, J. R., Liese, A. D., Janz, K. F., Granberg, E. M., Colabianchi, N., Harsha, D. W., Condrasky, M. M., O'Neil, P. M., Lau, E. Y., & Taverno Ross, S. E. (2013). Factors associated with development of excessive fatness in children and adolescents: A review of prospective studies. *Obesity Reviews*, 14(8), 645-658. doi:10.1111/obr.12035.

Liu, R., Sui, X., Laditka, J. N., Church, T. S., Colabianchi, N., Hussey, J., & Blair, S. N. (2012). Cardiorespiratory fitness as a predictor of dementia mortality in men and women. *Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise*, 44(2), 253-259. doi:10.1249/MSS.0b013e31822cf717.

Colabianchi, N., Maslow, A. L., & Swayampakala, K. (2011). Features and amenities of school playgrounds: A direct observation study of utilization and physical activity levels outside of school time. *International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity*, 8, 32.
doi:10.1186/1479-5868-8-32.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A) "...Dr. Colabianchi's success in publications since arriving at the University of Michigan is simply outstanding. Her publication rate is more than double the expectation in my own department, and virtually all the papers are in very good to high-impact journals."

Reviewer (B) "...the study in *Health and Place* ... advances the field of environmental influences on health and behaviour by adopting a novel 'activity spaces' approach to analyses, and challenges researchers elsewhere to move the field beyond simple and static place-health dynamics. Other important work has strengthened our causal understanding of environment-health interactions through the evaluation of natural experiences as well as innovative approaches"

Reviewer (C) "...I have had the opportunity to engage with [Professor Colabianchi] on collaborative research centered on physical activity in youth that has provided me with firsthand knowledge of the rigor, novelty, and significance of her work. Dr. Colabianchi is an inaugural member of the campus wide Momentum Center ... and has contributed centrally to the development of a thriving interdisciplinary research community. She is among the most productive and innovative of the Momentum Center investigators"

Reviewer (D) "...she has been recognized nationally as a scholar of the highest quality."

Reviewer (E) "...was an outstanding teacher for us as evidenced by student evaluations, peer reviews, and my own observation. Ratings of her teaching by her students and faculty colleagues were consistently outstanding. ... [Professor Colabianchi] was also an effective mentor to student advisees and graduate research assistants on her projects, providing support, sound advice, and advocating for them when necessary."

Reviewer (F) "...A common theme throughout these papers is the identification of pressing research questions in the field at the time and the use of novel methods to answer those

questions. Many papers and grants that I have reviewed in this area tend to rehash the same information, adding little that is new to our understanding. These three papers first-authored by Dr. Colabianchi, however, substantively add to the literature and push the field forward.”

Reviewer (G) “...Looking at her co-authorships it is clear that she is a strong collaborator as well. ... Furthermore she has strong expertise as PI and (co)-investigator in many projects and secured several research fundings. In sum, her research output and activities hold promise of future excellence in research.”

Reviewer (H) “...I believe Dr. Colabianchi has surpassed the criteria for promotion at the Associate Professor level and tenure. I am impressed with both the quantity and quality of her work. Her success in acquiring grant funding is truly outstanding! Her publication record is also extensive (e.g., 58 authored/co-authored publications in peer-reviewed journals, plus many briefs and reports).”

Reviewer (I) “...The thrust of her work is aimed at understanding the influence of the physical environment on health behavior, particularly physical activity and diet. These are issues that are of a very high priority right now, given the huge public health challenges associated with the increased prevalence of obesity. I feel that Natalie is poised to exploit well the numerous funding opportunities that are now and will in the future be available to advance our knowledge of the factors that influence the development of weight status.”

SUMMARY

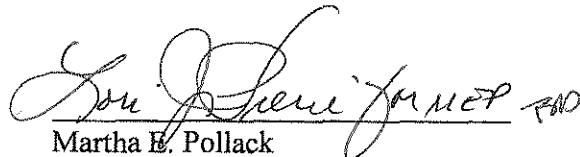
Professor Colabianchi is an outstanding researcher and an innovative and gifted educator. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Natalie Colabianchi as associate professor of health and fitness, School of Kinesiology, with tenure, effective September 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Ronald F. Zernicke
Dean, School of Kinesiology

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2015

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**Approved by the
Regents
July 16, 2015**

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Lubomir M. Hadjiyski, Ph.D.
TITLE: Professor of Radiology, Medical School
TENURE STATUS: With tenure
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months
EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

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 appointment of Lubomir M. Hadjiyski, Ph.D. as professor of radiology, with tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

Academic Degrees:

Dr. Hadjiyski received a master's degree in computer science from the Technical University in Sofia, Bulgaria in 1991 and his Ph.D. degree in electrical engineering in 1996 from the University of Kassel in Germany.

Professional Record:

Dr. Hadjiyski was a research associate in the Department of Chemistry at Clarkson University in New York from 1996 to 1997 and then was a post-doctoral fellow in the Department of Radiology at the University of Michigan from 1997 to 1999. He was appointed as a research investigator in the Department of Radiology in 1999 and rose through the ranks to research professor in 2013.

Summary of Evaluation:

Dr. Hadjiyski has focused his research on developing Computer Assisted Diagnosis (CAD) methods for the detection and characterization of tumors. His initial emphasis was on the detection of breast cancers on screening and diagnostic mammograms. Dr. Hadjiyski pioneered the development of CAD methods for registration and classification of micro calcifications on temporal pairs of mammograms. This was an innovative approach as prior work on CAD in breast cancer had focused on the characteristics of the lesion rather than the changes in those characteristics over time. Dr. Hadjiyski has developed new methods to identify corresponding micro calcification clusters as well as masses and has devised a new classification scheme to analyze the temporal change information for the classification of both malignant and benign micro calcifications. It is anticipated that this will help to reduce false positive mammograms, and thus reduce the number of biopsies performed for lesions that area subsequently determined to be benign. The success of Dr. Hadjiyski and other investigators in developing useful CAD methods to detect breast cancer has led to the application of CAD systems for characterizing lesions in other areas. Dr. Hadjiyski is leading the effort to apply these techniques to the detection of urothelial carcinomas. Dr. Hadjiyski has published over 100 peer-reviewed articles, holds one patent, and one provisional patent. He is the

principal investigator of one R01 grant and one U01 grant from the National Institutes of Health, and is a co-investigator on an additional two R01 grants and one U01 grant.

Recent and Significant Publications (Dr. Hadjiyski publishes under the name Hadjiiski)

Street EJ, Hadjiiski L, Sahiner B, Gujar S, Ibrahim M, Mukherji SK, Chan HP: Automated volume analysis of head and neck lesions on CT scans using 3D level set segmentation. *Medical Physics* 34:4399-4408, 2007.

Hadjiiski L, Mukherji SK, Ibrahim M, Sahiner B, Gujar SK, Moyer J, Chan HP: Head and neck cancers on CT: preliminary study of treatment response assessment based on computerized volume analysis. *American Journal of Roentgenology* 194:1083-1089, 2010.

Cho HC, Hadjiiski L, Sahiner B, Chan HP, Helvie M, Paramagul C, Nees AV: Similarity evaluation in a content-based image retrieval (CBIR) CADx system for characterization of breast masses on ultrasound images. *Medical Physics* 38:1820-1831, 2011.

Hadjiiski L, Chan HP, Caoili E, Cohan R, Wei J, Zhou C: Auto-initialized cascaded level set (AI-CALS) segmentation of bladder lesions on multi-detector row CT urography. *Academic Radiology* 20:148-155, 2013.

Hadjiiski L, Chan HP, Cohan R, Caoili E, Law Y, Cha K, Zhou C, Wei J: Urinary bladder segmentation in CT urography (CTU) using CLASS. *Medical Physics* 40:111906-1, 10, 2013.

Dr. Hadjiyski's knowledge of the field and strong communication skills have made him an effective educator. In addition to teaching in small group settings, he also teaches radiology residents and faculty about advances in Computer-Aided Diagnosis systems and how they can best be employed in the clinical setting. He mentors post-doctoral fellows, graduate students, undergraduates, residents, and medical students. He has served on the dissertation committees for a number of Ph.D. candidates.

External Reviewers:

Reviewer A: "Dr. Hadjiyski had [sic] pioneered the CAD methods for analysis of interval changes of masses and microcalcifications on prior and current mammograms. This is a new and important direction for CAD developments allowing efficient utilization of current and prior imaging studies and improving the accuracy of CAD. His work on automatic quantitative evaluation of treatment response is an important advance and demonstration of the potential of such independent and objective methods to improve the accuracy and reliability of the treatment response monitoring of head and neck cancer."

Reviewer B: "Dr. Hadjiyski has become one of the leaders developing methods for the detection and analysis of breast lesions on multi-modality images as well as head and neck cancers on CT...Over the years, he has established himself as one of the primary investigators in this field, and his work has been well received in terms of NIH and DOD grant funding and various leading journal publications."

Reviewer C: "Lubomir is well respected in the medical imaging community and is known for being an outstanding investigator and an independent thinker...His contributions have been important and in several instances pivotal to the medical image processing field in general and the CAD development community, in particular."

Reviewer D: "...his work has strongly impacted the field. Some of the outstanding work the candidate was involved in is included in a list of must-read papers I provide to my students."

Reviewer E: "Dr. Hadjiyski also has an excellent record at obtaining external funding: he currently is the PI of an NIH U01 and an R01, and is co-Investigator on several others in which he appears to be a key participant. He also previously was PI of a grant funded by the U.S. Army on breast cancer diagnosis, and in total has led or collaborated on 23 peer-reviewed funded proposals."


Dr. Hadjiyski is a member of the Medical School's Executive Committee and has previously served on the Department of Radiology's appointments and promotions committee. On a national level, Dr. Hadjiyski has been a member of the Quantitative Imaging Network Executive Committee and the PET CT working group of the National Cancer Institute. He has served the Radiological Society of North America as a member of the Quantitative Imaging Biomarkers Alliance. He has served the International Society for Optics and Photonics as a panel organizer, moderator, and panel member. Dr. Hadjiyski has served the Medical Image Computing and Computer-Assisted Intervention Society (MICCAI) as a member of the program committee for the workshop on Computational and Clinical Applications in Abdominal Imaging as well as the workshop on Breast Image Analysis.


Summary of Recommendation:


Dr. Hadjiyski is an accomplished investigator in the field of computer-assisted diagnosis. He has gained international recognition, and is regarded as a leading investigator in the application of these techniques to the detection of breast cancer on mammography, and is extending his work to the detection of urothelial tumors on CT urograms. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Lubomir M. Hadjiyski, Ph.D. as professor of radiology, with tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine


Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs


Martha E. Pollack, Provost
and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: John V. Leahy

TITLES: Allen Sinai Professor of Macroeconomics, Professor of Economics,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Public
Policy, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2015

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Department of Economics, the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of John V. Leahy as the Allen Sinai Professor of Macroeconomics, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020, and as professor of economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of public policy, with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, effective September 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

John Leahy received his Bachelor of Arts from Williams College in 1984, Master of Science from Georgetown University in 1986, and Doctorate from Princeton University in 1990.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Leahy began his academic career as an assistant professor at Harvard University in 1990 and was promoted to associate professor in 1994. He was appointed as an associate professor at Boston University in 1997 and as a professor at New York University in 2002. He is also an affiliated faculty member of NYU-Abu Dhabi (2009-present) and a visiting scholar at the Federal Reserve Banks of New York and Philadelphia (2003-present).

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Leahy has a distinguished reputation as one of the leading macroeconomists in the world. He is a co-editor of the *American Economic Review*, one of the top journals in the discipline of economics. He is best known for his work on optimal pricing policy and the “stickiness” of prices; i.e., he developed theoretical models to explain why firms adjust prices infrequently and in large bursts, rather than responding to changes in the market in small increments as they occur. His recent research in behavioral economics has made significant contributions to our understanding of critical issues such as how individuals make decisions under uncertainty when information is incomplete. This work is highly policy relevant, with implications for how policy-makers should communicate

with the public. Professor Leahy has been a prolific researcher publishing his work in the major journals in his field. He has also received consistent funding from the National Science Foundation since 1991.

Professor Leahy has an excellent teaching record in the field of macroeconomics. He has taught successfully at all levels – undergraduate principles, intermediate macroeconomics, and Ph.D. macroeconomics. Student evaluations typically were at or above 4.0 on a 5-point scale. Professor Leahy has been a successful thesis supervisor. His former students have been placed in prestigious positions that include chair of President Obama’s Council of Economic Advisers, as well as positions at the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, the Federal Reserve Board, London School of Economics, Dartmouth, World Bank, the European Central Bank, the University of Essex, and at the University of Michigan. Professor Leahy received two awards for excellence in teaching from Boston University. He also has a very strong service record. In addition to service as an editor or co-editor of many of the major journals, he is on the National Bureau of Economic Research Economic Fluctuations and Growth Program Steering Committee and has been the co-organizer of numerous NBER program research meetings.

PUBLICATIONS

- “A graph theoretic approach to markets for indivisible goods,” with A. Caplin, *Journal of Mathematica/Economics*, 52, 2014, pp. 112-122.
- “A primer on aggregate fluctuations for industrial organization economists,” *Journal of Money, Credit and Banking*, 43 (supplement 1), 2011, pp. 87-110.
- “Trading frictions and house price dynamics,” with A. Caplin, *Journal of Money, Credit and Banking*, 43 (supplement 2), 2011, pp. 283-303.
- “The measurement of self-control problems,” with J. Ameriks, et al., *American Economic Review*, 97, 2007, pp. 966-972.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

“John is a well-respected and productive researcher with a coherent body of published work in macro-theory. ... From my perspective, John is well-known and highly regarded in the profession. He combines empirical interests with modeling, so that his conceptual frameworks are motivated by data and empirical observation.”

Reviewer (B)

“I strongly support this appointment. It would be an excellent move for Michigan if you can convince him to join your faculty. ...I always learn something from talking to him. His impact goes far beyond what we can objectively measure in a CV.”

Reviewer (C)

“Since he obtained his Ph.D., John has established a record of consistently producing high-quality papers which are central to our understanding of competitive economy in the presence of information and adjustment frictions. ...I expect John will be a very stimulating and valuable colleague and a very effective teacher. Therefore, without hesitation, I strongly recommend that your university make a tenured Professorship offer to Professor John Leahy.”

Reviewer (D)

"Let me say at the outset that this is an extremely easy call. John Leahy is a world class researcher in macroeconomics. Any top department would be strengthened by hiring him. ... He is a dynamic and energetic intellectual presence. His enthusiasm for ideas and research is contagious. This makes him a wonderful teacher, colleague, and advisor. ... He soars over the quality bar."

Reviewer (E)

"John has a long string of top publications with major impact on the field. ... John is one of the best macroeconomists of his generation. John combines theoretical rigor...[with] an excitement and interest in policy questions ranging from the optimal conduct of monetary policy to the regulation of retirement saving and medical testing. I could not think of a better combination of researcher and colleague that would be feasible to hire."

Reviewer (F)


"...it should be clear that he is a very broad and productive macroeconomist, working on issues that are at the heart of macroeconomics. His CV is first rate, and if his case were to come up in my department, I would certainly be in favor of making him an offer."

SUMMARY


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of John V. Leahy as the Allen Sinai Professor of Macroeconomics, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020, and as professor of economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of public policy, with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, effective September 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

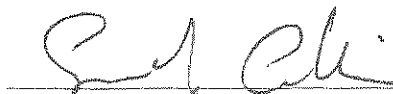
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Christopher J. Peikert

TITLE: Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and
Computer Science, College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2015

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Christopher J. Peikert as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Peikert received his B.S. in mathematics from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) in 2000. He remained at MIT to receive his M.E. and Ph.D. in electrical engineering and computer science in 2001 and 2006, respectively.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Following graduation, Professor Peikert served as a computer scientist for SRI International in California. He was appointed as an assistant professor in 2009 at the Georgia Institute of Technology and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2014.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Peikert's research interests are in the broader area of security with a focus on cryptography, computational complexity, and algorithms, especially in relation to lattices, error-correcting codes, and number theory. His curriculum vitae lists 40 refereed conference publications, with another three submitted. He also lists 10 journal publications including one accepted and another two submitted. Professor Peikert's work has been recognized with several awards including a Sloan Fellowship (2011), NSF CAREER Award (2011), a Google Faculty Award (2014), and multiple Best Paper awards.

PUBLICATIONS

Craig Gentry, Jens Groth, Yuval Ishai, Chris Peikert, Amit Sahai and Adam Smith, “Using fully homomorphic hybrid encryption to minimize non-interactive zero-knowledge proofs,” *Journal of Cryptology*, accepted.

Abhishek Banerjee and Chris Peikert, “New and improved key-homomorphic pseudorandom functions,” in *Proceedings of CRYPTO '14*, pp. 353-370, 2014.

Vadim Lyubashevsky, Chris Peikert and Oded Regev, “On ideal lattices and learning with errors over rings,” *Journal of the ACM*, 60(6), 43:1-43:35, November 2013.

Jacob Alperin-Sheriff and Chris Peikert, “Practical bootstrapping in quasilinear time,” in *Proceedings of CRYPTO '13*, pp. 1-20, 2013.

Craig Gentry, Shai Halevi, Chris Peikert and Nigel Smart, “Ring switching in BGV-style homomorphic encryption,” in *Proceedings of SCN '12*, pp. 19-37, 2012.

Chris Peikert and Brent Waters, “Lossy trapdoor functions and their applications,” *SIAM Journal on Computing*, 40(6), pp. 1803-1844, December 2011.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

REVIEWER A: “Chris has established himself as a leading researcher in the area of lattice-based cryptography, which is one of the most important and exciting areas in cryptography at large... This area has been the source of many great advances recently, and Chris has played an important role... Chris is well poised to continue making very significant contributions to this field... Chris would be a significant asset to any department.”

REVIEWER B: “Professor Peikert is one of the top researchers [of his cohort] in our field. He has made notable impact in the field of lattice-based cryptography. This is a very challenging area, requiring deep mathematical expertise, and Professor Peikert is one of the leading researchers who have applied lattice techniques to solve multiple problems in cryptography... I have no doubt that Professor Peikert will be a huge asset to your department... He is an outstanding researcher, excellent teacher...”

REVIEWER C: “His work has revolutionized the field of lattice based cryptography, and continues to shape it... His record speaks of itself: publications in the very top venues of cryptography and CS theory... His contributions are at the heart of much of today’s cryptographic research.”

REVIEWER D: “Chris is very well recognized by the scientific community as can be attested by the numerous program committee memberships [sic] very competitive grants he has obtained. He has a large number of collaborators and has mentored many students. He is an outstanding speaker and expositor of complex ideas and is frequently invited to talk at meetings.”

REVIEWER E: "He is clearly one of the rising stars in the field of crypto, he does cutting edge research in cryptography that is very deep, and I recommend you to offer him a position without any reservations."


REVIEWER F: "Prof. Peikert is *the* world authority on lattice-based cryptography...Chris has won a number of prestigious awards, including two best paper awards, a Sloan Foundation Fellow, a CAREER award, and a Google Research Award. He has served on several demanding conference committees...and on two NSF panels. He has given a remarkable number of invited talks, often as a keynote speaker. He is supervising four PhD students, most of which have already published high quality research of their own."

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION


Professor Peikert 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 Christopher J. Peikert as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

 for

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

 for UEP

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Katherine Sender

TITLE: Professor of Communication Studies, 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 Communication Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Katherine Sender as professor of communication studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Katherine Sender completed her Bachelor of Arts at the University of Sussex in 1990. She attended the University of Massachusetts, Amherst where she received her Master of Arts in 1996 and her Doctorate in 2001.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Sender began her teaching career as an assistant professor at the University of the Arts (2000-2001). She was appointed as an assistant professor (2002-2008) at the Annenberg School for Communication, University of Pennsylvania; promoted to associate professor (2008-2011); and served as an associate dean for graduate studies (2009-2011). From there she accepted a position as a professor (2012-present) and director of post-graduate studies (2014-present) in the School of Social Sciences: Media, Film, and Television at the University of Auckland.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Sender is an internationally recognized media studies scholar whose work has broken new ground in LGBT studies and in television studies. She is the author of two books, Business, Not Politics: The Making of the Gay Market (Columbia University Press, 2004) and The Makeover: Reality Television and Reflexive Audiences (New York University Press, 2012). She has also published one co-edited anthology and one co-edited special section in the *International Journal of Communication*, has co-edited a special issue of *Critical Studies in Media Communication* (forthcoming), and a special issue of *Feminist Media Studies*, also forthcoming. She is the author of thirteen journal articles and eight book chapters. Professor Sender consistently presents her work at

the leading conferences in her field as well as at leading colleges and universities in the U.S. and abroad.

Professor Senders has considerable teaching experience at all levels, from large lecture classes on popular culture and television studies to smaller, upper level seminars on sexuality and the media, communication theory, and research methods. Student evaluations from the universities of Pennsylvania and Auckland indicate that Professor Sender is a highly successful and outstanding classroom teacher. In her average scores were high and written comments were very enthusiastic about her courses and her teaching style. Her teaching statement is further evidence that she is a seasoned, dedicated, and highly effective classroom teacher. She has mentored graduate students and is currently serving as a graduate director at the University of Auckland. Professor Sender also has a very strong service record, both locally and nationally.

PUBLICATIONS

“Transgender, transmedia, transnationality: Chaz Bono in documentary and ‘Dancing with the Stars,’” in The Routledge Companion to Media and Gender, C. Carter, L. Steiner, and McLaughlin (eds.), Routledge, 2014, pp. 300-310.

“Disorienting methods: Some challenges for transnational communication research in sexuality,” in *Doing It: Methodological Challenges for Sexuality Research in Communication*, L. Comella and K. Sender (eds.), special section of the *International Journal of Communication*, 7, 2013, pp. 2560-2574.

The Makeover: Reality Television and Reflexive Audiences,” New York University Press, 2012.

The Politics of Reality TV: Global Perspectives, M. Kraidy (co-ed.), Routledge, 2011.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

“Professor Sender has firmly established herself as an interdisciplinary scholar engaged in the intersections between sexuality, gender, consumer culture and media. She is especially skillful in drawing upon resources from different fields, such as Feminist studies and Media studies, and she creatively integrates these fields with perspectives drawn from political economy, cultural studies, and critical consumer studies. My review of her work is overwhelmingly positive and enthusiastic.”

Reviewer (B)

“She is author of two solo-authored books, four co-edited volumes (two of which are forthcoming), over a dozen journal articles, and nine book chapters. She is also a successful videographer, having produced, directed, and/or edited seven documentaries on topics related to her research. . . . Katherine is among the very top tier of scholars studying the relationship between media, communication and identity from a cultural studies perspective.”

Reviewer (C)

“She is one of the leading voices in the field of both communications and sexuality, as well as in the study of reality television; a talented, active producer of documentary films on topics directly in her areas of scholarship; she is very active in communication association activities across the world, as a conference participant, invited lecturer, and journal editor and board member.”

Reviewer (D)

"In [the] 4 years since PhD, she has become a widely-known, widely-respected name in the field, whose work is cited repeatedly, and who is regularly asked to contribute to major collections, to panels, and to offer lectures around the world. A slew of her pieces have been anthologized, suggesting a degree of canonicity. ... She has published in many of the top journals in the field with an impressive regularity. And she has always managed to find new things to say, developing and maturing her voice, not simply restating the already-said."

Reviewer (E)

"...this is an enthusiastic endorsement of Katherine Sender as a candidate for a senior faculty position. I would have no hesitation in putting her forward here at [my institution], and I believe that she would be viewed as a strong candidate at leading institutions. I believe that her accomplishments place her at the level of her most successful peers in the domains of culture and communication."

Reviewer (F)

"...Prof. Sender's prolific work, which has been published by the highest quality journals in the field and by well-known university presses, defies easy categorizations because she is a brilliant scholar, who connects her work on GLBT issues, sexuality, and reality television to larger macro-level concerns about methodology, identity formation, political economy, transnational circulation, celebrity, and class and lifestyle practices. ...she is also a scholar who has earned a well-established reputation as a public intellectual and a cultural producer."

Reviewer (G)

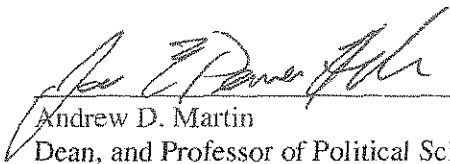
"...I think very highly of her achievements. She has been enormously productive in a short period of time and has crafted a research program that is at once coherent and adventurous. ... Her next project will extend this work in equally interesting and quite creative ways as she seeks to understand how western notions of sexual subjectivity have traveled globally and how they are being taken up in a range of different societies seeking their own paths to modernity. I look forward to her next book with real anticipation. ...Sender's record would most certainly earn her tenure at [my institution]."

SUMMARY

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Katherine Sender as professor of communication studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Sergio Roberto Villalobos Ruminott

TITLE: Associate Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures,
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 Romance Languages and Literatures and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sergio Roberto Villalobos Ruminott as associate professor of romance languages and literatures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Sergio Roberto Villalobos Ruminott attended the Universidad ARCIS completed his Licenciatura en Sociología in 1996 and graduate certificate in 1998. At the University of Pittsburgh, Professor Villalobos Ruminott received his Master of Arts in 2000 and Doctorate in 2003.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Villalobos Ruminott began his teaching career as a visiting assistant professor at Arkansas State University (2004-2005). At the University of Arkansas, he was appointed as an assistant professor (2005-2011) and was promoted to associate professor in 2011.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Villalobos Ruminott is one of the most dynamic and prolific Latin Americanists currently working in the field. His work is profoundly and naturally interdisciplinary. He has an outstanding background in literary and literary-theoretical studies in the comparative vein. Trained originally in sociology and history at Universidad ARCIS, he has become a major voice on the cutting edge of his field nationally and internationally. Professor Villalobos Ruminott has one ground-breaking book with a second book nearing completion and another in progress. He also has 30 peer-reviewed articles and book chapters published in a variety of journals and flagship venues. He has published in the U.S., Chile, Argentina, the United Kingdom, France,

Spain, Mexico, and Ecuador. In the last ten years, he has been invited to give 23 lectures and has read papers at fourteen conferences.

Professor Villalobos Ruminott has a very strong teaching record. In the last ten years, he has offered an unusually wide variety of courses at the undergraduate and graduate levels, often teaching through the spring and summer terms while at the University of Arkansas. Student comments reveal an instructor who is well-liked, respected, and multifaceted. He clearly has enthusiasm for the material, concern for his students, and makes his classes appropriately challenging. Professor Villalobos Ruminott was nominated by his department at the University of Arkansas for the Outstanding Teaching Award in 2007.

PUBLICATIONS

“Spanos’s polemos: An oppositional intellectual in the age of mundialización,” *boundary*, 2, 42(1), 2015, pp. 67-85.

Soberanías en suspenso (Sovereignities in Suspense), La Cebra Editions, 2013.

“Historicism, nihilism, and the Chilean neo-avant-garde,” *Discourse: Journal for Theoretical Studies in Media and Culture*, 35(3), 2013, pp. 362-383.

“The Chilean winter,” *Radical Philosophy*, 171, 2012, pp. 212-145.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

“The multifaceted, complex nature of the problem of violence in Latin American cultures and societies as well as the theoretical struggles around the concept of sovereignty are at the forefront of our field today. Therefore, there remains no doubt as to the relevance of Prof. Villalobos-Ruminott’s research.”

Reviewer (B)

“I consider Prof. Villalobos one of the most brilliant and productive academics of his...generation in the field of Latin American studies. ...I recognize and admire his remarkable abilities and his knowledge of Latin American literature and cultural production: he is an ambitious, original thinker who also writes beautifully and apparently almost effortlessly.”

Reviewer (C)

“I believe that Villalobos is one of the most brilliant, engaging, and original scholars of Latin American literature and culture today... He is one of those rare scholars who tackles the most urgent questions in Latin American Studies: in his work, Villalobos demonstrates an impressive theoretical sophistication without sacrificing clarity and, for this reason, is read by students of all levels, specialists and nonspecialists.”

Reviewer (D)

“Soberanías en suspenso represents a wonderful culmination of Villalobos’s research; in my view, it stands as one of the most important books to appear in the field of Latin American studies over the past few years. ... I for one really enjoyed reviewing this text, and learned more from it than I have from almost any other examination of its subject matter.”

Reviewer (E)

"I have written many tenure and promotion letters at this point in my career, and I cannot remember the time when I was more certain than in this case that tenure was obviously and uncontroversially deserved."

Reviewer (F)

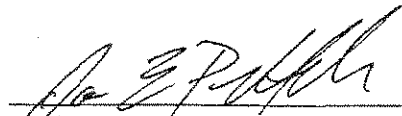
"His skillful and flexible scholarship provides fresh perspective and analysis of the depth of the literary text and the political philosophical context that sustains it. His addition to your faculty would be a fundamental addition to the colleagues already in the Department of Romance Languages at Michigan."

SUMMARY


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Sergio Roberto Villalobos Ruminott as associate professor of romance languages and literatures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2015

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the
Regents
July 16, 2015

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Tara J. Yosso
TITLE: Professor of Education, School of Education
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2015
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Education, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Tara J. Yosso as professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, effective September 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Tara Yosso completed her bachelor of arts in social psychology of education with an emphasis in Chicana/o studies from the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) in 1995. She received her doctorate in education (urban schooling) with specialization in Chicana/o studies and an emphasis in visual sociology from UCLA in 2000.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Yosso joined the faculty at the University of California, Santa Barbara (UCSB) in 2001 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2007.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Yosso is a nationally and internationally recognized scholar and researcher whose scholarly, teaching, professional, and service activities address issues of educational access and opportunity for historically underrepresented groups. Trained as an interdisciplinary and collaborative scholar, she seeks to understand the elusiveness of educational equality for communities of color, and for Chicanas/os and African Americans in particular. In her widely cited research, she applies a framework of critical race theory to examine educational access and equity, emphasizing the community cultural wealth students of color bring to school.

Critical race theory (CRT) originated as an academic movement by legal scholars who were questioning the slow pace of civil rights legislation in the 1980s. Over the last fifteen years, Professor Yosso has played a leading role in developing new scholarship that extends CRT to the field of education. Her work creates a theoretical and analytical framework that accounts for the

ways race and racism intersect with other forms of subordination to shape schooling structures, practices, and discourses.

Professor Yosso uses a CRT lens to assert that Chicana/o students and parents possess and utilize an array of knowledge, skills, abilities, and contacts to survive and resist racism and other forms of oppression. She calls this “community cultural wealth” and further argues that communities of color cultivate cultural wealth through at least six forms of capital—aspirational, navigational, social, linguistic, familial, and resistant capital.

In addition, Professor Yosso is credited with having developed the use of “counterstories” as a methodological tool. Counterstories use research-based creative narratives to recount racially and socially marginalized perspectives. In her research, she has demonstrated how a counterstorytelling methodology can illuminate both individual and shared educational experiences. The methodology challenges deficit interpretations of dismal academic statistics with composite characters who personify data themes and patterns.

In her more recent work, Professor Yosso has turned to critical race media literacy, analyzing racial microaggressions evidenced in film portrayals of Latinas/os in schools. She examines how entertainment films construct the struggles of Latinos/as as a crisis of cultural values, and ignore the institutionalized racism shaping Latina/o educational experiences, contributing to a distorted image of U.S. public schools in general and urban Latina/o high school students in particular.

Professor Yosso is also a skilled and careful teacher who reflects thoughtfully on her responsibility to train the next generation of scholars to examine the ways race and racism intersect with other forms of subordination to shape educational access and equity. She has taught a mix of undergraduate classes and graduate seminars and has an established record as a mentor of master’s and doctoral students. As testament to her pedagogical skill and commitment to students, Professor Yosso was nominated for a campus-wide Distinguished Teaching Award and a Service to Students Award at UCSB.

Professor Yosso’s service focuses on supporting and advocating access to higher education for students of color, particularly those in Chicano/a communities. She has been a regular speaker at service events and has been active as a keynote speaker at two and four-year colleges in the state of California. Her professional service includes reviewing for 19 journals between 2008 and 2015. She was also an associate book review editor for the *International Journal of Qualitative Studies in Education* between 2006 and 2015.

PUBLICATIONS

García, D. G., Yosso, T. J. & Barajas, F. P. (2012). “A few of the brightest, cleanest Mexican children:’ School segregation as a form of mundane racism in Oxnard, CA, 1900-1940,” *Harvard Educational Review*, 82(1), 1-25.

Yosso, T. J. (2005). “Whose culture has capital? A Critical Race Theory discussion of community cultural wealth.” *Race Ethnicity and Education*, 8(1), 69-91.

Yosso, T. J. (2006). Critical Race Counterstories along the Chicana/Chicano Educational Pipeline. New York: Routledge.

Yosso, T. J. & García, D. G. (2010). "From Ms. J. to Ms. G.: Analyzing racial microaggressions in Hollywood's urban school genre." In B. Frymer, T. Kashani, A.J. Nocella II, & R. Van Heertum (Eds.), Hollywood's Exploited: Public Pedagogy, Corporate Movies, and Cultural Crisis (pp. 85-103). New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

Yosso, T. J. & García, D. G. (2010). "Who are these kids, rejects from hell?: Analyzing Hollywood distortions of Latina/o high school students." In E. G. Murillo, Jr., S. A. Villenas, R. Trinidad Galván, J. Sánchez Muñoz, C. Martínez, & M. Machado-Casas (Eds.), Handbook of Latinos and Education: Theory, Research, and Practice (pp. 450-473). New York: Routledge.

Yosso, T. J., Smith, W. A., Ceja, M. & Solórzano, D. G. (2009, Winter). "Critical race theory, racial microaggressions, and campus racial climate for Latina/o undergraduates." *Harvard Educational Review*, 79(4), 659-690.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

"The most impressive feature of her work, in my opinion, lies in her ability to bring tools and concepts from the legal literature to bear on educational problems and issues. Her command of storytelling, counterstorytelling, and micro-aggressions, for example, is pitch-perfect. She also wields tools from the critical education literature such as cultural capital and deficit interpretations in impressive fashion."

Reviewer (B)

"Dr. Yosso ranks as one of the most successful scholars in the generation that have taken forward the work of pioneering CRT educationists such as Gloria Ladson-Billings and Daniel Solórzano. She is, quite simply, the leading scholar of her generation on educational equity and Chicana/o students. She is also recognized as a leading authority on CRT methodology, especially counterstorytelling (which continues to grow in stature and popularity internationally)."

Reviewer (C)

"Dr. Yosso has been a pivotal presence and formative force in the field of Critical Race Theory and her national and international reputation is attested to in numerous venues. Her academic reputation emerges as a thoughtful and incisive scholar and her deep commitment to issues of social and educational equity is indisputable."

Reviewer (D)

"She is considered to be one of the field's leading voices in scholarship on educational inequity, race-sensitive research methods, and the education of Latino/a youth. At the same time, the interdisciplinary nature of critical race theory and LatCrit, has allowed her to develop significant presence not only in education, but also in legal scholarship, qualitative inquiry, higher

education, and cultural and ethnic studies. This interdisciplinarity is evident across her work, her academic presentations, and publications.”

Reviewer (E)

“Professor Yosso’s scholarship on race and education is consistently well-written and thoroughly researched. It offers a critical analysis of race, civil rights, and education. Professor Yosso has made cogent arguments for introspection, critical analysis, and educational reform. Based on my research, she is one of the nation’s leading scholars working on law and education from the Critical Race Theory perspective.”

Reviewer (F)

“Dr. Yosso has had a tremendous impact in terms of quality, quantity, range and focus in the use of counter-story telling and counter-narratives as an important methodological framework out of Critical Race Theory.”


Reviewer (G)

“She is a critical race theorist with national distinction whose work has extended CRT to the field of education. ... It is very impressive that several of her pieces have been cited extensively and employed by scholars and practitioners in a diverse range of fields...”

SUMMARY

Professor Yosso is a nationally and internationally recognized scholar and researcher in her field of critical race theory and Chicano/a studies. Her work to define community cultural wealth has strongly challenged prevailing theories of cultural capital, and has been acclaimed by scholars in critical legal studies, critical race studies, and education more broadly. In addition to popularizing a theory of community cultural wealth, she has contributed to the development of the concept of microaggressions and advanced the use of counterstorytelling as a research tool. She is an accomplished educator, committed to both undergraduate and graduate teaching and has provided significant service to the field. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Tara J. Yosso as professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, effective September 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2015

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

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REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the
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July 16, 2015

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment
NAME: Jeremy Bloom
CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Dean for Career Planning, Law School
TITLE BEING RENEWED: Assistant Dean for Career Planning, Law School
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016


We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Jeremy Bloom as assistant dean for career planning, Law School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016. His responsibilities do not include teaching obligations.

Mr. Bloom received his B.A., with honors, in political science from the University of Michigan in 1999 and his J.D., *cum laude*, from the University of Michigan in 2001. While in law school, Mr. Bloom was the associate editor of *Michigan Telecommunications and Technology Law Review* and clerked for the Honorable Avern Cohn in the United States District Court, Eastern District of Michigan in 2000. After graduating from law school, Mr. Bloom practiced law in New York, NY as an associate at Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom, LLP, from 2002 to 2005; then practiced law as a senior counsel at FINRA Enforcement Department in New York, NY from 2005 to 2010. Mr. Bloom then started his own law practice, Bloom & Silver, PA in Coral Springs, FL, from 2010 to 2012. Finally, Mr. Bloom was a senior compliance manager and counsel at Tower Research Capital, LLC, in New York, NY from May 2012 to the present.

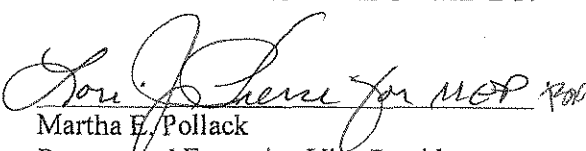
Mr. Bloom has primary responsibility for the supervision of the Office of Career Planning, including career counseling and education, the organization of informational programs, and management of the large on-campus recruiting programs.

The reappointment of Mr. Bloom will ensure that the Law School's career planning program will continue to provide essential services to students and the profession. It is with enthusiasm that we recommend the reappointment of Jeremy Bloom as assistant dean for career planning, Law School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Mark D. West
Dean, Law School
Nippon Life Professor of Law

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

July 2015

**Approved by the
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July 16, 2015**

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Iain D. Boyd

CURRENT TITLES: James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, and Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

TITLE BEING RENEWED: James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Iain D. Boyd as the James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The James E. Knott Professorship in Engineering was established in February 2010 by a gift from James E. Knott to support a distinguished faculty member in the College of Engineering's Department of Aerospace Engineering or Mechanical Engineering.

Professor Boyd received his B.S. (with honours) in mathematics in 1985 and his Ph.D. in aeronautics and astronautics in 1988 both from the University of Southampton in England. He started his career as a research scientist in 1989 in the Eoret Institute, NASA Ames Research Center in California. In 1993, he accepted an assistant professor position at Cornell University in Ithaca, NY and was promoted to associate professor in 1995. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan, Department of Aerospace Engineering, as an associate professor, with tenure, in 1999 and was promoted to professor in 2002.

Professor Boyd's research interests are in the numerical simulation of aerospace systems involving nonequilibrium gas and plasma dynamics. Examples of such systems include spacecraft electric propulsion, hypersonic vehicles, rocket plumes, and micro-scale gas flows. Research activities typically involve development of models to simulate physical processes, development of numerical algorithms, and application of the models and algorithms to real systems of interest. He is an author or co-author of numerous refereed journal papers, conference papers and presentations. He is a fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics, and a fellow of the American Physical Society.

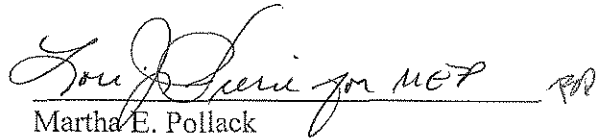
Professor Boyd's academic achievements fully merit his reappointment as the James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Dean E. Brenner, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Kutsche Memorial Chair of Internal Medicine, Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Professor of Pharmacology, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Kutsche Memorial Chair of Internal Medicine, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

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 Dean E. Brenner, M.D. as the Kutsche Memorial Chair of Internal Medicine, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

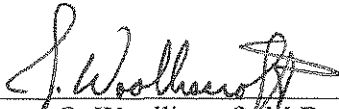
This professorship was established in April 2005 through a bequest from the late John D. Kutsche, M.D., and a subsequent gift from his daughter, Katherine Kutsche. The professorship supports the educational and research programs in the Department of Internal Medicine.

Dr. Brenner's research has led to several key findings over the past five years related to the pharmacodynamics of interventions designed to reverse or delay human carcinogenesis. This includes cancer risk reduction through discovery, and clinical testing of drugs targeting cellular enzymes, as well as diet and nutritionally based interventions that exploit biochemical mechanisms of metabolism of key nutritional components that control inflammatory states at vulnerable mucosa. His research has also led to advancements in the use of human stem cells as biomarkers of cancer risk therapies, and has achieved clinical validation of biomarkers for early detection of cancer. Dr. Brenner is well-funded, as the principal investigator of two grants and a subcontract grant sponsored by the National Cancer Institute, and a Komen Foundation award.

Dr. Brenner has a well-established national and international reputation. He has published 172 articles and is an editorial board member for *Cancer Biomarkers* and *Cancer Prevention Research*. He is an excellent teacher and mentor for undergraduate, graduate and medical students. Dr. Brenner is a member of a National Cancer Institute Special Emphasis Panel, and of the Clinical and Translational Science Committee for the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas.

Dr. Brenner is a world-renowned leader in the field of cancer prevention, and has made significant contributions to translational research. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Dean E. Brenner, M.D. as the Kutsche Memorial Chair of Internal Medicine, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Charles F. Burant, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Dr. Robert C. and Veronica Atkins Professor of Metabolism, Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, without tenure, Medical School, and Professor of Environmental Health Sciences, without tenure, School of Public Health

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Dr. Robert C. and Veronica Atkins Professor of Metabolism, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

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 Charles F. Burant, M.D., Ph.D. as the Dr. Robert C. and Veronica Atkins Professor of Metabolism, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The Dr. Robert C. and Veronica Atkins Professorship in Metabolism was established in March 2006 through a generous gift agreement from the Robert C. Atkins Foundation and is intended to support research of an outstanding investigator in the area of metabolic diseases, seeking to understand the complex biology of metabolism, especially as it related to diabetes, nutrition and obesity, and to develop new treatment strategies for these conditions.

Dr. Burant continues to be a leader in the field of diabetes and metabolism research as is evidenced by his outstanding track record as the principal investigator on several NIH R01 grants and on a NIH P30 grant to support the Michigan Nutrition Obesity Research Center. He is the principal investigator of a NIH R24 grant that supports the Michigan Regional Comprehensive Metabolomics Research Core. Dr. Burant has published more than 100 peer-reviewed articles, and holds two patents. He has served as an editor and primary author of seven books, including the official American Diabetes Association's book Medical Management of Type 2 Diabetes. Dr. Burant is an associate editor of the *Journal of Lipid Research*, a position he has held since 2011.

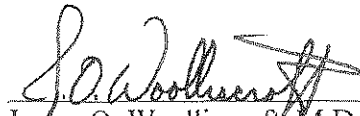
Dr. Burant has been a long-standing member of the Advisory Panel for the National Diabetes Education Initiative since 2003. He was named a Taubman Scholar in 2011 at the University of Michigan. Dr. Burant is director of the Michigan Nutrition Obesity Research Center, of the Michigan Metabolics and Obesity Center, the Michigan Regional Comprehensive Metabolomics


Research Core, and associate director of the Michigan Institute for Clinical and Human Research. He is a program director of the Fellowship Program in Metabolic Diseases.


Dr. Burant has continued his distinguished career as a leader in the field of metabolism and diabetes. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Charles F. Burant, M.D., Ph.D. as the Dr. Robert C. and Veronica Atkins Professor of Metabolism, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.


Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine


Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs


Martin A. Philbert
Dean, School of Public Health


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

NAME: Gregory D. Cartee

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Research, Professor of Kinesiology, with tenure, School of Kinesiology, and Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Research, School of Kinesiology

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2017

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Kinesiology, with the endorsement of the Department of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Gregory D. Cartee as associate dean for research, School of Kinesiology, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2017.

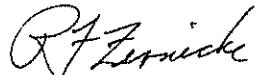
Gregory D. Cartee earned his Bachelor of Science from the University of Georgia in 1979, his Masters of Science from Florida State University, Tallahassee, in 1981, and his doctorate from the University of Texas at Austin in 1985.

Professor Cartee came to the University of Michigan in 2004 after 15 years at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. His research has mainly focused on energy metabolism, especially in skeletal muscle under conditions of exercise, aging, and dietary manipulations. He is a well-funded scholar doing interdisciplinary research.

He has been an active and contributing member of the faculty. He has served on the school's facilities programming committee and created very effective mentoring programs for our new junior faculty with regard to research and grantsmanship.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Gregory D. Cartee as associate dean for research, School of Kinesiology, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Ronald F. Zernicke
Dean, School of Kinesiology



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

NAME: Milton S.F. Curry

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Strategic Initiatives,
and Associate Professor of Architecture, with tenure, A. Alfred
Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Strategic Initiatives,
A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban
Planning

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

The dean of the A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning is pleased recommends the reappointment of Milton S.F. Curry as associate dean for academic affairs and strategic initiatives, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Milton S.F. Curry received his Bachelor of Architecture from Cornell University in 1988 and his Master of Architecture from Harvard University Graduate School of Design in 1992.

Professor Curry joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2010 as an associate professor, with tenure. Prior to coming to the University of Michigan, he taught at Cornell University where he held numerous leadership roles including serving for six years as the director of the Cornell Council for the Arts and the director of Case Studies in Urban Development. He was also an affiliate faculty in the Cornell Program in Real Estate and the Cornell Center for the Study of Inequality.

Within the architecture discipline, Professor Curry is considered one of his generation's preeminent architectural educators, scholars and editors focusing on issues of race, architecture and urbanism. In his role as associate dean, Professor Curry has been charged with expanding the college's curricular and interdisciplinary initiatives as well as broadening engagement with urban projects. He works on projects related to the revitalization of Detroit and outreach to other academic units and industry to support college related activities. Professor Curry has also undertaken several important diversity initiatives aimed at expanding post-baccalaureate degree program representation of under-represented minorities and expanding high-school under-represented minority engagement with architecture.

I am very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Milton S.F. Curry as associate dean for academic affairs and strategic initiatives, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



Monica Ponce de Leon
Dean, and Eliel Saarinen Collegiate Professor
of Architecture and Urban Planning,
A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture
and Urban Planning



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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July 16, 2015**

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: William H. Herman, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Stefan S. Fajans, M.D./GlaxoSmithKline Professor of Diabetes, Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Medical School, and Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Stefan S. Fajans, M.D./GlaxoSmithKline Professor of Diabetes, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

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 William H. Herman, M.D. as the Stefan S. Fajans, M.D./GlaxoSmithKline Professor of Diabetes, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

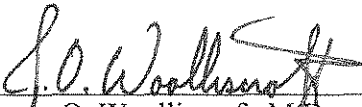
This professorship was established in June 2003 through a substantial gift from GlaxoSmithKline, as well as from gifts from patients, friends, and colleagues of Dr. Fajans. This professorship is intended to support the activities of a senior investigator in the Division of Metabolism, Endocrinology and Diabetes who is working in the field of diabetes research.

Dr. Herman continues to be a leader in the treatment of diabetes and diabetes epidemiology. In 2013, he became the Michigan site principal investigator for the Glycemia Reduction Approaches in Diabetes: A Comparative Effectiveness Study, which compares four second line therapies for type 2 diabetes. Dr. Herman continues to direct the Michigan site for the Diabetes Control and Complications Trial/Epidemiology of Diabetes Interventions and Complications. He has published more than 300 articles, 11 books, and presented his research at over 200 venues regionally, nationally and internationally. Dr. Herman is the chair of the National Committee for Quality Assurance/Physician Consortium for Performance Improvement Joint Diabetes Expert Panel, serves as a member of the Medicare Evidence Development and Coverage Advisory Committee, and is chair of the American Diabetes Association's Professional Practice Committee which produces the ADA Standards of Care in Diabetes. Dr. Herman is regional editor for the *Americas for Diabetic Medicine* and is on the editorial board of *The American Journal of Managed Care*.

Dr. Herman has established a distinguished career as a leader in the field of diabetes research and continues to make significant scholarly contributions. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of William H. Herman, M.D. as the Stefan S. Fajans, M.D./GlaxoSmithKline Professor of Diabetes, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
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Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
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Martin A. Philbert
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Timothy M. Johnson, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Lewis and Lillian Becker Professor of Dermatology,
Professor of Dermatology, with tenure, Professor of
Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, without tenure,
and Professor of Surgery, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Lewis and Lillian Becker Professor of Dermatology,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020


On the recommendation of John J. Voorhees, M.D., the Duncan and Ella Poth Distinguished Professor and Chair of the Department of Dermatology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Timothy M. Johnson, M.D. as the Lewis and Lillian Becker Professor of Dermatology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The Lewis and Lillian Becker Professorship in Dermatology was established in April 2005 through a generous gift and pledge from Lewis and Lillian Becker. It is intended to facilitate programs to advance and accelerate medical research related to skin cancer epidemiology, therapy, education, and biology.


Dr. Johnson joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1990 as an assistant professor in the Departments of Dermatology, Surgery and Otorhinolaryngology. He achieved his present professorial rank in 2003. His area of research is in melanoma and non-melanoma skin cancer and reconstruction and surgical repair of soft tissue defects utilizing flaps and grafts. Since 1990, Dr. Johnson has served as director and division chief of the Cutaneous Surgery and Oncology Program in the Department of Dermatology. He also directs the Multidisciplinary Melanoma Clinic, and is clinical director of the Cutaneous Oncology Program. He has published more than 200 peer-reviewed articles, and serves nationally on the American Joint Committee on Cancer Staging.

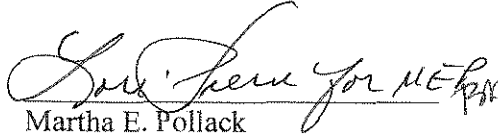
Dr. Johnson continues to be successful in the field of melanoma treatment, which aligns him with the intent of this professorship. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Timothy M. Johnson, M.D. as the Lewis and Lillian Becker Professor of Dermatology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:


Marshall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to a Research Professorship

NAME: Cheryl T. Lee, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Dr. Robert H. and Eva M. Moyad Research Professor of Urology, and Professor of Urology, with tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Dr. Robert H. and Eva M. Moyad Research Professor of Urology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

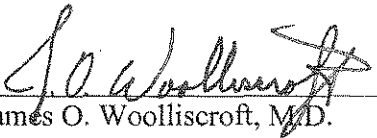
On the recommendation of David A. Bloom, M.D., the Jack Lapidus Professor and Chair of the Department of Urology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Cheryl T. Lee, M.D. as the Dr. Robert H. and Eva M. Moyad Research Professor of Urology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

This research professorship was established in March 2010 through a generous gift agreement from the Thompson Foundation and Mr. Phil F. Jenkins. It is intended to support the activities of a tenured faculty member in the Department of Urology.


Dr. Lee is a national authority for her work in bladder cancer. Her research interests include the validation predictors of impairment-free survival for vulnerable bladder cancer patients treated with radical cystectomy. She also assesses the use of a bladder cancer survivorship care plan to increase compliance with National Comprehensive Cancer Network guidelines for post-cystectomy surveillance. Dr. Lee has developed and piloted a system of coaching for surgical faculty to improve intraoperative teaching and learner satisfaction, while decreasing intraoperative complications. She is an excellent teacher in all situations, from educating students to urologists in practice. Dr. Lee is the fellowship director of the Division of Urologic Oncology and co-director of the Bladder Cancer Program in the Department of Urology. She is an associate editor for *Bladder Cancer*, and has been elected to the American Board of Urology Oral Examination Committee. Dr. Lee is the director of the Office of Continuous Professional Development for the Medical School.

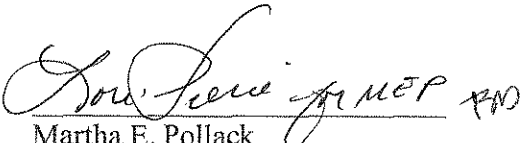
Dr. Lee brings new insights and vision for continuing medical education, and continues to make outstanding contributions to her specialty. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Cheryl T. Lee, M.D. as the Dr. Robert H. and Eva M. Moyad Research Professor of Urology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:


Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Nancy A. Mason

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Student Services, and Clinical Professor of
Pharmacy, College of Pharmacy

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Student Services, College of Pharmacy

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018

The dean and Executive Committee of the College of Pharmacy are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Nancy A. Mason as associate dean for student services, College of Pharmacy, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018.

Professor Mason received her Bachelor of Science degree in pharmacy in 1976 and her Doctor of Pharmacy degree in 1981 both from the University of Michigan. She served as the assistant director of pharmacy for Chelsea Community Hospital beginning in 1981 before joining the University of Michigan Health System as a clinical pharmacist in 1988. She was appointed as an adjunct clinical instructor of pharmacy in 1981 and as a clinical assistant professor in 1982. She was promoted to clinical associate professor in 1996 and to clinical professor in 2011. Professor Mason concurrently served as the director of Nephrology Pharmacy Associates, Inc. from 1997 to 2007 before becoming a partner in Renal Pharmacy Consultants, LLC in 2008, a position which she continues to hold. In addition to her faculty appointment, Professor Mason served as the director of the Experiential Training Program and Community Engagement at the College of Pharmacy from 2004 to 2011 and was appointed as the associate dean for student services in 2011.


Professor Mason is a highly regarded expert in the field of nephrology, having recently received a National Kidney Foundation Fellowship in 2013. Professor Mason is an exemplary educator who is extremely dedicated and innovative. In addition to developing, teaching, and coordinating a variety of didactic courses, she provides a consistent and sustained role in mentoring PharmD students in a variety of ways and has demonstrated leadership in teaching by mentoring other faculty, facilitating the development of a new curricular framework, and implementing new teaching methods. She has developed several new programs that are used in her course, as well as in courses taught by other faculty, and she has received many honors for her achievements in teaching.

Professor Mason's performance as associate dean of student services has been outstanding, and her contributions to the College of Pharmacy matters related to student services are invaluable. She has expanded the Leadership Scholars Program and has established a formalized career

counseling program, availing its offerings to graduate students in addition to our professional students. She has also initiated a professional development program for all of our students.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Nancy A. Mason as associate dean for student services, College of Pharmacy, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:



James T. Dalton
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Barbara J. McKenna, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Godfrey D. Stobbe Professor of Pathology Education, and
Clinical Professor, Department of Pathology, Medical
School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Godfrey D. Stobbe Professor of Pathology Education,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

On the recommendation of Charles A. Parkos, M.D., Ph.D., the Carl V. Weller Professor and Chair of the Department of Pathology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Barbara J. McKenna, M.D., Ph.D. as the Godfrey D. Stobbe Professor of Pathology Education, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The Godfrey D. Stobbe Professorship in Pathology Education was established in March 1995 through a bequest from the estate of Godfrey D. Stobbe, M.D. Dr. Stobbe was a 1939 Medical School graduate who had a long affiliation with the Department of Pathology at the University of Michigan. Throughout his career, Dr. Stobbe attended continuing medical education programs sponsored by the Department of Pathology. This professorship was established to honor Dr. Stobbe's commitment to medical education.

Dr. McKenna received her M.D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1981. She completed residency training in anatomic and clinical pathology in the Department of Pathology from 1981-1985. Dr. McKenna served for several years in private practice in New York and joined the faculty at Albany Medical College in 1992. In 2002, she joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a clinical associate professor. She has held her current title of clinical professor since 2009.

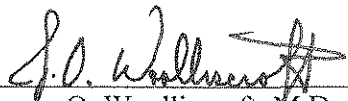
Dr. McKenna is the director of Educational Programs and the Residency Program in the Department of Pathology. From 2006-2010, she was the program director for the Surgical Pathology program. For the past year, she has served on the Medical School Curriculum Transformation-Trunk Workgroup, providing critical feedback on behalf of her department as the Medical School transforms its curriculum. She has participated in the medical student sophomore pathology curriculum, M1 pathology laboratory and medical student senior elective mentoring. Dr. McKenna is nationally known for her participation in the activities of the


American Society of Clinical Pathology, and as president of the Rodger C. Haggitt Gastrointestinal Pathology Society.


Dr. McKenna continues to be a strong leader in education, and make significant contributions to the Department of Pathology. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Barbara J. McKenna, M.D., Ph.D. as the Godfrey D. Stobbe Professor of Pathology Education, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine


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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Shahzad I. Mian, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Terry J. Bergstrom Collegiate Professor for Resident Education in Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, and Associate Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, with tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Terry J. Bergstrom Collegiate Professor for Resident Education in Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

On the recommendation of Paul P. Lee, M.D., the F. Bruce Fraclick 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 Shahzad I. Mian, M.D. as the Terry J. Bergstrom Collegiate Professor for Resident Education in Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

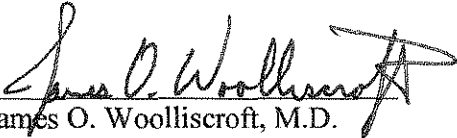
The Terry J. Bergstrom Collegiate Professorship for Resident Education in Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences was established in January 2011 through gifts from friends and alumni of the Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. It is intended to support the director of Resident Education. Dr. Bergstrom's most enduring legacy was his role as an educator.

Dr. Mian has served as the residency program director in the Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences since 2004. His commitment to resident education has earned him the respect of faculty and residents. Dr. Mian is the first associate chair for education, and has focused on integrating the continuum of education for students through graduate medical education, and by creating systems that transition learning from one phase to the next in a seamless manner. He is creating an approach where ophthalmologists will engage in lifelong learning by incorporating graduated learning principles, and utilizing the most up to date methods throughout their careers.

Dr. Mian is a member of the leadership committee designing the implementation of the Medical School's new curriculum for the future. Through his leadership, the Departments of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences and Anesthesia are piloting the implementation of Clinical Learning Environmental Review (CLER) training for patient safety at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Mian exemplifies what it is to be a leader and champion of continuous improvement. This professorship affords him the opportunity to continue his critical work in educating and mentoring future leaders. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Shahzad I. Mian, M.D. as the Terry J. Bergstrom Collegiate Professor for Resident Education in Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Bruce A. Mueller

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, and Professor of
Pharmacy, with tenure, College of Pharmacy

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, College of Pharmacy

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018

The dean and Executive Committee of the College of Pharmacy are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Bruce A. Mueller as associate dean for academic affairs, College of Pharmacy, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018.

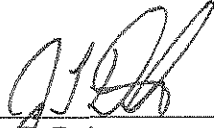
Professor Mueller received his B.S. in pharmacy in 1984 from the University of Wisconsin, Madison, and his Pharm.D. in 1988 from the University of Texas at Austin. He also successfully completed a one-year residency in adult internal medicine at the University of Texas at Austin. Following the completion of his education, Professor Mueller joined the Purdue University School of Pharmacy as an assistant professor of clinical pharmacy in 1988, where he swiftly achieved the ranks of associate professor and professor in 1993 and 1999, respectively. He also served as an adjunct assistant professor of medicine at Indiana University from 1990 to 2000. Professor Mueller joined the University of Michigan as a professor of pharmacy and chair of the Department of Clinical Sciences in 2000. When the Department of Clinical Sciences merged with the Department of Social and Administrative Sciences in 2007, he became chair of the newly combined department until 2011, at which time he was appointed as the associate dean for academic affairs.

Professor Mueller is highly regarded for his work in the area of renal replacement therapies and medication use in patients with acute or chronic renal failure. His work has been credited for many significant advances recently made in the field of nephrology, and he has published extensively in highly respected medical and pharmacy journals. He is an outstanding educator and citizen of the College of Pharmacy and his profession. Professor Mueller has received several teaching and research awards and is a fellow of the National Kidney Foundation, American Society of Nephrology, and the American College of Clinical Pharmacy. He is also the recipient of the 2015 MICHDR Distinguished Clinical and Translational Research Mentor Award.

Professor Mueller's performance as the associate dean of academic affairs has been outstanding, and his contributions to matters related to the curriculum, curriculum assessment, and academic affairs are invaluable. He has developed successful initiatives, such as a mentoring program for junior faculty, and he worked with representatives from other health sciences schools to launch a new and highly successful inter-professional course.

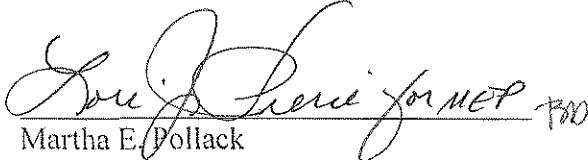
We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Bruce A. Mueller as associate dean for academic affairs, College of Pharmacy, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:



James V. Dalton
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to a Research Professorship

NAME: Steven W. Pipe, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Laurence A. Boxer, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure, and Professor of Pathology, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Laurence A. Boxer, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

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 Steven W. Pipe, M.D. as the Laurence A. Boxer, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

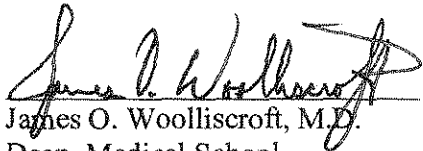
This professorship was established in June 2009 to honor Dr. Laurence Boxer and to recognize his numerous contributions to the specialty of pediatrics and the University of Michigan.

Dr. Pipe is highly regarded for his clinical expertise both inside and outside of the health system. He is one of the few pediatric coagulation experts in the country who is known nationally for their clinical and research expertise. Dr. Pipe's research has important implications for hemophilia - a devastating bleeding disorder of childhood. His over-arching goal is to develop a biological therapeutic that overcomes the current limitations of present factor replacement therapies.

Dr. Pipe holds many important leadership roles at the University of Michigan. He is the pediatric medical director of the Hemophilia and Coagulation Disorders Program, the Special Coagulation Laboratory and is the director of the Division of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology and Blood and Marrow Transplantation. Dr. Pipe has published more than 80 articles, and holds two patents. He is an outstanding teacher and mentor, and his research is funded by the NIH. Dr. Pipe is a member of numerous professional societies and serves as a council member for the Midwest Society for Pediatric Research, and on the board of directors for the Hemostasis and Thrombosis Research Society, and the American Thrombosis and Hemostasis Network.

Dr. Pipe continues to be an outstanding clinician, scientist, educator and administrator. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Steven W. Pipe, M.D. as the Laurence A. Boxer, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

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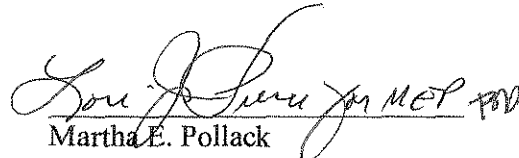


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: David H. Sherman

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Education, Hans W. Vahlteich Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, with tenure, College of Pharmacy, Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, without tenure, Medical School, and Professor of Chemistry, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Education, College of Pharmacy

TERM: One Year

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016

The dean and Executive Committee of the College of Pharmacy are pleased to recommend the reappointment of David H. Sherman as associate dean for research and graduate education, College of Pharmacy, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016.

Professor Sherman received his BA degree in chemistry from the University of California, Santa Cruz, in 1978 and went on to complete a PhD degree in chemistry at Columbia University in 1981. He completed post-doctoral fellowships at Yale University and MIT in 1982 and 1984, respectively. Professor Sherman joined Biogen Research Corporation as a research scientist in 1984 before going to the John Innes Institute in Norwich, UK, in 1987. In 1990, he became an assistant professor in the Department of Microbiology and Biological Process Technology Institute at the University of Minnesota and was promoted to associate professor in 1995. He served as the director of the Center for Microbial Physiology and Metabolic Engineering there from 1996 through 1998 and became the director of the Microbiology, Immunology and Cancer Biology Graduate Program in 1998. He was promoted to the rank of professor in 2000 and served as the director of the University of Minnesota NIGMS Biotechnology Training Program. He joined the University of Michigan in 2003 as the John G. Searle Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, College of Pharmacy, professor of chemistry, College of Literature, Sciences, and the Arts, and professor of microbiology and immunology, Medical School. He was appointed as a research professor in the Life Sciences Institute in 2004, serving as the director of the Center for Chemical Genomics. He was appointed as the Hans W. Vahlteich Professor of Medicinal Chemistry in 2007 and associate dean for research and graduate education in 2011.


Professor Sherman is an exceptional scientist and academician who takes an interdisciplinary approach to science. Considered one of the top scientists in his field, his cutting-edge research focuses on the genomics of biosynthetic pathways of unusual natural products for the purpose of

discovering potential pharmaceutical uses. He has an extraordinary funding record and has published extensively in highly regarded scientific journals. Professor Sherman is also an excellent teacher and a productive citizen of his profession and of the University of Michigan. The collaborative nature of his work, his remarkable research accomplishments, and his experience in academia have had a great impact on multidisciplinary scholarship and learning at the University of Michigan.


Professor Sherman's leadership as associate dean for research and graduate education has had a positive influence on the success of the College of Pharmacy. He is responsible for or involved in several important activities such as managing the allocation of research resources, faculty performance evaluations and salary allocations, and strategic planning. He has been particularly instrumental in developing our strategy in the academic drug discovery initiative, and his mentorship of faculty is highly valued.

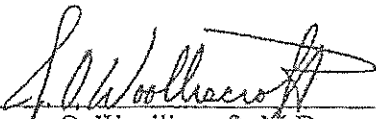
We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of David H. Sherman as associate dean for research and graduate education, College of Pharmacy, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016.

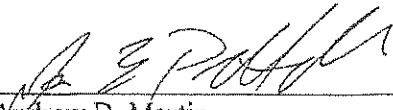
RECOMMENDED BY:


James T. Dalton
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Martha E. Dollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
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Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment
NAME: Patricia A. Van Volkinburg
CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Academic Programs, and Clinical Associate Professor, School of Kinesiology
TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Academic Programs, School of Kinesiology
EFFECTIVE DATES: June 1, 2015 through August 31, 2015

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Kinesiology are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Patricia A. Van Volkinburg as associate dean for academic programs, School of Kinesiology, effective June 1, 2015 through August 31, 2015.


Patricia Van Volkinburg earned her Bachelor of Science in physical education with a health education minor at Western Michigan University in 1970. She earned her Master of Science in kinesiology at the University of Michigan in 1985.

Professor Van Volkinburg's role as the school's associate dean for academic programs manages the scheduling of all courses in the School of Kinesiology, approves new course requests and course changes, hires and supervises lecturers, supervises GSIs, advises faculty on teaching methodology, academic judiciary, and has oversight of all student services operations.


In addition, Professor Van Volkinburg serves on committees and groups across campus including the Spring/Summer Instruction Task Force and Vice Provosts and Associate Deans Group (VPADG).

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Patricia A. Van Volkinburg as associate dean for academic programs, School of Kinesiology, effective June 1, 2015 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Ronald F. Zernicke
Dean, School of Kinesiology

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Stephen J. Weiss, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: E. Gifford and Love Barnett Upjohn Professor of Internal Medicine and Oncology, and Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: E. Gifford and Love Barnett Upjohn Professor of Internal Medicine and Oncology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

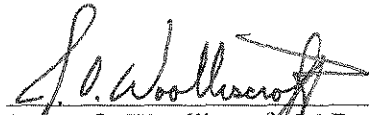
On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Stephen J. Weiss, M.D. as the E. Gifford and Love Barnett Upjohn Professor of Internal Medicine and Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

This professorship was established in October 1990 through a major gift from Dr. and Mrs. E. Gifford Upjohn of Kalamazoo, Michigan. It is intended to support a faculty member whose interest focus on cancer research and treatment.

Dr. Weiss' research focuses on the mechanisms used by cancer cells, immune cells, stromal cells and the vascular network to remodel tissue structure for the development of novel therapeutics in the treatment of various diseases including cancer, obesity, and rheumatoid arthritis. He has received continuous funding for his research, through the NIH and the Breast Cancer Foundation. Dr. Weiss has contributed to several patents through his research related to anti-angiogenic and anti-metastatic monoclonal antibodies. He has presented his work at several prestigious professional meetings held nationally and internationally. Dr. Weiss has published 116 articles. He was appointed the acting director of the Life Sciences Institute in 2015, and is a member of the editorial board for the *Journal of General Pharmacology*, the *Journal of Clinical Investigation*, *Angiogenesis*, the *Journal of Cellular Physiology*, *Molecular Medicine*, *Molecular and Cellular Biology*, *Cells*, and *Molecular Cancer Research*. He has served as the director of the Post-Doctoral Research Training Program since 1986.

Dr. Weiss is an exemplary researcher with a national and international reputation, who continues to have a positive impact on his field. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Stephen J. Weiss, M.D. as the E. Gifford and Love Barnett Upjohn Professor of Internal Medicine and Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship
NAME: J. Stuart Wolf, Jr., M.D.
CURRENT TITLES: David A. Bloom Professor of Urology, and Professor of
Urology, with tenure, Medical School
TITLE BEING RENEWED: David A. Bloom Professor of Urology, Medical School
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020


On the recommendation of David A. Bloom, M.D., the Jack Lapidus Professor and Chair of the Department of Urology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of J. Stuart Wolf, M.D. as the David A. Bloom Professor of Urology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The David A. Bloom Professorship in Urology was established in March 2006 through a generous gift agreement from Brian P. Campbell and Mary L. Campbell to acknowledge Dr. Bloom's contributions as a clinician and educator to the University of Michigan and his medical specialty.


Dr. Wolf is a skilled surgeon and clinical investigator with expertise in endourology and urologic laparoscopy. He is highly regarded by our residents as a great teacher and by our patients as a great clinician. Dr. Wolf serves as the director of the Division of Endourology and Stone Disease, as fellowship director for the Endourology/Laparoscopy Fellowship, and as associate chair for Surgical Services in the Department of Urology. Nationally, he served as course director for the American Urological Association Oral Boards Review Course lectures and mock examinations. In the American Urological Association, Dr. Wolf is currently chair of the Science and Quality Council, the Electronic Health Record Workgroup, and the Patient Safety Workgroup.

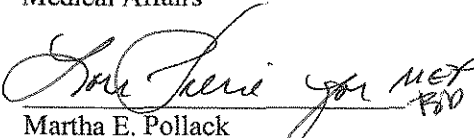
Dr. Wolf is a magnificent surgeon, a consummate colleague, great educator and mentor. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of J. Stuart Wolf, Jr., M.D. as the David A. Bloom Professor of Urology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:


Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Gregory A. Yanik, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Leland and Elaine Blatt Family Professor of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, Clinical Professor of Internal Medicine, and Clinical Professor of Pediatric and Communicable Diseases, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Leland and Elaine Blatt Family Professor of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, Medical School

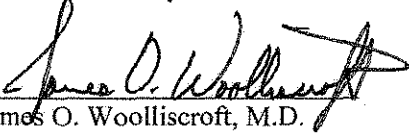
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

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 Gregory A. Yanik, M.D. as the Leland and Elaine Blatt Family Professor of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

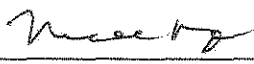
Dr. Yanik specializes in bone marrow transplantation in children and adults with a variety of blood disorders. He has built an extraordinary career pioneering novel treatment strategies for children with refractory or relapsed neuroblastoma. One such strategy, metaiodobenzylguanidine (MIBG) therapy, has brought patients from across the country to the University of Michigan for treatment and has led to important clinical trials demonstrating the efficacy of this therapy. Dr. Yanik also focuses on the early diagnosis of Graft-versus-Host Disease (GVHD) as manifested in the lung. Pulmonary complications are a leading cause of mortality following allogeneic stem cell transplantation and he has pioneered treatments for patients with life threatening pulmonary complications that may occur post-transplant.


Dr. Yanik continues to make outstanding contributions to the clinical, academic and research missions of his division, department and the university. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Gregory A. Yanik, M.D. as the Leland and Elaine Blatt Family Professor of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:


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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Donald R. Zak

CURRENT TITLES: Burton V. Barnes Collegiate Professor, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, 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: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, School of Natural Resources and Environment

EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2016

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Natural Resources and Environment are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donald R. Zak as associate dean for academic affairs, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2016.

Donald R. Zak received his Bachelor of Science from The 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 as an assistant professor in 1988 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2000.

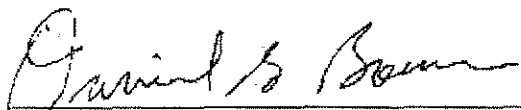
Professor Zak is one of the nation's foremost forest ecologists, and the world leader in the study of forest soil microbial communities. He essentially developed a new branch of ecology and environmental science by bridging and unifying the fields of microbial ecology and biogeochemistry. This work revolutionized the understanding of how forests acquire and recycle nutrients, which in turn controls the rate of forest growth and their resistance to environmental change. Professor Zak has contributed to nearly all of the most important forest ecology questions of our time. He has explored how forest soils and their microbial communities are influenced by factors such as enhanced nitrogen deposition, global warming, CO₂ and O₃ enhancement, forest succession, and biodiversity. He has a rare talent for designing and implementing field experiments that span multiple years and large spatial scales. At the same time, he is at the forefront of bringing new techniques of molecular biology to the study of soil microbes in a laboratory setting. His nearly 180 publications have been cited more than 17,000 times. In recognition of his pioneering work and influence, the Soil Science Society of America awarded Professor Zak its highest honor, the Francis Clark Distinguished Lectureship, in 2009.

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. His students speak frequently of his high standards, accessibility, and quality mentorship. An exceptional mentor, Professor Zak has supervised 12 post-doctoral scholars and has chaired 13 Ph.D. committees (two of these as co-chair), 20 master's theses, and six undergraduate Honors theses.

Professor Zak has many years of service to the School of Natural Resources and Environment, the university, and to his profession. He is an established faculty member who helps to set expectations against which new hires, junior or senior, can measure themselves and who has earned the respect of his peers. He is frequently asked to serve on important committees at both the school and the university level, such as Promotion and Tenure, faculty search committees, review committees, and the President's Biosciences Advisory Panel.

Professor Zak is an exemplary researcher, an excellent teacher, and a dedicated member of the university community. He has the right skills and background to lead the school's efforts to ensure an innovative and exciting curriculum and co-curricular environment. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donald R. Zak as associate dean for academic affairs, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

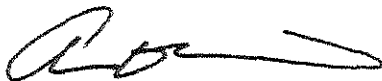


Daniel G. Brown
Interim Dean and Professor
School of Natural Resources and Environment

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs



Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Veronica Berrocal

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health

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

TERM: Three Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Veronica Berrocal as the John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, for a three-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018.

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

Professor Berrocal received her Ph.D. in statistics from the University of Washington in 2007. She did post-doctoral work at the Environmental Protection Agency (2007-2008), Duke University Department of Statistical Sciences (2008-2009), and the Statistical and Applied Mathematical Sciences Institute (2009-2010). She joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in the Department of Biostatistics in 2010.

Professor Berrocal is an expert in the analysis of spatial and environmental data and recently won the Distinguished Young Investigator Award from the American Statistical Association's Section on Statistics and the Environment. She is actively engaged in collaboration with researchers throughout the School of Public Health and has 20 published manuscripts. She is also an excellent teacher and a great contributor to the life of the department.

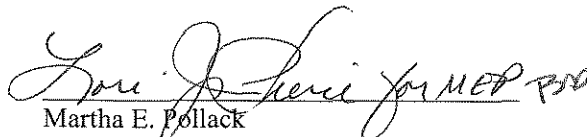
It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of Veronica Berrocal as the John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, for a three-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Martin A. Philbert
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Career Development
Professorship

NAME: Brenda L. Bohnsack, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences,
Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Helmut F. Stern Career Development Professor of
Ophthalmology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

On the recommendation of Paul P. Lee, M.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 appointment of Brenda L. Bohnsack, M.D., Ph.D. as the Helmut F. Stern Career Development Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

This professorship was established in June 2010 through the generosity of Helmut F. Stern, a lifelong benefactor of the University of Michigan. It is intended to advance the work of junior faculty in the Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences.

Brenda L. Bohnsack received her Ph.D. degree in 2004 and her M.D. degree in 2006 from Baylor University. She completed an internship at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn, and a residency and fellowship in ophthalmology at the University of Michigan. Dr. Bohnsack completed a fellowship at Duke University. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2012 as an assistant professor in the Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences. In 2014, she was appointed as a fellowship director for Pediatric Ophthalmology and Adult Strabismus.

Dr. Bohnsack studies the genes that regulate the development of the anterior segment of the eye in order to understand the basis of congenital eye diseases and the development of novel therapies. In the clinic, she treats children with glaucoma and congenital eye anomalies. Dr. Bohnsack is the principal investigator of a Mentored Clinical Science Research Career Development Award from the National Eye Institute. She uses zebrafish models to study genes and the molecular pathways that regulate the development of the ocular neural crest, a group of transient stem cells that gives rise to numerous structures in the eye, including portions of the cornea, iris and angle. Many congenital eye diseases are a result of a defect in ocular neural crest development. Dr. Bohnsack is expanding her research program to study in-depth additional genes important in eye development such as CYP181.

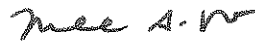
This professorship will enable Dr. Bohnsack to realize the potential of her insights and work, by enabling her time to do her ground-breaking work. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Brenda L. Bohnsack, M.D., Ph.D. as the Helmut F. Stern Career Development Professor of Ophthalmology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Unendowed Collegiate Professorship
NAME: Letha A. Chadiha
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social Work
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Rose C. Gibson Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Letha A. Chadiha as the Rose C. Gibson Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

The Rose C. Gibson Collegiate Professorship in Social Work was established through the Provost Office and was named in June 2015 and will be funded through the School of Social Work. It is intended to honor the professional academic career of Professor Rose Gibson and a distinguished member of the School of Social Work faculty.

Letha A. Chadiha is an alumna of the School of Social Work's Joint Doctoral Program in Social Work and Social Science. She earned her Ph.D. in social work and anthropology in 1989. She became an assistant professor at the George Warren Brown School of Social Work at Washington University in 1990 and attained tenure and the rank of associate professor in 1996. She joined the School of Social Work faculty as an associate professor, with tenure, in 2002 and was promoted to professor in 2012.

Professor Chadiha is a gerontologist who specializes in family caregiving by African American women to older African American urban and rural residents, as well as in research on the recruitment and retention of ethnically diverse elders in research. Her research is significant for closing a gap in the knowledge about the experiences of caregivers of older African Americans, particularly those in rural areas who are rarely studied.

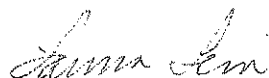
Professor Chadiha is the author of over 50 scientific publications and has given 72 scientific presentations across the country. She is the principal investigator on a prestigious National Institute of General Medical Sciences Bridges to the Doctorate research training grant titled, "UM Social Work/Nursing Bridges to the Doctoral Program," the first of its kind to be awarded to a social work school. An accomplished well-funded researcher, she has been the principal investigator on research grants funded by the National Institute on Aging, National Science Foundation, and the John A. Hartford Foundation among others. Her accomplishments in

research, scholarship and service have earned her such recognitions as being elected fellow to the Social Research, Policy and Practice Section of the Gerontological Society of America in 2007, elected chair of this section in 2009, and elected fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine in 2012.

Professor Chadiha has provided extensive mentorship to faculty, post-doctoral trainees, and graduate students. In recognition of her work in this arena, she has received numerous awards, including the Outstanding Mentorship Award from the Gerontological Society of America's Task Force on Minority Issues in 2008, the Harold R. Johnson Diversity Service Award from the University of Michigan in 2013, and the School of Social Work Distinguished Faculty Award in 2014.

Professor Chadiha is a nationally regarded scholar. For her distinguished accomplishments in support of the profession, academy and community, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Letha A. Chadiha as the Rose C. Gibson Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Laura Lein
Katherine Reebel Collegiate Professor of
Social Work, Professor of Anthropology,
and Dean, School of Social Work

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Unendowed Collegiate Professorship
NAME: Sandra K. Danziger
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social Work
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Edith A. Lewis Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Sandra K. Danziger as the Edith A. Lewis Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

The Edith A. Lewis Collegiate Professorship in Social Work was established through the Provost Office and was named in June 2015 and will be funded through the School of Social Work. It is intended to honor the distinguished professional academic career of Edith Lewis, professor emerita of social work and women's studies, and a distinguished member of the School of Social Work faculty.

Sandra K. Danziger received her Ph.D. in sociology from Boston University in 1978. Before joining the School of Social Work faculty in 1987, she was a project associate with the Wisconsin State Department of Health and Social Services and the Center for Public Policy and Administration at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, and an associate scientist with the Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison. In 1993, she advanced to the rank of associate professor, with tenure. In 1994, she was a visiting research scientist with the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation under the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Professor Danziger joined the faculty of the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy as an associate research scientist in 2003. In 2004, she advanced to the ranks of professor of social work and research professor.

Professor Danziger's primary research concentrates on the effects of public programs and policies on the well-being of disadvantaged families, poverty policy and social service programs, demographic trends in child and family well-being, gender issues across the life course, program evaluation, and qualitative research methods. Her current research examines the social and economic impact of the Great Recession on low-income families and she recently completed an evaluation of a family support program provided by Starfish Family Services in Inkster, Michigan. She previously conducted an implementation study of Michigan's Jobs, Education and Training pilot projects. She was the principal investigator on the Women's Employment

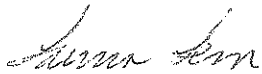
Survey and the Implementing Welfare to Work Programs in Michigan study. In the past, Professor Danziger has studied how Michigan's General Assistance welfare recipients fared after the termination of this income support program. In all, she has written 106 publications and, since 1990, given over 100 presentations at national and international venues. Since 1990, she has received dozens of grants from the federal government and numerous foundations.

Professor Danziger's expertise and scholarship has been recognized throughout her career. She was an invited member of the U.S. General Accounting Office Welfare Reform Advisory Committee. In 2006, she was invited to present testimony to the Michigan House Appropriations Subcommittee on Human Services. She was also a member of the National Association of Social Work's Blue Ribbon panel on Economic Security. She has served on the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Policy Council and the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) Policy Forum National Planning Committee. She has received such honors as the SSWR Excellence in Research Award in 2006, a visiting scholar fellowship with the Russell Sage Foundation in 2002, and a scholarship-in-residence with the Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Center in 2009.

Professor Danziger has a long record of leadership, having served on and chaired a number of executive and advisory committees at the university and editorial boards of such peer-review journals as the *Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research*, where she was a founding associate editor. She has served on the Horace H. Rackham Graduate Studies Executive Board and the Faculty Executive Committee for the Institute for Research on Women and Gender. She recently served as the acting director of the Joint Doctoral Program in Social Work and Social Science and is the chair of the Interim Steering Committee of the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy National Poverty Center. For her record of scholarship, teaching and mentoring, and service, she received the 2013 School of Social Work Distinguished Faculty Award.

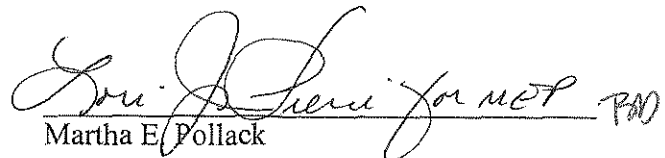
Professor Danziger is a nationally regarded scholar. For her distinguished accomplishments in support of the profession, academy, and community, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Sandra K. Danziger as the Edith A. Lewis Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Laura Lein
Katherine Reebel Collegiate Professor of
Social Work, Professor of Anthropology,
and Dean, School of Social Work

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Jorge Delva

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Educational Programs, and Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social Work

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Kristine A. Siefert Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work

EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jorge Delva as the Kristine A. Siefert Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

The Kristine A. Siefert Collegiate Professorship in Social Work was established through the Provost Office and was named in June 2015 and will be funded through the School of Social Work. It is intended to honor the professional academic career of Kristine A. Siefert, professor emerita of social work, and a distinguished member of the School of Social Work faculty.

Jorge Delva earned his M.S.W. degree from the University of Hawai'i in 1992 and his Ph.D. in social welfare from the University of Hawai'i in 1996. He became an assistant professor in 1999 when he joined the faculty at Florida State University. He came to the School of Social Work as an assistant professor in 2002, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2004, and to professor in 2008. From 2006 to 2010, he was the founding co-director of the Vivian A. and James L. Curtis School of Social Work Research and Training Center. From 2010 to 2015, he was the associate dean for research. He began a three-year term as the associate dean for educational programs in 2015.

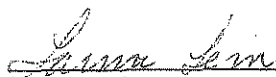
Professor Delva focused his research on addressing and reducing health disparities among low-income and racial and ethnic minority populations. His work has advanced the substance abuse field's understanding of psychosocial-cultural mechanisms associated with substance-using behaviors among populations in the United States, Latin America, Korea, China, and Ukraine. He has furthermore served as a substance abuse research consultant to several Latin American governments. He is the author of 124 publications and has made 176 presentations nationally and internationally. He has been continuously funded since completing his doctoral degree with awards from the NIH, SAMHSA, and international organizations. From 2005 to 2009, he served as the editor-in-chief of *Social Work*, a National Association of Social Work journal with over 114,000 subscribers worldwide, and in 2013 he served on the Institute of Medicine-National

Research Council Workshop Planning Committee on Standards for Benefit-Cost Analysis of Preventive Interventions for Children, Youth, and Families.

In addition to his record of leadership, Professor Delva has provided a great deal of mentorship to a large number of faculty, NIH-funded post-doctoral trainees, doctoral, graduate, and undergraduate students. He has also received the Florida State University 2000–2001 University Excellence in Teaching Award and was a 2013 recipient of the Distinguished Clinical and Translational Research Mentor Award from the Michigan Institute for Clinical and Health Research.

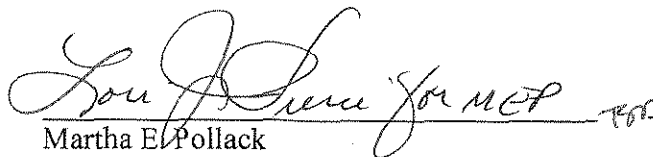
For his distinguished accomplishments in support of the profession, academy, and community, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jorge Delva as the Kristine A. Siefert Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Laura Lein
Katherine Reebel Collegiate Professor of
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RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Department Chair

NAME: Kim F. Hayes

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, and Professor of Environmental Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Donald Malloure Department Chair of Civil and Environmental Engineering, and Professor of Environmental Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Kim F. Hayes as the Donald Malloure Department Chair of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, effective July 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The Donald Malloure Department Chair in Civil and Environmental Engineering was established in June 2015 and is funded by gifts from the Malloure Family Foundation and Joseph (B.S.E. CEE 1972), John (B.S.E. CEE 1978) and Paul Malloure (B.S.E. CEE 1976).

Professor Hayes received his B.S. and M.S. degrees in 1980 from Stanford University. He remained at Stanford to earn an additional M.S. degree and his Ph.D. in 1982 and 1987, respectively. Following graduation, Professor Hayes completed a post-doctoral fellowship at Stanford in 1988. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering in 1988. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1994 and to professor in 2001. Professor Hayes was appointed as interim chair in 2011 and as chair in 2013.

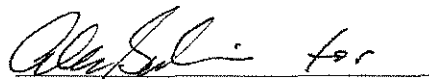
Professor Hayes' research interests include surface and colloidal chemistry, environmental chemistry and engineering, green chemistry and engineering principles, and nanotechnology and sustainable engineering approaches for solving environmental problems. Much of his research focuses on the impact of surface and interfacial properties on transport and transformation processes of environmental contaminants. Objectives of on-going projects include molecular-scale investigations of surface chemical properties and transformation processes, the synthesis and optimization of nanoparticles for groundwater remediation, the development of reduced iron materials for permeable reactive barrier systems, the optimization of anaerobic biological activated carbon drinking water treatment systems for the removal of arsenic and other inorganic

contaminants, the design of novel petroleum free metal working fluids and coolants, and the reduction of water footprints and prevention of potential water quality impairment associated with hydraulic fracturing of shale gas formations.

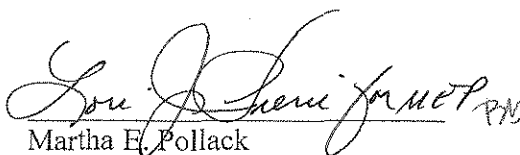
Professor Hayes' academic achievements fully merit his appointment to this endowed department chair. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Kim F. Hayes as the Donald Malloure Department Chair of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, effective July 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

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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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Martin E. Katz

CURRENT TITLES: Artur Schnabel Collegiate Professor of Music, and Professor of Music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Earl V. Moore Collegiate Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

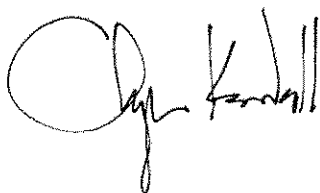
With the approval of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance Executive Committee, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Martin E. Katz as the Earl V. Moore Collegiate Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The Earl V. Moore Professorship in Music was established in 1973 to honor the extraordinary contributions of Earl Vincent Moore (B.A. 1912, M.A. 1914; student and professor 1908 through 1960; and director and dean of the School from 1923 through 1960), to the school and the University of Michigan. The name was changed to the Earl V. Moore Collegiate Professorship in Music in June 2015.

Professor Katz earned a Bachelor of Music degree from the University of Southern California in 1966. Since that time, he has enjoyed a prominent career performing in concerts around the world with some of the world's most celebrated vocalists including Marilyn Horne, Frederica von Stade, Kiri Te Kanawa, Kathleen Battle, Jose Carreras, Cecilia Bartoli, and David Daniels. Professor Katz was dubbed "dean of accompanists" by *The Los Angeles Times*, and was the recipient of Musical America's "Accompanist of the Year" award in 1998. He has performed innumerable recitals at Carnegie Hall, the Salzburg Festival, has toured in Australia and Japan, and has performed at La Scala, the Paris Opera, and the Edinburgh Festival. His concerts are frequently broadcast both nationally and internationally. In addition to his prestigious performing career, Professor Katz continues to be one of the school's most eminent educators, providing instruction to a wide range of piano and vocal artists, and he is a frequent conductor of the school's opera productions.

Professor Martin Katz's extraordinary contributions and impact on the school, its programs, and our students are profound and lasting. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Martin E. Katz as the Earl V. Moore Collegiate Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED 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

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Janet L. Larson

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Shaké Ketefian Collegiate Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Nursing, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Janet L. Larson as the Shaké Ketefian Collegiate Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The Shaké Ketefian Collegiate Professorship in Nursing was established by the Regents in June 2015. A stipend funded from the School of Nursing resources accompanies this professorship. Shaké Ketefian was a professor of nursing who held acting dean, interim associate dean and director roles at the University of Michigan School of Nursing between the years of 1984 to 2010. She is a prominent figure in evidence-based practice.

Professor Larson received a bachelor of science in nursing in 1975 from Wayne State University. She received a master in nursing from the University of Washington in 1978. She received her doctor of philosophy in nursing sciences from the University of Illinois at Chicago in 1985. Professor Larson joined the faculty at the University of Michigan School of Nursing in 2007 as a professor, with tenure, and department chair for the Department of Health Behavior and Biological Sciences.

Over the last 25 years, Professor Larson has established a program of research that focuses on improving the health and function of older people with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) with an emphasis on exercise and self-management interventions that promote exercise and physical activity. Most recently, she collaborated with an exercise psychologist to create and test a behavioral intervention to increase moderate to vigorous physical activity. Professor Larson has collaborated with colleagues in the study of older adults with diabetes, heart disease and cancer to promote health behaviors such as exercise and physical activity. She has extensive experience using technology to measure a wide range of physiological, clinical and functional capacity variables. The quality of her research is admirable. She has been supported by three R01 grants as the principal investigator (PI) and she currently has an R01 application under

review. She has mentored others and served as the PI on a P20 center grant and a P30 center grant. Professor Larson regularly disseminates the results of her work through publications and presentations. Since 2007, she has had 42 publications (27 peer reviewed data-based) with six as first author and eight published abstracts. She publishes in well-respected nursing and interdisciplinary journals including the *Western Journal of Nursing Research* and *American Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine*. Her scholarship has been recognized by numerous awards and honors from organizations such as the Respiratory Nursing Society and Midwest Nursing Research Society. She was elected by her peers as a fellow in the American Academy of Nursing (FAAN) in 1994, an honor based on her contributions to the field.


Professor Larson is well-respected by her peers, signaled by her active leadership roles in a number of professional organizations, including the Friends of the NINR (president 2013-2014), Midwest Nursing Research Society (Board of Directors 2004-2009 and president 2011-2013), the American Thoracic Society (chair of the Nursing Assembly 2005-2007 and member of the Editorial Board for the *Annals of American Thoracic Society* (2014-present), and the Respiratory Nursing Society, which she founded in 1989. She is a reviewer for multiple journals and grant-giving institutions, including *Research in Nursing & Health* and the *American Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine*. She served more than 10 years as a regular reviewer for the nursing study section at the NIH Center for Scientific Review, first as a regular ad hoc reviewer, then as a chartered member of the study section and eventually as chair of the study section. Her leadership at the UM beyond the School of Nursing includes serving on the Michigan Institute for Clinical and Health Research (MICHHR) Scientific Review Committee (2007-2012), Palliative Medicine Executive Steering Committee (2012-present) and the Search Committee for the Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs (2014).

Professor Larson regularly teaches at the graduate and undergraduate levels on respiratory physiology and pathophysiology, and has mentored 14 doctoral students, four post-doctoral researchers, and four junior faculty members, in a research capacity. She regularly publishes with her doctoral students and post-doctoral fellows.

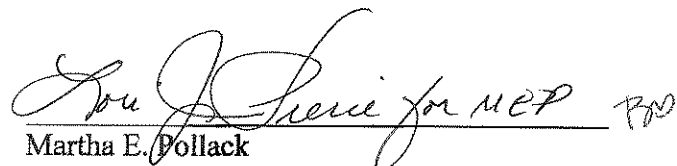
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Janet L. Larson as the Shaké Ketefian Collegiate Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Kathleen Potempa
Dean, School of Nursing



Martha E. Pollack
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Andrew D. Martin

CURRENT TITLES: Dean, and Professor of Political Science, with tenure,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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

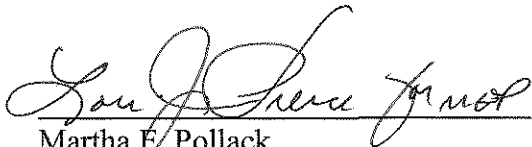
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2015

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Statistics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Political Science, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Andrew D. Martin as professor of statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.

While Professor Martin is primarily a political scientist, his interests and expertise in Bayesian and applied statistics are considerable. These important areas currently need coverage in the Department of Statistics. A courtesy appointment for Professor Martin will help the department address this need. It is expected that Professor Martin will occasionally guest lecture in courses, attend seminars, and provide input on building strengths in Bayesian inference.

I am very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Andrew D. Martin as professor of statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Department Chair

NAME: Khalil Najafi

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Division of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Schlumberger Professor of Engineering, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering, and Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Peter and Evelyn Fuss Chair of the Division of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Schlumberger Professor of Engineering, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering, and Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Khalil Najafi as the Peter and Evelyn Fuss Chair of the Division of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, effective July 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The Peter and Evelyn Fuss Chair in the Division of Electrical and Computer Engineering was established in June 2015 and is funded by gifts from Peter (B.S.E. E.E. 1956) and Evelyn Fuss.

Professor Najafi received his B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1980, 1981 and 1986, respectively. Following graduation, he remained at Michigan as a research fellow (1986-1988) and as an assistant research scientist (1988-1990). He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in 1990. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1993 and to professor in 1998. During this time, he has also served as the director of the Solid-State Electronics Laboratory (1998-2004). He was appointed as the director of Michigan's National Nanotechnology Infrastructure Network in 2004. In addition, since 2000, Professor Najafi has served as the deputy director for the National Science Foundation Engineering Research Center, in Wireless Integrated Microsystems.

Professor Najafi has been active in the field of solid-state sensors and actuators for more than twenty-five years. He has been involved in several conferences and workshops dealing with micro sensors, actuators, and microsystems, including the International Conference on Solid-State Sensors and Actuators, the Hilton-Head Solid-State Sensors and Actuators Workshop, and the IEEE/ASME Micro Electromechanical Systems Conference. Professor Najafi is an associate editor for *Smart Sensors* and the *Journal of Micromechanics and Microengineering*, and a member of the editorial boards for *IEEE Proceedings* and the *Journal of Sensors and Materials*. He is also a former associate editor for the *Journal of Micro Electro Mechanical Systems* (2003-2010). Professor Najafi is a fellow of the IEEE and the AIBME.

Professor Najafi's academic achievements fully merit his appointment to this named department chair. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Khalil Najafi as the Peter and Evelyn Fuss Chair of the Division of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, effective July 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

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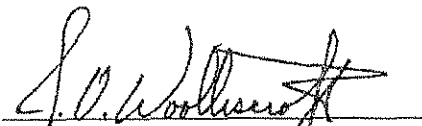
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Mark E.P. Prince, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery, with
tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Assistant Dean for Graduate Medical Education, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2015

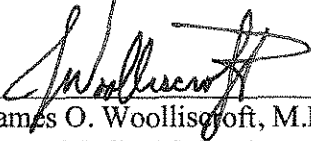
With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark E.P. Prince, M.D. as assistant dean for graduate medical education, Medical School, effective August 1, 2015.

Dr. Prince received his M.D. degree in 1998 from Dalhousie School of Medicine in Nova Scotia and completed his residency in general surgery and otolaryngology at the same institution. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a lecturer in otolaryngology in 1996 and was appointed as an assistant professor in 1998. He rose through the ranks to his current position as professor of otolaryngology - head and neck surgery in 2013.


As assistant dean for graduate medical education, Dr. Prince will provide leadership for the Health System's graduate medical education programs and oversee the internal review process of residencies and fellowships. Over the years, Dr. Prince has been involved extensively in instructional activities. He has received numerous teaching awards including the Frank Ritter Award for the Best Teacher in 2003, 2007 and 2010, the Token of Appreciation from Medical Students Award in 2011, and the Otolaryngology Mentor of the Year Award in 2012 and 2014. He has served as the director of the Otolaryngology - Head and Neck surgery Residency Training Program since 2009 and in that role has established a nationally sought after training program in the field. He has been the chief of the Division of Head and Neck Surgery since 2007 and an associate chair for education in the Department of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery since 2014.


Dr. Prince has significant leadership and service experience and an established reputation as an outstanding educator. His skills are well suited to this academic administrative role. I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark E.P. Prince, M.D. as assistant dean for graduate medical education, Medical School, effective August 1, 2015.

Recommended by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:


Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Unendowed Collegiate Professorship
NAME: Michael Spencer
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social Work
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Fedele F. Fauri Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael Spencer as the Fedele F. Fauri Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

The Fedele F. Fauri Collegiate Professorship in Social Work was established through the Provost Office and was named in June 2015 and will be funded through the School of Social Work and the Provost Office. It is intended to honor the professional academic career of Professor Fedele Fauri and a distinguished member of the School of Social Work faculty.

Michael Spencer earned his Ph.D. in social welfare from the University of Washington in 1996 and in M.S.S.W. from the University of Texas at Austin in 1992. Prior to joining the School of Social Work faculty in 1997 as an assistant professor, he was a post-doctoral research associate of the National Institute of Mental Health Social Work Research Development Center of Poverty, Risk and Mental Health at the University of Michigan. He advanced to the rank of associate professor, with tenure, in 2003, and to professor in 2011, concurrent with his assumption of the role of associate dean for educational programs.

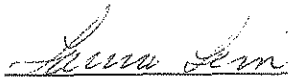
Professor Spencer's research examines disparities in physical and mental health and service use of populations of color, as well as interventions for reducing disparities. To date, he has published 70 publications and has given over 175 presentations in venues throughout the world, in addition to a number of training workshops. Currently, he is the principal investigator of the REACH Detroit Family Intervention, an NIH-funded, community-based participatory research (CBPR) project which aims at reducing disparities in type 2 diabetes through the use of community health workers among Latino residents in Southwest Detroit. Professor Spencer has also initiated several CBPR interventions on issues related to environmental justice and intergroup relations, including dialogue groups in local high schools as a means for negotiating conflict and promoting anti-bigotry and social justice. Thus, his research has been intertwined with service to the community. For his extensive record of work in this arena, he received the Rosalie Ginsberg Outstanding Faculty Award for Community Service and Social Action in 2009

and was the 2014 Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) Carl A. Scott Memorial lecturer, among other recognitions.

As a former Minority Research Fellow of the National Institute of Mental Health, Professor Spencer has carried forward his experience by providing a very high level of mentorship to graduate students. Professor Spencer's record of leadership includes membership on SSWR's board of directors and chair of several research clusters. Professor Spencer has served on five editorial review boards, provided review service to 46 journals and publishers, the South African Medical Research Council, the International Development Research Centre, Canada, and study sections of the National Institutes of Health.

For his distinguished accomplishments, to the profession, academy, and community, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael Spencer as the Fedele F. Fauri Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Laura Lein
Katherine Reebel Collegiate Professor of
Social Work, Professor of Anthropology,
and Dean, School of Social Work

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Career Development Professorship

NAME: Joshua D. Stein, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, with tenure, Medical School, and Associate Professor of Health Management and Policy, without tenure, School of Public Health

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Edward T. and Ellen K. Dryer Career Development Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

On the recommendation of Paul P. Lee, M.D., the F. Bruce Fraclick 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 appointment of Joshua D. Stein, M.D. as the Edward T. and Ellen K. Dryer Career Development Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

This professorship was established in April 2010 through a generous gift agreement from the Edward T. and Ellen K. Dryer Charitable Foundation. It is intended to support and advance work of junior faculty in the Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences.

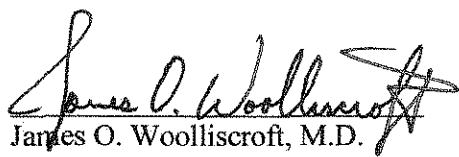
Joshua D. Stein received his M.D. degree from Jefferson Medical College in 2001. He completed an internship at Abington Memorial Hospital in Pennsylvania, and a residency in ophthalmology at New York University. Dr. Stein completed a fellowship in glaucoma at Duke University, and a fellowship in health policy at the Center for Healthcare Research and Transformation at the University of Michigan. He was appointed as an assistant professor here in the Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences in 2007 and was promoted to an associate professor in 2014. Dr. Stein has been funded for his research through the American Glaucoma Society, the NIH, and the Glaucoma Research Foundation.


Dr. Stein utilizes clinical research methodology to develop expertise in ophthalmology-related health services methods. He has mastered the art and science of working with very large, multisource-linked databases to study patterns of service utilization, delivery of care, and clinical outcomes for adult and pediatric patients in the United States with ocular disease. Dr. Stein is the director for the Center for Eye Policy and Innovation and a member of the Institute for Healthcare Policy and Innovation at the University of Michigan. In these roles, he works closely with faculty, biostatisticians, trainees, and collaborators within and outside the university to conduct innovative research that will lead to the identification and implementation of ways to

enhance our ability to provide high-quality, affordable, and efficient eye care to patients with ophthalmologic diseases. Dr. Stein holds a patent with colleagues in engineering for using analytics to predict the course of disease.

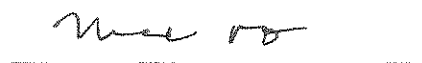
Dr. Stein will continue to pioneer innovative ways to use big data to improve patient care. This professorship will facilitate the expansion of this critical area of research. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Joshua D. Stein, M.D. as the Edward T. and Ellen K. Dryer Career Development Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

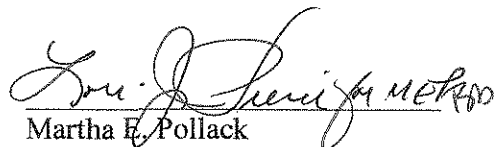
Recommended by:


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:


Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Robert Stephenson

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2015

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, and with the endorsement of the School of Nursing, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Robert Stephenson as professor of health behavior and health education, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2015.

Professor Stephenson received his M.Sc. in medical demography from the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine in 1996 and his Ph.D. in demography from the University of Southampton in 1999. He completed his post-doctoral training at the Carolina Population Centre at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 2002. Professor Stephenson served as a research associate at the Bill and Melinda Gates Institute for Population and Reproductive Health, Department of Population and Family Health Sciences, Johns Hopkins University from 2002-2004. He was appointed as an assistant professor in the Hubert Department of Global Health, Rollins School of Public Health at Emory University in 2004 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2011. Professor Stephenson joined the faculty at the University of Michigan School of Nursing as a professor of nursing, with tenure, in January 2015.

Professor Stephenson has an established, productive research program with a current focus on sexual and reproductive health and the development and testing of HIV prevention interventions for sexual minority populations. Specifically, he examines the experience of minority stress and how it shapes sexual risk taking among sexual minority populations. This work is important because of its potential to lead to new interventions to reduce the risk of HIV. His work also addresses maternal health issues in resource poor countries and how climates of gender inequity put women at risk of compromised maternal health outcomes. Professor Stephenson's appointment in the School of Public Health will strengthen our collaborations in sexual and reproductive health and provide expertise in maternal health issues.

We are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Robert Stephenson as professor of health behavior and health education, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

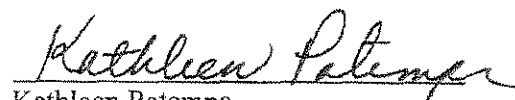


Martin A. Philbert
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs



Kathleen Potempa
Dean, School of Nursing

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Robert J. Taylor

CURRENT TITLES: Sheila Feld Collegiate Professor of Social Work, and
Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social
Work

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Harold R. Johnson Professor of Social Work, School of
Social Work

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert J. Taylor as the Harold R. Johnson Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

The Harold R. Johnson Professorship was established in the School of Social Work by the Regents in December 1994. It is named for Harold R. Johnson and his many contributions as a former dean of the school and former director of the Institute of Gerontology. Harold Johnson was an esteemed leader in the advancement of gerontology and health care at the university. The professorship is supported by a generous gift from the University of Michigan Health System and other donors.

Robert J. Taylor is an alumnus of the Joint Doctoral Program in Social Work and Social Science, School of Social Work. He earned his M.S.W. in 1976 and his Ph.D. in social work and sociology in 1983. After a post-doctoral fellowship with the National Institute on Aging through the Institute for Social Research, he became an assistant professor at the Graduate School of Social Work, Boston College, in 1985. In 1988, Professor Taylor joined the School of Social Work faculty as an assistant professor. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1991 and to professor in 1998. He became the Sheila Feld Collegiate Professor of Social Work in 2001, and in 2003, he was appointed as the associate dean for research. Professor Taylor was appointed as an associate director of the Program for Research on Black Americans, Institute for Social Research, in 2005, and in 2013 he became the program's director.

Professor Taylor is a highly cited scholar who has conducted research in gerontology, family studies and African American studies. He has published extensively on the informal social support networks of adult and elderly Black Americans. He has been a principal investigator of numerous grants from the National Institute on Aging that examine the role of religion in the lives of Black and White elderly adults and co-principal investigator on several grants from the


National Institute of Mental Health on the correlates of mental health and mental illness among Black Americans, including the only major national study of the prevalence of mental illness among Black Americans, the National Survey of American Life. During the course of his career, he has published over 130 journal articles and 40 book chapters and has given over 60 presentations at national and international venues.

Professor Taylor's leadership in his areas of study are marked by his work as a founding editor of *African American Research Perspectives*; his service on the editorial boards of the *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, *Race and Social Problems*, and *Society and Mental Health*; and by his receipt of the 2014 University of Southern California Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging Pearmain Prize, an award which honors scholars who have made "outstanding contributions to the field of translational aging research." He was furthermore named a pioneer in the field of African American Aging in the 2014 article "A review of our roots: Blacks in gerontology" published in volume 54, issue 1 of *The Gerontologist*.

Professor Taylor has been deeply engaged as a mentor of post-doctoral scholars, junior faculty and doctoral students. Since 1998, he has organized and administered a summer program on research methods and academic success for junior faculty and doctoral students and has conducted and consulted on the development of mentoring programs for faculty from historically black colleges and universities. As current head of the Investigator Core for the NIH-funded Michigan Center for Urban African American Aging Research, Professor Taylor provides mentorship to recent doctoral graduates and doctoral candidates who are interested in aging research on older Black Americans.

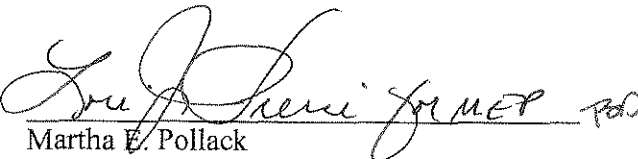
For his widely regarded excellence in research and his distinguished accomplishments as a gerontology scholar, and to support his continued success in this area, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert J. Taylor as the Harold R. Johnson Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Laura Lein
Katherine Reebel Collegiate Professor of
Social Work, Professor of Anthropology,
and Dean, School of Social Work

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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July 16, 2015

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Unendowed Collegiate Professorship
NAME: Richard M. Tolman
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social Work
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Sheldon D. Rose Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Richard M. Tolman as the Sheldon D. Rose Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

The Sheldon D. Rose Collegiate Professorship in Social Work was established through the Provost Office and was named in June 2015 and will be funded through the School of Social Work. It is intended to honor the professional academic career of Professor Sheldon Rose and a distinguished member of the School of Social Work faculty.

Richard M. Tolman earned his Ph.D. in social welfare from the University of Wisconsin, Madison in 1984, and his M.S.W. from the University of Michigan in 1979. After a National Institute of Mental Health post-doctoral fellowship at the University of Chicago, he became an assistant professor at the Jane Addams College of Social Work at the University of Illinois at Chicago in 1986 and rose to the rank of associate professor in 1992. He was the director of the doctoral program at the Jane Addams College of Social Work from 1993 to 1994. He joined the School of Social Work faculty in 1994 and rose to the rank of professor in 2002, concurrent with his appointment to the role of associate dean for education programs, which he held until 2006.

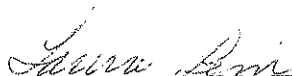
Professor Tolman's work focuses on the effectiveness of interventions designed to change violent and abusive behavior, and the impact of violence on the physical, psychological and economic well-being of victims. He began his work in this area as a practitioner working with men who batter in 1980. His current projects include research on the impact of and prevention of abuse during pregnancy and involvement of men and boys as allies to end men's violence against women. He is the current co-director of the Global Research Program on Mobilizing Men for Violence Prevention, a collaborative project between the University of Michigan and several other universities.

During his career, he has been an investigator on a number of competitive grants from federal government agencies including the National Institute of Justice, the Department of Health and

Human Services and the National Institute of Mental Health. He has also provided consulting on a project with the Welsh Assembly Government and is the external examiner for the Hong Kong University Department of Social Work. He is the author of 97 publications and has made more than 90 presentations around the globe on the topics of fatherhood and domestic violence. He has served as a scientific reviewer to agencies such as the National Institute of Mental Health, Center for Disease Control and the National Institute of Justice. He has given significant levels of service to the State of Michigan, State of Illinois, city of Chicago and city of Ann Arbor. For his excellence in teaching and research, and his overall record of service, he received the 2015 School of Social Work Distinguished Faculty Award.

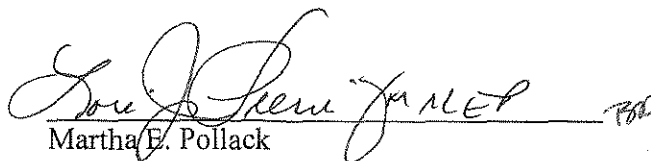
For his distinguished accomplishments in support of the profession, academy, and community, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Richard M. Tolman as the Sheldon D. Rose Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Laura Lein
Katherine Reebel Collegiate Professor of
Social Work, Professor of Anthropology,
and Dean, School of Social Work

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Unendowed Collegiate Professorship
NAME: John E. Tropman
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social Work
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Henry J. Meyer Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of John E. Tropman as the Henry J. Meyer Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

The Henry J. Meyer Collegiate Professorship in Social Work was established through the Provost Office and was named in June 2015 and will be funded through the School of Social Work. It is intended to honor the professional academic career of Professor Henry Meyer and a distinguished member of the School of Social Work faculty.

John E. Tropman is an alumnus of the School of Social Work's Joint Doctoral Program in Social Work and Science. He earned his Ph.D. in social work and sociology in 1967 and lectured in the school prior to formally joining the school's faculty in 1968. He attained tenure and the rank of associate professor in 1970 and rose to the rank of professor in 1976. He has held a number of administrative leadership roles including interim dean in 2008 and associate dean for faculty affairs from 2008 through 2009. Currently, Professor Tropman is the director of School of Social Work program Leadership in Community Benefit Organizations.

Professor Tropman's research focuses on the organizational elements that create high-performing organizations in human services and other areas. He is the author and editor, alone and with others, of 30 books, including The Catholic Ethic in American Society, recognized by Choice and Blackwell as an outstanding academic title. In all, he has written over 200 additional publications including chapters, articles, professional pieces and book reviews, and has given over 100 presentations worldwide.

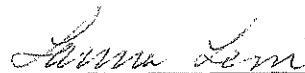
Throughout his career, he has provided extensive support and leadership to the university and to community nonprofit agencies. He was the acting director of the former Institute of Gerontology, chair of the Michigan Society of Fellows, twice chair of the Committee on the Economic Status of the Faculty, chair of the Presidential Task Force on the Organization of the University in 1996, appointed by President Emeritus James Duderstadt, and chair of numerous other advisory

committees to the executive officers of the university. He recently served as chair of the MHealthy Faculty Advisory Committee, of which he has also been a member, and was a faculty representative on the Medical Benefits Advisory Committee. His service to the community includes advisory and consulting roles to the Society for Prevention Research and several North American chapters of the United Way among many other organizations. He was the founding faculty director of the Alliance for Strong Families and Communities. He has also served on subcommittees for the State of Michigan Department of Social Services.

Professor Tropman has earned numerous honors during his career, including a Fulbright lectureship at Kwansai Gakuin University, Japan, in 1980, a visiting-scholarship in 2005 with the Rothmere American Institute, Oxford University, United Kingdom, and a Fulbright senior specialist role at the University of Melbourne, Australia, in 2007. He has also received recognitions from community agencies such as Wolverine Human Services, which honored him with the Achievement Award for Excellence in 2009. For his overall record of service, he received the School of Social Work Distinguished Faculty Award in 2012.

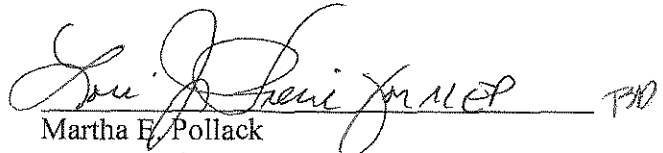
For his distinguished accomplishments in support of the profession, academy, and community, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of John E. Tropman as the Henry J. Meyer Collegiate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2015 through July 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Laura Lein
Katherine Reebel Collegiate Professor of
Social Work, Professor of Anthropology,
and Dean, School of Social Work

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Joseph E. Trumpey

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Art, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, and Associate Professor of Natural Resources, without tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Professor of Environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Program in the Environment and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Joseph E. Trumpey as associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

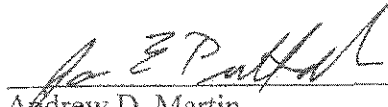
Joseph Trumpey completed a Master of Fine Arts in medical and biological illustration at the University of Michigan in 1992. He began his career as a chief medical illustrator and director of graphic arts for the College of Veterinary Medicine at North Carolina State University in Raleigh (1992-1994) before being appointed as a visiting assistant professor in Michigan's Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design (1994-1998). He joined the tenure track at Michigan in 1998 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2004.

Professor Trumpey focuses on biodiversity, modern agriculture, and ecological sustainability. His creative work has been widely exhibited. His teaching focuses on experiential observation drawing connections with the natural world. The Program in the Environment (PitE) is building a dedicated pool of faculty to call upon for teaching and advising so that it can offer students a consistent and coherent sequence of courses. Professor Trumpey's appointment will add important strength to PitE's teaching program.

We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Joseph E. Trumpey as associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



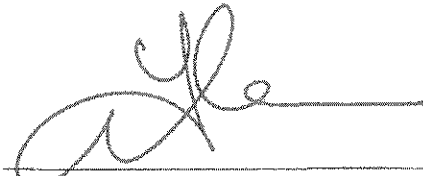
Andrew D. Martin
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Interim Dean and Professor
School of Natural Resources and Environment



Gunalan Nadarajan
Dean and Professor,
Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design

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

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

NAME: Katherine Freese

CURRENT TITLES: George E. Uhlenbeck Collegiate Professor of Physics, and Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TYPE OF LEAVE: Research Leave

DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015

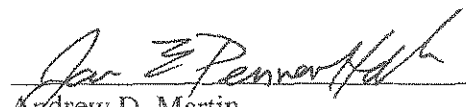
TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2016

We request that Professor Katherine Freese be granted an extension of leave of absence without salary for academic year 2015-2016, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2016.

Professor Freese is currently on a leave of absence while she serves as director of the Nordic Institute for Theoretical Physics (NORDITA). NORDITA is an international research institute located at the Alba Nova University Centre in Stockholm, Sweden, hosted by KTH Royal Institute of Technology and Stockholm University. This role provides administrative duties related to the operation of the scientific staff of NORDITA as well as research opportunities. This is a prestigious opportunity for Professor Freese and the University of Michigan as it provides the opportunity to further enhance relations with well-known and respected institutes of theoretical physics around the world. Her department and the college support this request for an extension.

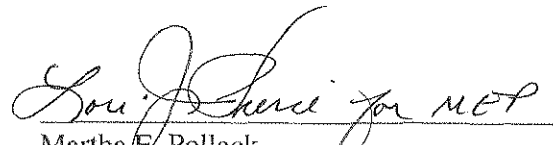
We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Katherine Freese.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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Establishing and renaming professorships and selected
academic and administrative positions.

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Approved by the
Regents
July 16, 2015

ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Burton L. Baker Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

On the recommendation of Alan R. Saltiel, Ph.D., the John Jacob Abel Professor and Mary Sue Coleman Director of the Life Sciences Institute, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the naming of an existing unendowed collegiate professorship as the Burton L. Baker Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office and will be funded with funds from the Life Sciences Institute. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Burton L. Baker received his Ph.D. degree from Columbia University in 1941. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1941 as an instructor of Anatomy, and rose through the ranks to a professor in 1952. Dr. Baker spent his entire academic career here. He passed away in 1978.

During his 37 year tenure at the University of Michigan, Dr. Baker became a highly respected teacher, researcher, and administrator. He published more than 110 scientific articles in the field of neuroendocrinology and reproductive biology. Dr. Baker was one of the first investigators to demonstrate, by the use of labeled antibodies, the presence of reproductive hormones in the pituitary and hypothalamus, and that this part of the brain controls pituitary functions. Internationally, he was recognized for his important scientific contributions and recently received a Professor Honoris Causa from the University of Pernambuco in Recife, Brazil.

Dr. Baker was the recipient of the Henry Russel Award in 1947, and received the Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award in 1977. Nationally, he was the managing editor and associate editor for the *American Journal of Anatomy*, and served on the Editorial Committee of the Endocrine Society. Institutionally, Dr. Baker was a member of the Senate Assembly, the Executive Board of the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, and on the advisory committee of the Dental Research Institute.

Dr. Baker was a lifelong faculty member of the Medical School. This professorship will honor his legacy. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the naming of an existing unendowed collegiate professorship as the Burton L. Baker Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

Recommended by:



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Robert H. Bartlett Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

On the recommendation of Alan R. Saltiel, Ph.D., the John Jacob Abel Professor and Mary Sue Coleman Director of the Life Sciences Institute, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the naming of an existing unendowed collegiate professorship as the Robert H. Bartlett Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

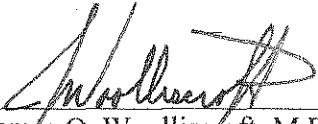
This professorship was established through the Provost Office and will be funded with funds from the Life Sciences Institute. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Dr. Bartlett received his M.D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1963. He completed a residency at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital and was a National Institutes of Health trainee in academic surgery at Harvard University. Dr. Bartlett joined the faculty at the University of California, Irvine in 1970 as an assistant professor, and rose through the ranks to a professor. He was the director of Surgical Services and the director of the Burn Center at the University of California. In 1980, Dr. Bartlett returned to the University of Michigan as a professor of surgery. He became the director of the Surgical Intensive Care Unit, the director of Graduate Education, and the chief of the Trauma/Critical Care Division. As a professor of surgery in the Sections of General and Thoracic Surgery, he developed a Surgical Critical Care Fellowship and the Extracorporeal Life Support Program.

Dr. Bartlett is well-known for the development of extracorporeal membrane oxygenation, a modified heart-lung machine used for patients with acute heart or lung failure that has dramatically improved the survival rate for infants, children, and adults with this condition. His talents as an extraordinary investigator are evidenced by 26 research grants, including 14 from the NIH. He has served on the editorial boards of ten major medical journals, and published more than 300 articles. Through his tutelage, hundreds of general surgery residents and critical care fellows have developed into leaders in surgery.

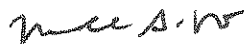
Dr. Bartlett's illustrious career continues at the University of Michigan as a professor emeritus of surgery. This professorship will pay homage to his many accomplishments. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the naming of an existing unendowed collegiate professorship as the Robert H. Bartlett Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

Recommended by:



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship
PROPOSED NAME: Irene H. Butter Collegiate Professorship in English and Comparative Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Irene H. Butter, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1962 until her retirement in 1996.

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

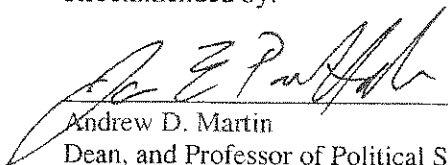
Irene Hasenberg Butter was born in Berlin, Germany and was fourteen years old when she emigrated to the United States in 1945. After graduating from Queens College in 1953, she obtained her Doctorate in economics from Duke University in 1960. She was an economist with the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System before joining the faculty at the University of Michigan as a lecturer in 1962. Professor Butter was appointed to the Program and Bureau of Hospital Administration as a research associate and a lecturer. She was promoted to associate professor in 1969 and to professor in 1976. In the late 1970s, Professor Butter played a significant role in the development of the Michigan Public Health Code, working on issues related to the licensing of health care professionals. When the code was enacted into law in 1978, she became chair of the newly created Health Occupations Council.

Throughout her academic career, Professor Butter has effectively combined research, teaching, and service. She designed and taught courses highlighting the influence of race, gender, and poverty on health status, and the central role of child and family health in achieving a healthy community, many years before they became standard topics in public health teaching. She also worked on partnership projects in the area of child and family health with community-based organizations in Detroit.

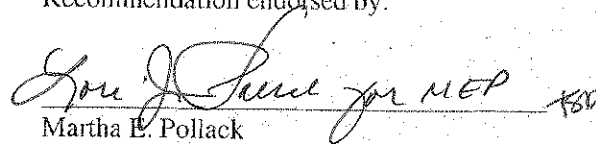
Professor Butter was also a driving force behind efforts of a community group to create a fund to memorialize Raul Wallenberg, the former University of Michigan architecture student who saved thousands of people from the gas chambers in Hungary. Out of these efforts was born the University Wallenberg Lecture and Medal, which has become a prestigious annual event honoring an individual who exemplifies Wallenberg's humanitarian principles.

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:


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
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 to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Frank P. Casa Collegiate Professorship in Spanish, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing unendowed collegiate professorship for Frank P. Casa, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1962 to 1963 and from 1969 until his retirement in 2010.

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

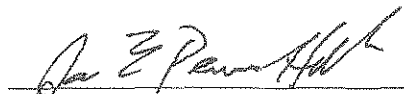
Frank P. Casa received his Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts degrees from the University of Illinois in 1955 and 1956, respectively. He attended the University of Michigan and completed his Doctorate in 1963. Professor Casa began his teaching career at Harvard University that same year and joined the faculty at Michigan as an associate professor in 1969. He was promoted to professor in 1976.

Professor Casa taught undergraduate courses and graduate seminars on early modern Spanish literature and culture and on 17th century Spanish literature, with a special emphasis on Cervantes and theater. He is the author of several books on comedia studies, including The Dramatic Craftsmanship of Moreto (1966) and an edition of Agustin Moreto's El valiente justiciero (1971). He is also co-editor of Moreto's El lindo Don Diego (1977) and Lope de Vega's El mejor alcalde, el Rey (1993), as well as of two volumes of Editing the Comedia. A *Festschrift* in his honor entitled Hispanic Essays in Honor of Frank P. Casa was published in 1997.

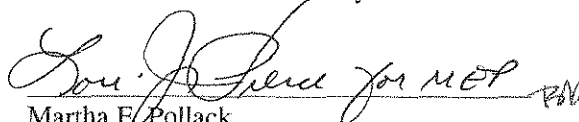
Professor Casa served as chair of the Department of Romance Languages (1973- 83) and was a member of the Michigan Council for the Humanities (1977-1981). He was also the director of the Spanish School at the Middlebury College Summer Immersion Program (1987-1998). In 2009, he was awarded the "Encomienda de Número de la Orden de Isabel la Católica" by the Spanish Consul in Chicago, Ambassador D. Javier Rupérez.

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:


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
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 to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Nicholas D. Kazarinoff Collegiate Professorship in Complex Systems, Mathematics, and Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing unendowed collegiate professorship for Nicholas Kazarinoff, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1956 to 1972.

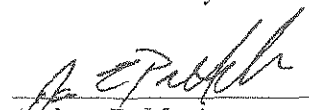
This professorship was established through the Provost Office. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Nicholas Kazarinoff was born in Ann Arbor, Michigan, in 1929. His father had emigrated to the U.S. following the 1917 revolution and was a professor of mathematics at the University of Michigan from 1919 to 1956. Nicholas Kazarinoff attended the University of Michigan, earning a bachelor's degree in physics in 1950 and a master's degree a year later. He switched his studies to mathematics at the University of Wisconsin in Madison, where he worked with Rudolph Langer who was a leading authority on ordinary differential equations. He received his Doctorate in 1954 and spent the following summer at the Army Research Center in Madison.

Professor Kazarinoff began his academic career as an assistant professor at Purdue University (1953-1956). He was appointed as an assistant professor at the University of Michigan in 1956 and promoted through the ranks to professor in 1964. While a member of the Michigan faculty, he returned to the Army Research Center in Madison for a one-year visit (1959-1960). He also made two visits to the Steklov Mathematics Institute of the Academy of Science in Moscow. During the first visit in 1960, he taught a graduate course at Moscow State University. His host for the second visit, in 1965, was the well-known Soviet topologist, geometer, and analyst, Lev Pontryagin. Professor Kazarinoff left Michigan in 1971 to chair the Department of Mathematics at SUNY Buffalo. With his colleague, James Greenberg, he worked valiantly to develop an applied mathematics group at Buffalo. In 1975, he relinquished the position of chair but remained a member of the Buffalo faculty until his retirement in 1990. In addition to his numerous research publications, Professor Kazarinoff was the author of three well-regarded general-interest books, Analytic Inequalities (Holt, 1961), Geometric Inequalities (Random House, 1961), and Ruler and the Round (Prindle, Weber, Schmidt, 1970). Professor Kazarinoff passed away in 1991.

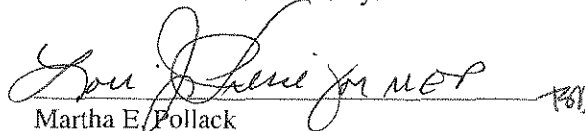
A distinguished faculty member will be nominated to receive this honor. The initial term of appointment will be for five years with the possibility of renewal.

Recommended by:



Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
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: Change in the Terms of an Existing Clinical Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Carol J. and F. Edward Lake Clinical Professorship in
Nursing, School of Nursing


EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

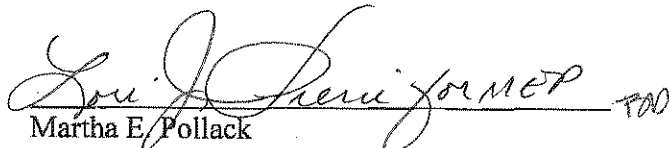
On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Nursing, I would like to request a change in terms of the Carol J. and F. Edward Lake Clinical Professorship in Nursing, School of Nursing, effective July 1, 2015.

This clinical professorship was established in 2012 due to a generous gift from Carol J. and F. Edward Lake to provide support for the Community Health model within the Initiative for Excellence at the School of Nursing. Carol J. and F. Edward Lake have endorsed a change from a three-year non-renewable term to a three-year renewable term with another gift.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Kathleen Potempa
Dean, School of Nursing


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Robert B. Payne Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing unendowed collegiate professorship for Robert B. Payne, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1970 until his retirement in 2007.

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

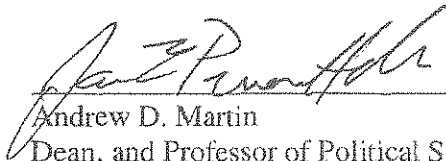
Robert Payne received his Doctorate from the University of California, Berkeley, in 1965. Following a two-year post-doctoral fellowship at the University of Cape Town, Professor Payne was appointed as an assistant professor at the University of Oklahoma (1967-1970). He joined the University of Michigan faculty in 1970 as an assistant professor and curator, and was promoted through the ranks to professor and curator in 1982.

Professor Payne is an ornithologist whose research focuses on the social behavior and systematics of birds, especially of brood parasite species (those laying their eggs in the nests of other bird species) and their hosts. He has conducted pioneering field studies of brood parasites and hosts for many years in Africa, Australia, and North America, including over 20 years of population studies in Michigan of indigo buntings and a brood parasite, the brown-headed cowbird. Professor Payne studies the social behavior and systematics of birds. He is interested in aspects of behavioral mimicry, behavioral imprinting, sexual selection, and song learning in numerous avian host and parasite systems. He complemented his field work with detailed, long-term, cross-fostering experiments conducted in his aviaries at Michigan that sought to understand behavior and song development in a variety of parasitic finches. Professor Payne also used molecular genetic data sets to determine and compare host and parasite bird species phylogenies to assess their mechanisms and rates of speciation.

Professor Payne taught courses in animal behavior, biology, ornithology, and birds of the world. As curator in the Museum of Zoology, Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, he built and strengthened the collections for the benefit of students and scientists alike. He was a dissertation advisor or committee member for numerous graduate students, and he served on many departmental faculty committees. Professor Payne retired from the University of Michigan as professor emeritus of ecology and evolutionary biology and curator emeritus of birds in the Museum of Zoology in 2007. He remains active in research and was awarded the Margaret Morse Nice Medal by the Wilson Ornithological Society in 2010.


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:



Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:



Martha E. Pollack
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ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of an Endowed Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Melvyn Rubenfire Professorship in Preventive Cardiology,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

On the recommendation of John 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 establishment of the Melvyn Rubenfire Professorship in Preventive Cardiology, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

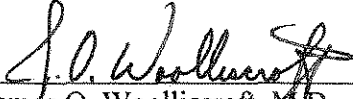
This professorship is being established through a generous gift from Harold Peplau, gifts to the Department of Internal Medicine, and departmental funds. It is intended to provide support to the development of preventive cardiology programs, clinical care, research and education. The holder of this professorship will be a faculty member of the Department of Internal Medicine, Division of Cardiovascular Medicine. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Melvyn Rubenfire received his M.D. degree from Wayne State University in 1965. He completed a residency in internal medicine at Sinai Hospital in Detroit, and a research fellowship in cardiovascular diseases at Henry Ford Hospital. Dr. Rubenfire was a professor of medicine at Wayne State University prior to joining the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1991. He is currently a professor of internal medicine, and is the director of Preventive Cardiology. Dr. Rubenfire is a pioneer in coronary disease prevention, having developed the first cardiac rehabilitation and lipid management program in Michigan in the 1980s. His clinical and research interests include coronary risk assessment and treatment, alternatives for enhancing the quality of life, and reducing morbidity and mortality in coronary disease and pulmonary hypertension. Dr. Rubenfire's research includes the development of tools to assess pre-clinical atherosclerosis, depression, coronary disease, and the metabolic syndrome. He has developed a unique multidisciplinary team at the University of Michigan with a focus on prevention.


Dr. Rubenfire has served on the Board of Trustees of the American Heart Association of Michigan, as Michigan Governor for the American College of Cardiology and the American College of Physicians, and presently serves on the Prevention Committee of the American College of Cardiology. He was the 2001 recipient of the Maimonides Award, given for his leadership in health care and education.

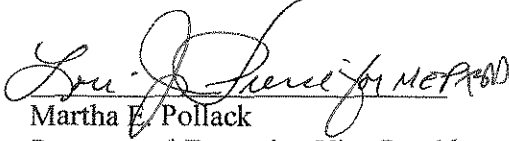
Dr. Rubenfire has built a legacy in cardiovascular preventive treatment with his groundbreaking research; it is fitting to honor him with this professorship. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the Melvyn Rubenfire Professorship in Preventive Cardiology, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

Recommended by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:


Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Marilyn J. Shatz Collegiate Professorship in Linguistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing unendowed collegiate professorship for Marilyn J. Shatz, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1977 until her retirement in 2009.

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

Marilyn J. Shatz received her Doctorate from the University of Pennsylvania in 1975. She joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor of psychology in 1977 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1984. She was also appointed as a professor of linguistics in 2001.

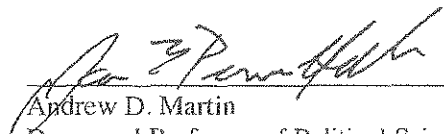
Professor Shatz is a well-known and highly-respected scholar, whose research integrates linguistic, cognitive, and social aspects of child development. She was a pioneer in expanding the field of language acquisition to include related social and cognitive phenomena, such as child-directed speech (“motherese”), specific language impairment, theory of mind, and the impact of culture. Her research has been published in several books and a large number of chapters and journal articles, many of which are widely cited. Her book, *A Toddler's Life* (Oxford University Press, 1994), provides an insightful and highly praised investigation of how early development unfolds. Professor Shatz was an associate editor of *Language* and has served on numerous editorial boards.


Professor Shatz directed the Program in Linguistics from 1995 to 2000, guiding the program through its transition to department status. She then served as the chair of the Department of Linguistics from 2000 to 2001. She founded the Consortium for Language, Society, and Thought in 2000 and directed it until 2006. Her work has been rewarded with several honors and fellowships, including a J. S. Guggenheim Fellowship and a Fulbright Award. Professor Shatz has been a mentor and role model for dozens of graduate students in psychology and linguistics.

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

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


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ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Galen B. Toews, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in
Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Galen B. Toews, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

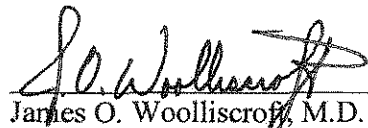
This professorship is being established through gifts from friends and colleagues of Dr. Toews. It will support the research efforts of a faculty member within the Division of Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine in the Department of Internal Medicine. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Galen B. Toews received his M.D. degree from the University of Oklahoma in 1971. He completed an internship and residency in internal medicine at Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas. Dr. Toews served as an Army doctor at Fort Polk, Louisiana, and completed fellowships in pulmonary and immunology at the University of Texas and joined the faculty there in 1979. He was appointed as an associate professor, and the chief of the Division of Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine at the University of Michigan in 1987. Dr. Toews was appointed as a professor in 1991. He served as the associate dean for research from 2006-2008.

Dr. Toews was a pioneering lung researcher. He was known for fostering collaboration between basic science research and clinical investigators. Through his efforts, the University of Michigan became one of the premier institutions for the diagnosis and treatment of idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis and other lung diseases. Pulmonary divisions across the country followed his template for patient-oriented research training. Dr. Toews was an outstanding educator and mentor. He acquired a T32 fellowship training grant, and established a program that was continuously funded for almost 20 years, which has supported the careers of nearly 100 scientists. He was instrumental in forging a path for basic science faculty within the clinical departments in the Medical School. Dr. Toews held his role as chief of the Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine until his death in October 2011.

Dr. Toews was a leader in the field of respiratory research for more than 30 years. This professorship will recognize his many contributions to pulmonary medicine and the University of Michigan. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the Galen B. Toews, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

Recommended by:

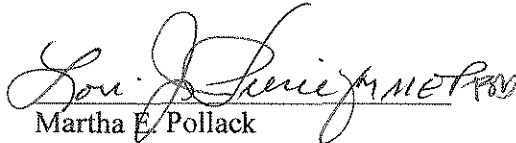


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
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ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a Research Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Angela Dobson Welch and Lyndon Welch Research Professorship,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

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 establishment of the Angela Dobson Welch and Lyndon Welch Research Professorship, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

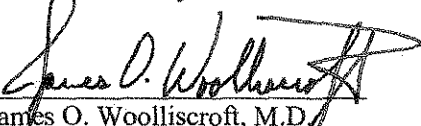
This professorship is being established through a gift agreement from Angela Dobson Welch and Lyndon Welch. This professorship will support a faculty member in the Department of Neurology for research in Alzheimer's disease and related neurodegenerative disorders. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

The Welches hold a deep respect for the University of Michigan Medical School, which led them to the creation of this professorship. Angela Dobson Welch was active in many committees and organizations in Ann Arbor, including the Ann Arbor Art Association, Planned Parenthood, Ann Arbor Vassar Club, Michigan Children's Aid Society, the Washtenaw Historical Society and as a founding member of the Salvation Army Women's Auxiliary. Lyndon Welch graduated from Harvard University with a degree in architecture, studied naval architecture at the University of Michigan, and received a graduate degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Mr. Welch taught at the School of Architecture at the University of Michigan, and then later established an architectural firm in Ann Arbor. He was a former housing commissioner of Ann Arbor in the 1960s. Angela Dobson Welch passed away in 2010.


The Welch family is committed to the eradication of Alzheimer's disease. They lost Angela's brothers, Russell and Bill Dobson, as well as several friends, to Alzheimer's disease. The struggle that Angela's brothers had with Alzheimer's spurred the Welches to learn more about the disease which seemed to strike their family randomly. Angela felt that they had to do something to get rid of this ghastly disease.

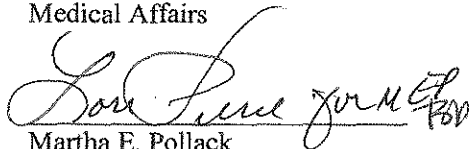
This professorship will continue the research, treatment and progress in battling Alzheimer's disease and honor the commitment of the Welches. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the Angela Dobson Welch and Lyndon Welch Research Professorship, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

Recommended by:


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:


Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Roger C. Wiggins Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2015

On the recommendation of Alan R. Saltiel, Ph.D., the John Jacob Abel Professor and Mary Sue Coleman Director of the Life Sciences Institute, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the naming of an existing unendowed collegiate professorship as the Roger C. Wiggins Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

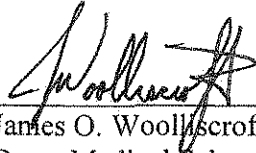
This professorship was established through the Provost Office and will be funded with funds from the Life Sciences Institute. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Roger C. Wiggins received his M.B.B.Ch. in 1971 from Cambridge University. He completed a residency at the Middlesex Hospital, Ipswich, and East Suffolk Hospitals, Hammersmith Hospital, and Brompton Hospital. Dr. Wiggins completed a fellowship from 1976-1978 and was appointed as a research associate and an assistant member I at the Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation in La Jolla, California. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in 1981. Dr. Wiggins rose through the ranks to a professor in 1990. He served as the chief of the Division of Nephrology from 1988-2004. Dr. Wiggins became active emeritus in 2013.

Dr. Wiggins is a distinguished and internationally renowned scientist in the field of nephrology with special expertise in glomerular diseases. He has published 108 articles, 24 book chapters, and served as an associate editor for the *Journal of the American Society of Nephrology* and *Clinical Science*. Dr. Wiggins' research resulted in a patent for the molecular structure of the glomerular epithelial protein 1 (GLEPPI). He served on the scientific advisory boards of NephCure and Neptune Consortium for Glomerular Diseases, and as chair of the executive board at Michigan Dialysis Services. Dr. Wiggins coordinated the Division of Nephrology's fellowship program, and served on the American Society of Nephrology Program Committee and the National Institutes of Health Renal Centers Subcommittee.

This professorship will honor the many contributions that Dr. Wiggins made to the Department of Internal Medicine, and the University of Michigan. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the naming of an existing unendowed collegiate professorship as the Roger C. Wiggins Collegiate Professorship in the Life Sciences, Medical School, effective July 1, 2015.

Recommended by:



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for
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for regular instructional staff and selected
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ACTION REQUEST: Interim Appointment Approval for August

ACTION REQUESTED: Authorization for approving necessary appointments during August

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

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
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ACTION REQUEST: Change in title

NAME: David H. Baum

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, Law School

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Assistant Dean for Student Life and Special Counsel to the Dean, Law School

TERM: Two Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2017


The Law School is pleased to recommend the change in title for David H. Baum from assistant dean for student affairs to assistant dean for student life and special counsel to the dean, Law School, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2017. 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.

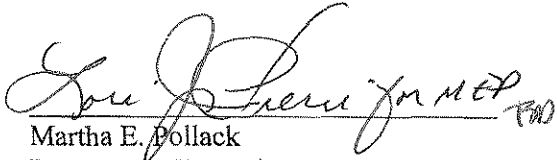
After graduation from law school, Dean Baum clerked for the Honorable Noel Anketell Kramer, and then was an assistant United States attorney in Washington, D.C. In 1995, he returned to Ann Arbor as a special assistant to the associate dean for student affairs. In May 1998, he was promoted to director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

It is with enthusiasm that we recommend the change in title for David H. Baum from assistant dean for student affairs to assistant dean for student life and special counsel to the dean, Law School, effective September 1, 2015 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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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Research Professorship
NAME: Christian Keller
RECOMMENDED TITLE: Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor of
Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
TERM: Three Years, Non-renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018

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 appointment of Christian Keller as a Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.

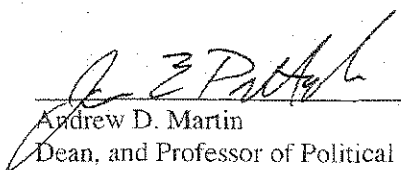
The Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professorships were established by the Regents in June 2015 to honor a longtime chair of the Department of Mathematics who brought great distinction to the department and university. The appointment is for junior mathematicians who show great promise in research and is typically restricted to new Ph.D.s. The tradition of named assistant professorships with reduced teaching loads is strong in mathematics. Such appointments exist at Harvard, MIT, UCLA and Berkeley, Chicago, and Yale, to name a few. Individuals named as a Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor are given a reduced teaching load to allow them to concentrate to a greater degree on their research. In nominating mathematicians for the Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professorships, preference is given to those candidates whose doctorate was received within the last two years.

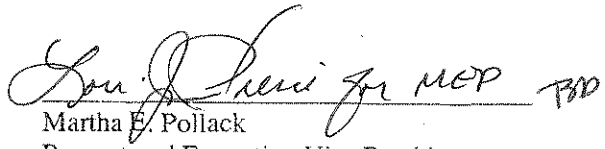
Christian Keller completed his Master of Science at the Missouri University of Science and Technology in 2008, Bachelor of Science and Master of Science at the University of Ulm in 2010, and will complete his Doctorate at the University of Southern California (USC) in 2015. His research interests lie in the area of stochastic analysis, path-dependent and backward stochastic differential equations, mathematical finance, and rough path theory. He has one publication and two available as preprints. He was awarded the 2014 Theodore Edward Harris Graduate Research Prize at USC.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Christian Keller as a Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Research Professorship
NAME: Jennifer Park
RECOMMENDED TITLE: T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of
Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
TERM: Three Years, Non-renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018

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 appointment of Jennifer Park as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.

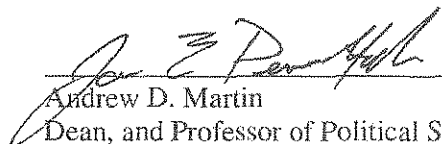
The T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships are awarded in honor of T.H. Hildebrandt, who long served the Department of Mathematics as professor and chair, and whose work brought much distinction upon the university. Individuals named as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor are given a reduced teaching load to allow them to concentrate to a greater degree on their research. In nominating mathematicians for the T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships, preference is given to those candidates whose doctorate was received within the last two years.

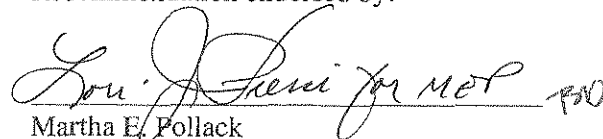
Jennifer Park completed her Bachelor of Mathematics at the University of Waterloo, Dean's Honours List with Distinction, in 2009 and her Doctorate from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 2014. She is currently appointed as a NSERC/CRM Post-doctoral Fellow at McGill University (2014-2015). She received an NSQRC Alexander Graham Bell Scholarship (2009-2010), was an MIT Presidential Fellow (2009-2010), and received an NSERC Post-graduate Scholarship (2010-2013), among others. Her research interests lie in number theory and algebraic geometry. She has published three papers, has submitted two papers, and has two in preparation. She is currently teaching a course in honours number theory at McGill.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Jennifer Park as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Appointment to an Endowed Visiting Professorship
NAME: Marjorie Rubright
RECOMMENDED TITLE: Norman Freehling Visiting Professor, Institute for the Humanities,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through April 30, 2016

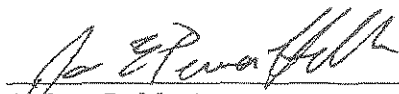
On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Institute for the Humanities and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Marjorie Rubright as the Norman Freehling Visiting Professor, Institute for the Humanities, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through April 30, 2016.

The Norman Freehling Visiting Professorship was established by the Regents in December 1987 as the result of a generous gift from Mrs. Edna Freehling in honor of her husband. Distinguished visitors who are appointed to this professorship are associated with the Institute for the Humanities.


Marjorie Rubright received her Doctorate from the University of Michigan in 2007 and is currently appointed as an associate professor at the University of Toronto, Scarborough (2013-present). Professor Rubright's research and teaching fields include Early Modern Literature and Culture, Critical Race and Ethnicity Studies, Feminist Theory, and Renaissance Lexical Culture. Her first book, Doppelgänger Dilemmas: Anglo-Dutch Relations in Early Modern English Literature and Culture (University of Pennsylvania Press), was published in 2014. She is currently at work on a second book that is tentatively entitled A World of Words: Language, Globalization, and the English Renaissance. This project has been supported by funding from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Insight Development Grant, Connaught Foundation New Researcher Award, and The Huntington Library/Francis Bacon Foundation Fellowship in Renaissance. Professor Rubright will collaborate with two English Department faculty on a large consortial grant funded through McGill University in Montreal around the topic of Early Modern Conversions. She will also join with faculty and graduate student fellows in their weekly seminars and teach two or three courses on related topics.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Marjorie Rubright as the Norman Freehling Visiting Professor, Institute for the Humanities, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through April 30, 2016.

Recommended by:


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Research Professorship
NAME: Wouten Van Limbeek
RECOMMENDED TITLE: Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor of
Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
TERM: Three Years, Non-Renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018

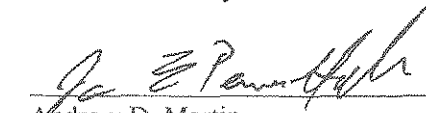
On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Mathematics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Wouten Van Limbeek as a Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.

The Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professorships were established by the Regents in June 2015 to honor a longtime chair of the Department of Mathematics who brought great distinction to the department and university. The appointment is for junior mathematicians who show great promise in research and is typically restricted to new Ph.D.s. The tradition of named assistant professorships with reduced teaching loads is strong in mathematics. Such appointments exist at Harvard, MIT, UCLA and Berkeley, Chicago, and Yale, to name a few. Individuals named as a Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor are given a reduced teaching load to allow them to concentrate to a greater degree on their research. In nominating mathematicians for the Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professorships, preference is given to those candidates whose doctorate was received within the last two years.

Wouter Van Limbeek completed his Bachelor of Science at Utrecht University in 2010. He attends the University of Chicago where he completed his Master of Science in 2011 and is expected to complete his Doctorate in 2015. He received the Young Talent Encouragement Award from the Thomas Stieltjes Institute for Mathematics and the Dutch Society of Sciences in 2008, the Huygens Talent Scholarship from the Dutch Ministry of Education in 2010, and the 2014 GEAR Graduate Internship. He is interested in rigidity phenomena in geometry and topology, a topic that lies on the intersection of geometric topology, differential geometry, theory of Lie groups and algebraic groups, dynamics and ergodic theory, and metric geometry. He has published two papers, submitted two papers, and has two in progress.


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Wouten Van Limbeek as a Donald J. Lewis Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.

Recommended by:



Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
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: Faculty Appointment to a Research Professorship
NAME: Shira Zerbib Gelaki
RECOMMENDED TITLE: T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of
Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
TERM: Three Years, Non-renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018

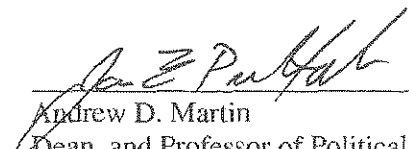
On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Mathematics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Shira Zerbib Gelaki as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.

The T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships are awarded in honor of T.H. Hildebrandt, who long served the Department of Mathematics as professor and chair, and whose work brought much distinction upon the university. Individuals named as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor are given a reduced teaching load to allow them to concentrate to a greater degree on their research. In nominating mathematicians for the T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professorships, preference is given to those candidates whose doctorate was received within the last two years.

Shira Zerbib attended Technion in Israel and received her Bachelor of Arts in 2004, Master of Arts in 2007, and Doctorate in 2014. She began her teaching career as a teaching assistant at Technion (2004-2006, 2009-2013) and is currently appointed as a post-doctoral fellow in the Department of Mathematics at Technion (2014-present). She was a prize-winning student at Technion capped by the Promotion of Excellence in Mathematics Prize (2011-2012). In spring 2013, she received an Excellent Teaching Assistant Award and in 2015 a Post-doctoral Scholarship for Excellence as a Woman Scientist. Her research lies in the intersection between combinatorics, discrete geometry and topology. She has published two papers with a third to appear in *Combinatorica*.


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Shira Zerbib Gelaki as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through May 31, 2018.

Recommended by:



Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
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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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

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

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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Jessica L. Tischler

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, and Associate Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018

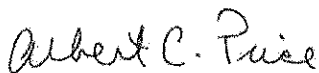
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Jessica L. Tischler as chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

Professor Tischler received her B.S. degree from Saginaw Valley State University in 1995 and her Ph.D. from Michigan State University in 2001. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 2001 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2008.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Tischler has served as a member of the Active Learning Teaching Circle, facilitator of a Marian Wright Teaching Circle created to discuss scientific writing guidelines for chemistry and biology courses, a member of the Fran Frazier Student Travel Scholarship Committee, and a member of the Michigan College Chemistry Teachers Association.


Professor Tischler has proven to be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Jessica L. Tischler as chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Albert C. Price, Interim Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Barbara B. Dixon, Interim Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Susan E. Borrego, 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 and administrative staff

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

NAME: Roy C. Barnes

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Interim Chair, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016

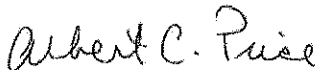
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint are pleased to recommend the appointment of Roy C. Barnes as interim chair, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

Professor Barnes received his B.A. from Pomona College in 1982, his M.A. from Mississippi State University in 1985, and his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 1995. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1996 as an assistant professor, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2002, and was approved for promotion to professor effective September 2015.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Barnes has served as assistant dean from 2006 to 2013, associate dean since 2013, and assessment coordinator for the College of Arts and Sciences. He has previously served as the department interim chair and chair of the Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice from 2002 to 2005, and interim chair for the Department of History in 2013.

Professor Barnes has proven to be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Roy Barnes as interim chair, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:




Albert C. Price, Interim Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Barbara B. Dixon, Interim Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Susan E. Borrego, Chancellor
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment
NAME: Simon S. Cushing
CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Philosophy, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Philosophy, College of Arts and Sciences
EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018

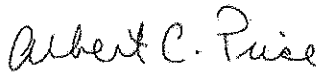
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Philosophy, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Simon S. Cushing as chair, Department of Philosophy, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

Professor Cushing received his B.A. and M.A. degrees from Oxford University in 1989 and his Ph.D. from University of Southern California in 1999. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1999 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2005.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Cushing has served as a member of the CAS Executive Committee, a member of the Academic Standards Committee, and serves as the Philosophy Department's Assessment coordinator, and sits on the Advisory Board for the Center for Cognition and Neuroethics.

Professor Cushing will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Simon S. Cushing as chair, Department of Philosophy, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

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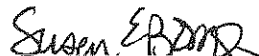


Albert C. Price, Interim Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Barbara B. Dixon, Interim Provost and
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Roy S. Hanashiro

CURRENT TITLES: Interim Chair, Department of History, and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Chair, Department of History, and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018

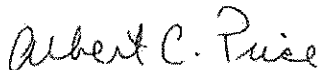
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of History, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Roy S. Hanashiro as chair, Department of History, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

Professor Hanashiro received his B.A. degree and his Ph.D. from the University of Hawaii in 1990 and 1997, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as an assistant professor in 1989, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1995, and to professor in 2003.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Hanashiro has served as an acting/interim department chair, History Department advisor, Social Studies Program advisor, and reviewer for the Center for Japanese Studies Research Proposal. He also served on the Research Advisory Committee and as a member of the International and Global Studies Program.

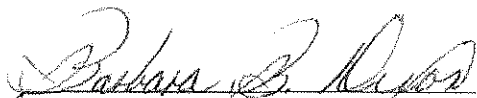
Professor Hanashiro will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Roy S. Hanashiro as chair, Department of History, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

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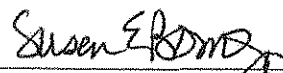


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College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment
NAME: Margaret F. Kahn
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences
EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018

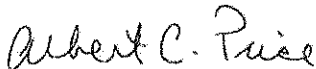
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Political Science, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Margaret F. Kahn as chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

Professor Kahn received her B.A. from Oberlin College in 1975 and her Ph.D. from the University of California in 1984. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1984 as an assistant professor, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1989 and to professor in 2002.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Kahn has served as interim chair of the Political Science Department in 2005, and on the College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee, Appeals Committee, Faculty Development and Awards Committee, campus community Advisory Board of the Women's Educational Center and Women's History Month Planning Committee.

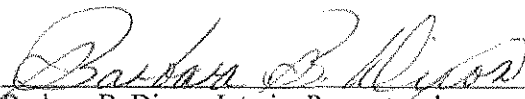
Professor Kahn has proven to be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Margaret F. Kahn as chair, Department of Political Science, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Albert C. Price, Interim Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Barbara B. Dixon, Interim Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
Susan E. Borrego, Chancellor
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Christopher A. Pearson

CURRENT TITLES: Interim Chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering, and Physics, and Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering, and Physics, and Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018

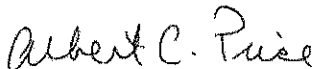
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences, with the endorsement of the Department of Computer Science, Engineering, and Physics, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Christopher A. Pearson as chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering, and Physics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

Professor Pearson received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Hamline University in St. Paul, Minnesota in 1989 and his Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota in 1995. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as an assistant professor in 1998, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2004, and to professor in 2011.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Pearson has served on the College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee, continues to develop and refine laboratory curriculum for both general physics and advanced laboratory courses, coordinates presentations by physics students to prospective undergraduate students, and presents Materials Science of Food for Super Science Friday at the University of Michigan-Flint.

Professor Pearson has proven himself to be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Christopher A. Pearson as chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering, and Physics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:

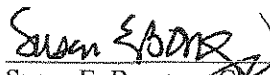


Albert C. Price Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Barbara B. Dixon, Interim Provost and
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Sapna Thwaite

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education and Human Services

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean, School of Education and Human Services

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2020

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sapna Thwaite as associate dean, School of Education and Human Services, University of Michigan-Flint, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2020.

Professor Thwaite received her B.A. degree from the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor in 1996 and her Ph.D. from Michigan State University in 2001. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 2000 as a lecturer, was appointed as an assistant professor in 2001, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2006. Professor Thwaite served as a coordinator of NCATE Accreditation from 2009 to 2011; director of the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP), formerly NCATE Accreditation; and currently serves as the education unit assessment coordinator in the school.

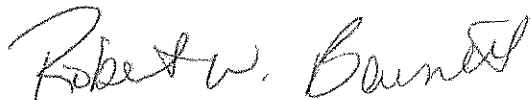
Professor Thwaite's service record is very extensive including serving as a member of the Executive Committee, Education Department Leadership Team, chair of the Curriculum Committee, chair of the Center for Educator Preparation Search Committee, and co-chair of the Secondary Education Redesign Implementation Committee within the school. University-wide, she has served on the Chancellor's Inauguration Planning Committee, Curriculum Coordination Committee, Academic Assessment Committee, Academic Affairs Advisory Committee, chair of the Study Abroad Advisory Committee, and many more too numerous to list.

Professor Thwaite is equally as busy in the community serving as a consultant to the Flint International Center, Hillside Academy, Hyderabad, India, and curriculum developer/evaluator of the Immigrant Parenting of Acculturated Children. Many times she has been invited to serve as a panelist, guest speaker, facilitator, and textbook reviewer for McGraw Hill, Thomson Wadsworth Publishing Company, *Michigan Reading Journal*, *Identity*, and American Educational Research Association Conference to name a few.

Professor Thwaite is the recipient of the Lois Matz Rosen Junior Faculty Excellence in Teaching Award, two Golden Apples, and the Alvin D. Loving Junior Faculty Initiative Award.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sapna Thwaite as associate dean, School of Education and Human Services, University of Michigan-Flint, effective July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2020.

Recommended by:



Robert W. Barnett, Dean
School of Education and Human Services

Recommendation endorsed by:



Barbara B. Dixon, Interim Provost
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Susan E. Borrego, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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