

SUMMARY OF PERSONNEL ACTIONS
REGENTS AGENDA
September 2014

ANN ARBOR CAMPUS

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

- * (1) Conrad, Frederick G., professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014.
- * (2) Figueroa, C. Alberto, Ph.D., associate professor of surgery, with tenure, Medical School, associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective August 1, 2014, and Edward B. Diethrich M.D. Research Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Vascular Surgery, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective August 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.
- * (3) Grant Long, Judith, associate professor of sport management, with tenure, School of Kinesiology, with tenure, effective September 1, 2014.
- (4) Jeruss, Jacqueline S., M.D., Ph.D., associate professor of surgery, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective September 15, 2014.
- (5) Parkos, Charles A., M.D., Ph.D., chair, Department of Pathology, professor of pathology, with tenure, effective September 15, 2014, and Carl Vernon Weller Professor of Pathology, Medical School, effective September 15, 2014 through August 31, 2019.
- (6) Sakamoto, Jeff, associate professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015.
- (7) Stephenson, Robert, professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective January 1, 2015.
- (8) Sytch, Maxim V., promotion to associate professor of management and organizations, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014 (currently assistant professor of management and organizations.)
- * (9) Tharp, Bruce M., associate professor of art and design, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2014.
- * (10) Tharp, Stephanie., associate professor of art and design, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2014.

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- (11) Toyama, Kentaro, associate professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, effective January 1, 2015.

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

- * (1) del Campo, Matias, associate professor of architecture, without tenure, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, effective September 1, 2014.
- * (2) Gao, Fei, professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.
- * (3) Hampstead, Benjamin M., Ph.D., associate professor of psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014.
- (4) Kelly, Kathleen, associate professor of music, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective January 1, 2015.
- * (5) Subramanian, Vijay G., associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, effective September 1, 2014.

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

- (1) Adar, Sara D., John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, School of Public Health, effective November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2017 (also assistant professor of epidemiology.)
- (2) Antonucci, Toni C., associate vice president for research – social sciences and humanities, Office of Research, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2016 (also Elizabeth M. Douvan Collegiate Professor of Psychology, and professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (3) Bardwell, James, Rowena G. Matthews Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of molecular, cellular, and developmental biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of biological chemistry, without tenure, Medical School.)

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- (4) Berguer, Ramon, M.D., Ph.D., Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 30, 2016 (also professor of surgery, with tenure.)
- (5) Bougher, Stephen W., Andrew F. Nagy Collegiate Research Professor, Office of Research, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also research professor, Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, College of Engineering.)
- (6) Carson, Paul L., Ph.D., Collegiate Professor of Basic Radiological Services, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014 (also professor of radiology, with tenure, Medical School, and professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering.)
- (7) Daskin, Mark S., chair, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017 (also Clyde W. Johnson Collegiate Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, professor of industrial and operations engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, and professor of operations and management, without tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business.)
- (8) Deloria, Philip J., Carroll Smith-Rosenberg Collegiate Professor of History and American Culture, , College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate dean for undergraduate education, professor of history, with tenure, and professor of American culture, with tenure.)
- * (9) Fisher, Daniel C., director, Museum of Paleontology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also Claude W. Hibbard Collegiate Professor of Paleontology, professor of Earth and environmental sciences, with tenure, and professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, without tenure.)
- (10) Glick, Gary D., Werner E. Bachmann Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of biological chemistry, without tenure, Medical School.)

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- (11) Mason, Nancy A., associate dean for student services, College of Pharmacy, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015 (also clinical professor of pharmacy.)
- * (12) Meares, Henry O., assistant dean, School of Education, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2019.
- (13) Merlin, Roberto D., Peter A. Franken Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
- (14) Mueller, Bruce A., associate dean for academic affairs, College of Pharmacy, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of pharmacy, with tenure.)
- * (15) Penner-Hahn, James E., George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Biophysics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate dean for budget and planning, professor of biophysics, with tenure, and professor of chemistry, with tenure.)
- (16) Rowan, Brian P., Burke A. Hinsdale Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, effective November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2019 (also professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, and professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
- (17) Scavia, Donald, Graham Family Professor, Graham Sustainability Institute, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also professor of natural resources and environment, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment, and professor of civil and environmental engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
- (18) Sherman, David H., associate dean for research and graduate education, College of Pharmacy, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015 (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.)

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- (19) Siebers, Tobin A., Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professor of Literary and Cultural Criticism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of English language and literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of art and design, without tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design.)
- (20) St. John, Edward P., Algo D. Henderson Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2016 (also professor of education, with tenure.)
- (21) Wicha, Max S., M.D., Distinguished Professor of Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure, and director, University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center.)

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

- (1) Adams, Fred C., Ta-You Wu Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of physics, with tenure, and professor of astronomy, without tenure.)
- (2) Banaszak Holl, Mark M., professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, and professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School.)
- (3) Chen, Zhan, professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
- * (4) Clyde, Paul S., Tom Lantos Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also clinical assistant professor of business economics and public policy.)

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- 4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.**
- (5) Cotel, Aline J., associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014 (also associate professor of civil and environmental engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering.)
 - (6) Dillard, Angela D., Earl Lewis Collegiate Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies and in the Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, director, Residential College, and professor in the Residential College, without tenure.)
 - (7) Hsing, Tailen, Michael B. Woodroffe Collegiate Professor of Statistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also chair, Department of Statistics, and professor of statistics, with tenure.)
 - (8) Jakob, Ursula H., Patricia S. Yaeger Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of molecular, cellular, and developmental biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of biological chemistry, without tenure, Medical School.)
 - (9) Juster, Susan M., Rhys Isaac Collegiate Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of history, with tenure.)
 - * (10) Kapila, Sunil D., Drs. Thomas M. and Doris Graber Endowed Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2019 (also professor of dentistry, with tenure.)
 - (11) Lehnert, Nicolai, associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate professor of chemistry, with tenure.)
 - (12) McCracken, Peggy S., Domna C. Stanton Collegiate Professor of French, Women's Studies, and Comparative Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of French, with tenure, professor of women's studies, with tenure, and professor of comparative literature, without tenure.)

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- 4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.**
- (13) Mizruchi, Mark S., Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also Barger Family Professor of Organizational Studies, professor of sociology, with tenure, director, Organizational Studies Program, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of business administration, without tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business.)
 - (14) Nan, Bin, professor of statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017 (also professor of biostatistics, with tenure, School of Public Health.)
 - (15) O'Modhrain, Maire Sile, associate professor of information, without tenure, School of Information, effective September 1, 2014 (also associate professor of music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
 - * (16) Poulsen, Christopher J., chair, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also professor of Earth and environmental sciences, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of atmospheric, oceanic and space sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
 - (17) Prager, Richard L., M.D., Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professor of Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also clinical professor of cardiac surgery.)
 - (18) Rohani, Pejman, Pearl L. Kendrick Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Complex Systems, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, professor of complex systems, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health.)
 - (19) Rosenblat, Tanya S., associate professor of economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate professor of information, with tenure, School of Information.)

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- 4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.**
- (20) Rubin, Jonathan M., M.D., Ph.D., William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective January 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of radiology, with tenure.)
 - (21) Schoeni, Robert F., professor of economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of public policy, without tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy.)
 - (22) Simon, Adam C., associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014 (also associate professor of Earth and environmental sciences, with tenure.)
 - (23) Soroka, Stuart N., Michael W. Traugott Collegiate Professor of Communication Studies and Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of communication studies, with tenure, and professor of political science, without tenure.)
 - (24) Sun, Duxin, William I. Higuchi Collegiate Professor of Pharmacy, College of Pharmacy, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of pharmaceutical sciences, with tenure.)
 - (25) Taichman, Russell S., associate dean for research, School of Dentistry, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of dentistry, with tenure.)
 - (26) Thün, Geoffrey, associate dean for research, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017 (also associate professor of architecture, with tenure.)
 - * (27) Tucker, Priscilla K., director, Museum of Zoology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure.)

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

- (28) Vandermeer, John H., professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Asa Gray Distinguished University Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of natural resources and environment, without tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment.)
- *(29) von Moltke, Johannes, chair, Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also associate professor of Germanic languages and literatures, with tenure, and associate professor of screen arts and cultures, with tenure.)
- (30) Walter, Nils G., professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure.)
- (31) Wang, Thomas D., M.D., Ph.D., H. Marvin Pollard Collegiate Professor of Endoscopy Research, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate professor of internal medicine, with tenure, Medical School, associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, and associate professor of mechanical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)

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

- (1) Romeijn, Edwin, extension of an IPA leave of absence, effective September 10, 2014 through December 31, 2014 (professor of industrial and operations engineering, with tenure.)

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

- *(1) Change in name of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship to the Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professorship in Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective August 1, 2014 (currently Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professorship in Sociology and Political Science.)

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

- (2) Approval to name an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the David Ballou Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014.
- (3) Approval to establish an Endowed Department Chair as the William and Valerie Hall Department Chair in Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.
- (4) Change in name of an existing Endowed Professorship to the John D. MacArthur Professorship in Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 (currently John D. MacArthur Professorship in Geological Sciences.)

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

- (1) Cochran, Amy L., T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2017.
- (2) Coerdt, Maureen A., assistant dean for administration and student services, School of Nursing, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.
- (3) Fishman, Barry J., transfer of tenure to professor of education with tenure, School of Education, and professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, effective September 1, 2014 (currently professor of education with tenure, School of Education, and professor of information, without tenure, School of Information.)
- (4) Nishry, Alon T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2017.
- (5) Sibony, Nessim, Frederick W. and Lois B. Gehring Visiting Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

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

- *⁽⁶⁾ Wade, Major William D., chair, Army Officer Education Program, effective August 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

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

- (1) Grosky, William I., chair, Department of Computer and Information Science, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of computer and information science, with tenure.)
- (2) Li, Ben Q., chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Computer Science, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure.)
- (3) Murphey, Yi Lu, chair, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of electrical and computer engineering, with tenure.)
- (4) Varde, Keshav S., associate dean, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure.)

FLINT CAMPUS

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

- (1) Moyo, Otrude N., chair, Department of Social Work, School of Education and Human Services, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2019 (also associate professor of social work, with tenure.)

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

10. Ann Arbor and Dearborn campuses.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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

Approved by the
Regents
September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Frederick G. Conrad
TITLE: Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and
the Arts
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Psychology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Frederick G. Conrad as professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Frederick Conrad completed his Doctorate at the University of Chicago in 1986.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Following a three-year post-doctoral fellowship at Carnegie Mellon University and a two-year appointment as a software engineer at Digital Equipment Corporation, Frederick Conrad joined the Bureau of Labor Statistics as a research psychologist in 1991. He was appointed as an associate research scientist by the Survey Research Center in 2002 and promoted through the ranks to research professor in 2011.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Conrad's research record and scholarly profile are outstanding. His major accomplishments to date include his substantial and almost unique body of research in cognitively oriented survey methodology. His breakthrough studies (along with Schober) have been singled out for demonstrating that conversational techniques can improve the validity of survey answers, even if questions are asked in slightly different ways, which runs counter to conventional survey wisdom that questions have to be presented in the same way. He has also made substantive contributions in survey design to improve the validity of collected data. His research has appeared in all the top journals in both survey methodology and cognitive science, at a staggering rate of about five articles per year since his arrival at Michigan in 2002.

Professor Conrad's teaching and mentoring of graduate students are exceptionally and consistently strong. His contributions to the graduate program in psychology will be significant and warranted. This appointment will facilitate a greater ease of access of Professor Conrad to graduate students who critically need training in survey methodology.

PUBLICATIONS

The Science of Web Surveys, with R. Tourangeau and M. P. Couper, Oxford University Press, 2013.

"Interviewer speech and the success of survey invitations," with J. Broome, et al., *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: A*, 176, 2013, pp. 191-210.

"Sample size for cognitive interview pretesting," with J. Blair, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 75, 2011, pp. 636-658.

"Impact of progress indicators on task completion," with M. P. Couper, et al., *Interacting with Computers*, 22, 2010, pp. 417-427.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

"...Fred has been at the forefront of the uses of advanced technologies in surveys, exploring new ground as the possibility of virtual interviewers becomes nearer reality. ...he brought together a group of experts in various communication technologies... This conference revealed a number of technological advances (as well as current limitations) that provide rich opportunities for new ways of conducting surveys, but also raised a host of unexplored areas that need to be dealt with before these new technologies could be used in real surveys. This is a very exciting new area of research..."

Reviewer (B)

"...I find Fred's work to be almost unique and quite important. As very few others have done, he takes the knowledge from his discipline and uses it to understand and solve problems related to how to learn what people have to tell us. I think his approach and the problems he addresses would make a great contribution to your students..."

Reviewer (C)

"I consider Fred Conrad to be among a handful of the most creative and productive researchers in the field of survey methodology. ...[his] research is scientifically rigorous and cutting edge. Dr. Conrad has been involved as PI or coPI on approximately a dozen grants since he arrived at University of Michigan."

Reviewer (D)

"Fred's research covers a range of related topics, mainly addressing psychological issues in the interaction of survey participants with interviewers or survey instruments. These issues of interaction and communication are of central importance to the survey research field. Understanding the nature of interaction helps us to design better surveys and better instruments."

Reviewer (E)

"Fred has been energetic in pursuing several lines of collaborative research, successful in generating extra-mural support, and has clearly fulfilled his promise of making solid contributions to the field of survey methodology that apply, and presumably thereby contribute to, the field of cognitive psychology."

Reviewer (F)

"I note that most of Dr. Conrad's papers are co-authored. ... Work with surveys tends to be very labor intensive, and hence benefits greatly from collaboration. But beyond that, collaborations such as those Dr. Conrad has accomplished, with many differing coauthors and across several disciplinary lines, yield a synergism of ideas that enriches any field but is particularly valuable in an emerging interdiscipline such as the study of cognitive aspects of surveys. I would count his collaborative record as a plus, one that would enlarge the scope of your department..."

SUMMARY

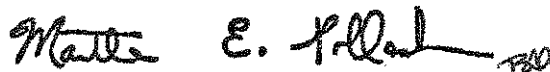
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Frederick G. Conrad as professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Andrew D. Martin
Dean,
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

August 2014

INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED

Approved by the
Regents
September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: C. Alberto Figueroa, Ph.D.

TITLES: Associate Professor of Surgery, Medical School, Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering, and Edward B. Diethrich M.D. Research Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Vascular Surgery, Medical School and College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: With tenure (Surgery)
Without tenure (Biomedical Engineering)

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2014

On the recommendation of Michael Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Collier Distinguished Professor and Chair of the Department of Surgery, and Ronald G. Larson, the A.H. White and G.G. Brown Professor and Interim Chair of the Department of Biomedical Engineering, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School and the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of C. Alberto Figueroa, Ph.D. as the Edward B. Diethrich, M.D. Research Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Vascular Surgery, effective August 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019, associate professor of surgery, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective August 1, 2014.

Academic Degrees:

Dr. Figueroa received his M.Sc. (2000) and Ph.D. (2006) in mechanical engineering from Stanford University.

Professional Record:

Dr. Figueroa was an engineering research associate in the Department of Bioengineering at Stanford University from 2006 to 2011 when he was promoted to senior research associate. In 2011, he was appointed as an associate professor (senior lecturer) in biomedical engineering at King's College London.

Summary of Evaluation:

Dr. Figueroa's research focuses on computational cardiovascular biomechanics. He models blood flow through the aorta and other vessels using a system that displays flow motion and stress, perivascular tissue dampening and regulatory feedback and compensation mechanisms. He is the principal investigator of a Heart Research United Kingdom grant and a European Research Council grant. He is the co-principal investigator of a Technology Strategy Board grant, Engineering and

Physical Sciences Research Council grant, and an NIH R01 grant. Dr. Figueroa holds one patent and has published 33 peer-reviewed articles. He has presented his research at 29 international venues.

Recent and Significant Publications

Taylor CA, Figueroa CA: Patient-specific modeling of cardiovascular mechanics. *Annual Review of Biomedical Engineering* 11:109-134, 2009.

Figueroa CA, Baek S, Taylor CA, Humphrey JD: Computational framework for coupled fluid-solid growth in cardiovascular simulation. *Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering* 198:3583-3602, 2009.

Figueroa CA, Taylor CA, Yeh V, Chiou AJ, Zarins CK: Effect of curvature on displacement forces acting on aortic endografts: a three dimensional computational analysis. *Journal of Endovascular Therapy* 16:284-294, 2009.

Prasad A, Xiao N, Gong XY, Zarins CK, Figueroa CA: A computational framework for investigating the positional stability of aortic endografts. *Biomechanics and Modeling in Mechanobiology* 12:869-887, 2013.

Xiao N, Humphrey JD, Figueroa CA: Multi-scale computational model of three-dimensional hemodynamic within a deformable full-body arterial network. *Journal of Computational Physics* 244:22-40, 2013.

Dr. Figueroa is a dedicated teacher with a strong history of mentoring engineering and medical students, clinical fellows, as well as Ph.D. and post-doctoral candidates. He has instructed in courses on computational methods in bioengineering at both King's College and Stanford University. He has also conducted a short course for the U.S. Food and Drug Administration on "Finite Element Analysis of Cardiovascular Devices." Feedback provided by learners attests to appreciation for his course content and design, as well as the rigorous training received in his classes. His commitment to teaching is evident from the number of students for whom he has served as a primary or secondary academic advisor.

External Reviewers:

Reviewer A: "Alberto is certainly one of the leading researchers in the field of computer-aided diagnosis and treatment of cardiovascular diseases, and clearly shows great potential for seminal future contributions. He has presented his work in numerous high-impact journal articles and at conferences around the world, being selected multiple times to give keynote lectures and plenaries, most recently at the World Congress on Computational Mechanics in Barcelona."

Reviewer B: "Dr. Figueroa is an internationally renowned expert in the field of fluid mechanics applied to biological problems as well as in the reconstruction of 3-D anatomic models from medical images....Use of structural and fluid dynamic analyses to predict and understand the clinical outcome of complex cardiac surgeries is now an established and promising research field. I am sure that Dr. Figueroa's research projects will much benefit from the close collaboration and expertise of Michigan Medical School staff."

Reviewer C: "I consider Alberto to be a leading force in the proper biomechanical analysis of arteries and their disease states. It is clear that his expertise is valued in the field...His analysis of aorta blood flow dynamics, aneurysm formation and treatment technologies is truly among the finest

in the field. In terms of computational modelling of these phenomena, he is a leader. This is recognized in part by his ability to publish in both top engineering and clinical journals.”

Reviewer D: “In my view Alberto is a person who will grow to be one of tomorrow’s leaders, his level of dedication and current results goes beyond the state of the art. He has established collaboration with many established researchers, and I see him as somebody who will grow into a world leader with the bioengineering community.”


Reviewer E: “From many discussions I know that he is a very creative person who is able to identify and design promising new research activities for the future—he definitely is a leader and not just a follower. He is a brilliant scientist himself but is also able to build a group and advise PhD students in a very helpful manner.”

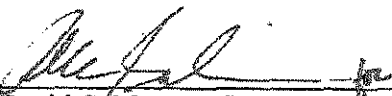
Dr. Figueroa’s service includes his role as editor of the *Journal of Endovascular Therapy* and *Frontiers in Pediatric Cardiology*. He serves on the board of directors for the Virtual Physiological Human Institute and is a member of the International Advisory Committee for Computational and Mathematical Biomedical Engineering. Dr. Figueroa is a reviewer for 26 journals and a grant reviewer for the Technology Strategy Board of the Medical Research Council in the United Kingdom, Heart Research in the United Kingdom, and the Agence National de la Recherche in France.

Summary of Recommendation:

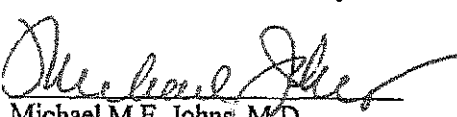
Dr. Figueroa is an extremely productive researcher who has made significant breakthroughs in the field of patient-specific computational fluid dynamics. In addition to his academic appointment, Dr. Figueroa will lead the Frankel Vascular Mechanics Laboratory. We wholeheartedly recommend the appointment of C. Alberto Figueroa, Ph.D. as the Edward B. Diethrich M.D. Research Professor of Biomedical Engineering and Vascular Surgery, effective August 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019, associate professor of surgery, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective August 1, 2014.


Recommended by:


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College of Engineering

Recommendation endorsed by:


Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
Interim Executive Vice President for
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Martha E. Pollack, Provost
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August 2014

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Approved by the
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September 18, 2014

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Judith Grant Long
TITLE: Associate Professor of Sport Management,
School of Kinesiology
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Sport Management Program and with the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Kinesiology, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Judith Grant Long as associate professor of sport management, with tenure, School of Kinesiology, effective September 1, 2014.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Judith Grant Long received her Bachelor of Arts from Western University in 1986, Bachelor of Applied Arts from Ryerson University in 1989, her Master in Design Studies from Harvard University in 1995, and her Doctorate from Harvard University in 2012.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Grant Long joined the faculty at Harvard University as an assistant professor in 2006, and was promoted to associate professor in 2010.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Grant Long's scholarly work examines the intersection between sports, tourism, urban planning and economic development. Her recent publications focus on the finance and development of sports and touristic infrastructures. She has published a book, entitled Public-Private Partnerships for Major League Sports Facilities, that examines the \$50 billion investment in stadium and arena construction across North America from 1980 to 2010. Her analysis is based on over 100 facility partnership deals struck between cities and teams in the "big five" major league sports—MLB, NFL, NBA, NHL, and MLS—and takes stock of how public partners have fared in these deals. She argues that public partners pay far more than is commonly understood—75 percent of costs for a new facility, versus the 51 percent public share reported by industry sources—due to the routine omission of public subsidies for land and infrastructure, as well as the ongoing costs of operations, capital improvements, municipal services, and foregone property taxes. She explains why some cities made better deals than others, assessing the best practices and common pitfalls in deal structuring and facility leases, as well as highlighting important differences across markets, leagues, facility types, public actors, subsidy delivery mechanisms, and urban development aspirations. She concludes with speculations about the next round of facility replacement—starting as early as 2020—amidst rapid changes in broadcast technology, shrinking domestic audiences, and the globalization of sport.

Professor Grant Long is a stimulating, creative, and effective educator. She has spearheaded new concepts in teaching and integrating theory and real-life examples and experiences for students. Professor Grant Long was the director of Harvard's Master of Urban Planning (MUP) program, and was extensively

involved in developing the curriculum and the core studio. Directing North America's oldest urban planning program would be a career milestone for many scholars and was a remarkable honor for her, already as an assistant professor at Harvard.

PUBLICATIONS

Long, Judith G. Book in progress. Olympic Urbanism: Rome to Rio. Argues that claims of the Olympic Games as a catalyst for urban redevelopment are overstated, and that the evidence of positive outcomes in host cities is mixed, based on original field research in fifteen host cities from Rome 1960 to Rio de Janeiro 2016.

Long, Judith G. 2014. Olympic Infrastructure. Volume I: The Summer Olympic Games, 1896 to 2016 (forthcoming) Volume II: The Winter Olympics, 1924 to 2014 (in progress, expected fall 2014). Together these two volumes bring together an inventory of spatial and economic data that describe the history and trajectory of building for Olympic Games.

Long, Judith G. and Mark S. Rosentraub. Article in progress. 2014. "What happens to former major league sports facilities?" To be submitted to the *Journal of the American Planning Association*.

Long, Judith G. Article in progress. 2014. "How Boston Won the Sports Facility Subsidy Game." To be submitted to the *Journal of Urban Affairs*.

Long, Judith G. Forthcoming 2014. "Comparative Olympic Urbanism" in V. Viehoff et al, eds. *London 2012: The Mega-Event City and Urban Development*. London: Routledge.

Long, Judith G. 2013. "The Olympic Games and Urban Development Impacts" in L. M. Fernandez, A. Zimablist and P. Esteves (eds.) *BRICS and Mega-Sporting Events*. Rio de Janeiro, Brazil: BRICs Policy Center at PUC-Rio.

Long, Judith G. 2013. "Rethinking Olympic Infrastructure" in *City Transformations 2013: Rio de Janeiro*. London School of Economics, Cities Program, October.

Long, Judith G. 2012. Public-Private Partnerships for Major League Sports Facilities. New York and London: Routledge. Argues that the real cost of public funding for sports facilities has been significantly underestimated, based on a detailed and consistent review of all 121 facility deals struck between cities and teams in the five major leagues—MLB, NFL, NBA, NHL, and MLS.

Long, Judith G. 2012. "Tour de France: A Bargain for Host Cities Amongst Mega Sports Events?" in A. Zimbalist and W. Maenning, eds., *International Handbook of the Economics of Sports Mega-Events*. New York and London: Edwin Elgar.

Long, Judith G. 2012. "Introduction to the Symposium on Studio Pedagogy." *Journal of Planning Education and Research*. (Written as guest editor of the special issue on studio pedagogy.) Winter.

Long, Judith G. 2012. "State of the Studio: Revisiting the Potential of Studio Pedagogy in US-based planning programs". *Journal of Planning Education and Research*. Winter.

Nemeth, Jeremy and Judith G. Long 2012. "Assessing Learning Outcomes in Studio Pedagogy" accepted by the *Journal of Planning Education and Research*. Winter.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

"Her scholarship skillfully combines her expertise in economics, urban planning, real estate development and urban design and has elevated her to a prominent position as a rising star in sport management research."

Reviewer (B)

"Dr. Long was Director of Harvard's Master of Urban Planning (MUP) program from 2008-2011, and was extensively involved in developing the curriculum and the core studio. Directing North America's oldest urban planning program would be a career milestone for many scholars and was a remarkable honour [sic] for an assistant professor."

Reviewer (C)

"In my view her research is original scientifically, has considerable promise for real world impact beyond academia, and will undoubtedly be much sought after. Her research not only contributes to the fields of Sports Science, Sports Management and Olympic Studies, but also has the potential to be valuable in social policy and planning circles and research-informed interventions throughout the world."

Reviewer (D)

"She has clearly established a niche and reputation in an area that is increasingly important and is receiving prominent attention both in practice and in the academy – one that examines the role (and costs) of sports infrastructure in broader urban development."

Reviewer (E)

"Her keynote addresses at distinguished meetings and conferences clearly speak to her international and national reputation as an expert in her field, and as someone that is providing new and innovative research to address problems in her field."

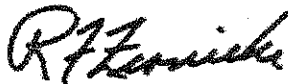
Reviewer (F)

"Perhaps most impressive in her service, and indicative of the repute of her research, is her 2007 testimony to a Congressional oversight committee. Such sharing of professional research experience and expertise is, in my opinion, one of the most important activities research faculty can undertake today to combat the accusations of irrelevance that plague our vocation."

SUMMARY

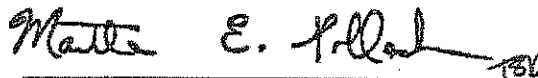
Professor Grant Long is an outstanding researcher and an innovative and gifted educator. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Judith Grant Long as associate professor of sport management, School of Kinesiology, with tenure, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Ronald F. Zernicke
Professor and Dean
School of Kinesiology

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Jacqueline S. Jeruss, M.D., Ph.D.

TITLES: Associate Professor of Surgery, Medical School, and
Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering, Medical
School and College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: With tenure (Surgery)
Without tenure (Biomedical Engineering)

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 15, 2014

On the recommendation of Michael Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D. the Frederick A. Collier Distinguished Professor and Chair of the Department of Surgery, and Ronald G. Larson, the A.H. White and G.G. Brown Professor and Interim Chair of the Department of Biomedical Engineering, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School and the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jacqueline S. Jeruss, M.D., Ph.D. as associate professor of surgery, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective September 15, 2014.

Academic Degrees:

Dr. Jeruss received her M.D. degree in 1997 from the University of Vermont. She received a Ph.D. in interdepartmental biological sciences from Northwestern University in 2006.

Professional Record:

Dr. Jeruss completed a residency in general surgery at Northwestern Memorial Hospital from 1997 to 2005, and a fellowship in interdisciplinary breast cancer from 2005 to 2006. She was appointed as an assistant professor of surgery at Northwestern University in 2006 and promoted to associate professor in 2013.

Summary of Evaluation:

Dr. Jeruss' research interests include oncofertility investigation, tumor suppression and vaccination treatment in breast cancer. Dr. Jeruss is the principal investigator on an industry grant, an NIH R01 grant, a foundation grant and an institution grant. She has published 40 articles and holds one patent. She has been invited to present her research at 31 venues regionally, nationally, and internationally. She has garnered many awards for her research accomplishments including the Margery Price Annual Breast Cancer Symposium Award, the Central Surgical Association Foundation Enrichment Award, and the Joan and Julius H. Jacobson II Promising Investigator Award from the American College of Surgeons.

Recent and Significant Publications

Jeruss JS, Mittendorf EA, Tucker SL, et al: Combined use of clinical and pathologic staging variables to define outcomes for breast cancer patients treated with neoadjuvant therapy. *Journal of Clinical Oncology* 26:246-252, 2008.

Jeruss JS, Woodruff TK: Preservation of fertility in patients with cancer. *New England Journal of Medicine* 360:902-911, 2009.

Cooley AE, Zelivianski S, Jeruss JS: Impact of cyclin E overexpression on smad3 activity in breast cancer cell lines. *Cell Cycle* 9:4900-4907, 2010.

Cooley AE, Mathews L, Zelivianski S, Hardy A, Jeruss JS: Effect of infertility treatment and pregnancy-related hormones on breast cell proliferation in vitro. *Human Reproduction* 27:146-152, 2012.

Siletz A, Schnabel M, Kniazeva E, Schumacher AJ, Shin S, Jeruss JS, Shea LD: Dynamic transcription factor networks in epithelial-mesenchymal transition in breast cancer models. *Plos One* April 8, 2013.

Dr. Jeruss has instructed medical students and residents on basic surgical techniques in the laboratory skills course. She also instructed residents in all aspects of surgical care including inpatient consultation, outpatient clinic, advanced surgical skills, and post-operative care. In addition, she has mentored learners at all levels in experimental design, manuscript and grant writing, and presentations skills. Appreciation of her teaching ability is noted by her receiving the Excellence in Teaching Award from the Department of Surgery in 2007, 2010, and 2013. National recognition for her expertise in the field of breast diseases and fertility preservation for cancer patients is demonstrated by the multiple invited presentations at grand rounds and at national and international symposiums.

External Reviewers:

Reviewer A: "The importance of her publications in the area of fertility preservation in the patient with breast cancer cannot be overstated. All told, Dr. Jeruss' carefully conducted and well-analyzed research studies have established important new paradigms for the management of this complex patient population...Dr. Jeruss has served on several PhD thesis committees and one only has to look at her numerous honors and awards to appreciate her acclaim as an excellent teacher and mentor."

Reviewer B: "I have no doubt that Dr. Jeruss has established herself as an independent investigator with a defined arc of research that will carry her career for years to come...I believe that Dr. Jeruss's [sic] recruitment is a 'home run' for Michigan...I know that Dr. Jeruss will only achieve greater heights with the resources that Michigan can provide."

Reviewer C: "From a national standpoint, Dr. Jeruss is well known for her work in cancer and her clinical practice in breast cancer surgery. Her work crosses traditional boundaries, and therefore deserves the joint appointment in Biomedical Engineering. Her collaborative nature is evident in everything she does. One other important point is her ability to successfully mentor junior faculty, residents and students of all types."

Reviewer D: "Dr. Jeruss has focused her career in the area of breast cancer. Her scholarship in the field has had significant impact not only in the clinical care of breast cancer patients, but her

intellectual curiosity has allowed her to explore the basic science mechanisms that contribute to breast cancer progression. Her efforts in the basic sciences have led to a number of high impact publications, extra-mural grants and even patents. Her work in the clinical realm has also led to significant accomplishments in preserving fertility in all cancer patients.”

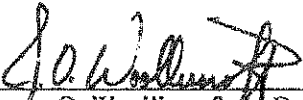
Reviewer E: “Her work has identified key metabolic pathways in drug sensitivity in breast cancer that are mediated by Smad3. Her work has had a significant impact on addressing patient fertility after treatment for breast cancer....She has been a successful author, published in numerous outstanding journals and has received numerous awards from surgical associations...Dr. Jeruss has a reputation for performing cutting edge research while providing outstanding surgical care to oncology patients.”

Dr. Jeruss has been a member of various hospital, medical school, and university committees covering research, education, and ethics. She has been the director of the basic science laboratory at the Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center. She has been a reviewer for several NIH study sections and a member of an NCI Special Emphasis Review Panel. She has served as a reviewer for 11 journals and served on the NICHD Women’s Reproductive Health Research Internal Advisory Committee.

Summary of Recommendation:


Dr. Jeruss is an excellent surgeon and educator who is nationally respected for her seminal contributions in breast cancer research. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Jacqueline S. Jeruss, M.D., Ph.D. as associate professor of surgery, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective September 15, 2014.

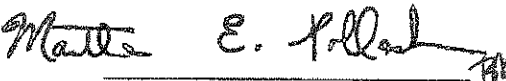
Recommended by:


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

Recommendation endorsed by:


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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Charles A. Parkos, M.D., Ph.D.
TITLES: Chair, Department of Pathology, Carl Vernon Weller Professor
of Pathology, and Professor of Pathology, Medical School
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 15, 2014

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Charles A. Parkos, M.D., Ph.D. as professor of pathology, with tenure, and chair, Department of Pathology, effective September 15, 2014, and the Carl Vernon Weller Professor of Pathology, Medical School, effective September 15, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Academic Degrees:

Dr. Parkos received his M.D. and Ph.D. degrees from the Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation, University of California at San Diego in 1987.

Professional Record:

Dr. Parkos completed a post-doctoral research fellowship at the Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation in 1987 in La Jolla, California and a residency in pathology at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston from 1988 to 1990. This was followed by a fellowship in gastrointestinal pathology from 1990 to 1992, also at Brigham and Women's Hospital. Dr. Parkos was appointed as an assistant professor in the Department of Pathology at Harvard Medical School in 1992. In 1997, he moved to Emory University as an associate professor, with tenure, in the Department of Pathology. He was promoted to professor of pathology in 2003 and received a joint title as professor of pediatrics in 2013.

Summary of Evaluation:

Dr. Parkos' research program is centered on the pathobiology of mucosal inflammation with emphasis on the role of barrier and innate immune cell-epithelial interactions. He is well-funded with three active R01 grants from the National Institutes of Health, a Department of Defense grant, and two T32 training program grants. He has an outstanding publication record, with 146 peer-reviewed articles in high quality journals. He has a record of nearly 100 invited presentations, nationally and internationally, including visiting professorships, seminars, and keynote addresses. Over his career, Dr. Parkos has received numerous national research awards, starting with the Young Investigator Award from the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America and the upcoming Rous-Whipple Award from the American Society for Investigative Pathology to be awarded in 2015.

Recent and Significant Publications

Parkos CA, Colgan SP, Liang T, Nusrat A, Bacarra AE, Carnes DK, Madara JL: CD47 mediates post-adhesive events required for neutrophil migration across polarized intestinal epithelia. *J Cell Biol* 132:473-450, 1996.

Ivanov AI, Nusrat A, Parkos CA: Endocytosis of epithelial apical junctional proteins by a clathrin mediated pathway into a unique storage compartment. *Molec Biol Cell* 15:176-188, 2004.

Laukoetter MG, Nava P, Lee WY, Severson EA, Capaldo CT, Babbin BA, Williams IR, Koval M, Peatman E, Campbell JA, Dermody TS, Nusrat A, Parkos CA: JAM-A regulates permeability and inflammation in the intestine in vivo. *J Exp Med* 204:3067-3076, 2007.

Khounlotham M, Kim W, Peatman E, Nava P, Medina-Contreras O, Addis C, Koch S, Fournier B, Nusrat A, Denning TL, Parkos CA: Compromised intestinal epithelial barrier induces adaptive immune compensation that protects from colitis. *Immunity* 37:563-573, 2012.

Weber DA, Sumagin R, McCall IC, Leoni G, Neumann PA, Andargachew R, Brazil JC, Medina-Contreras O, Denning TL, Nusrat A, Parkos CA: Neutrophil-derived JAML inhibits repair of intestinal epithelial injury during acute inflammation. *Mucosal Immunol* March 12, 2014.

Dr. Parkos has a strong commitment to educational activities, clearly evident from his administrative appointments in the Post-doctoral Training Program and the Medical Scientist Training Program at Emory University. He has presented lectures to medical students and residents, served on thesis committees, supervised numerous postdoctoral students, and tutored graduate students in experimental aspects of pathology. He has also supervised fellows in clinically-oriented gastrointestinal pathology, several of whom now hold academic appointments. He has lectured at national and international venues including the Pasteur Institute and the Max Planck Institute.

External Reviews:

Reviewer A: "...it can only be said that Dr. Parkos is an outstanding leader, an accomplished physician-scientist and a tireless scientific advocate."

Reviewer B: "In addition to his outstanding productivity, it should also be noted that Chuck is a natural born leader. I have had the opportunity to sit on several different study sections and society committees that were chaired by Chuck. His organizational and leadership skills were outstanding in every aspect. As chair, he has always been committed to assembling diverse groups of individuals as well as creating an 'all inclusive' atmosphere. Indeed, the [junior] (and not so [junior]) committee members always felt that their opinions were important and would be given serious consideration."

Reviewer C: "Dr. Parkos is clearly one of the key leaders in investigative academic pathology in the United States. Importantly, he is one of few individuals who successfully combines a passion for investigation with a strong commitment to clinical service and mentoring the next generation of academic physician-scientists."

Reviewer D: "Chuck Parkos is without doubt one of the leading figures in the field of mucosal immunology and inflammation. His rigorous and innovative approach to key questions related to epithelial cell barrier functions have resulted in many seminal publications. Indeed very few people in his field can match the quality and quantity of his high impact factor publications that clearly reflect his position as a leader in this area."

Reviewer E: "...Charles Parkos has been eminently successful as an academician, has made outstanding contributions to the field of epithelial pathobiology, and has established himself as one of the leading investigators in the world. He has contributed greatly to the field of inflammation and disease over the last 25 years and has served the local, regional, national, and international community in a variety of roles."

Reviewer F: "Dr. Parkos has been a member of several NIH Study Sections, served in many committees of national and international scientific organizations and editorial boards, organized countless conferences, and trained well-recognized scientists who now have an independent career in their respective fields. He is highly recognized among colleagues and received numerous awards and honors for his contributions in science and medicine."

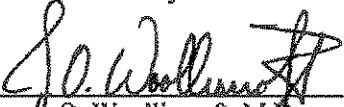
Reviewer G: "...Dr. Parkos is an exceptional clinician-scientist and among the very few clinician-scientists also trained in surgical pathology. He is an outstanding investigator and has taken on very challenging research questions and multiple leadership roles, both within his institution and in professional organizations. He has also distinguished himself as a highly sought-after mentor and has already mentored and helped launch the careers of many [junior] investigators and clinical-scientists."

Dr. Parkos' has served on a number of committees at Emory University including his role as vice chair of the Pathology Department and director of the Experimental Pathology Division. He also served on the promotions committee of the medical school and the Presidential Advisory Committee. Nationally, he has been president of the American Society for Investigative Pathology and served on study sections for the National Institutes of Health. He has been the editor, associate editor, and senior editor on no less than eight medical journals including *Gastroenterology* and the *American Journal of Pathology*. His clinical practice is in gastrointestinal and hepatobiliary pathology.

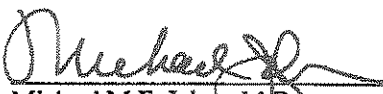
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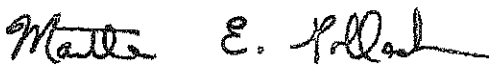
Dr. Parkos is a highly respected physician and scientist who has demonstrated leadership at the national level. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Charles A. Parkos, M.D., Ph.D. as professor of pathology, with tenure, and chair, Department of Pathology, effective September 15, 2014, and the Carl Vernon Weller Professor of Pathology, Medical School, effective September 15, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:


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Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:


Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Jeff Sakamoto

TITLE: Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 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 Jeff Sakamoto as associate professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Sakamoto received his B.S. from California Polytechnic State University, San Juan Obispo in 1996. He received his Ph.D. in materials science and engineering in 2001 from the University of California, Los Angeles.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Upon completion of his Ph.D., Professor Sakamoto assumed the position of post-doctoral scholar at the California Institute of Technology in the NASA-Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL) from 2001 to 2002. He remained at JPL from 2002 to 2005 as a staff scientist, and was promoted to senior staff scientist in 2005. He remained in that position until 2007. Professor Sakamoto joined Michigan State University (MSU) as an assistant professor in 2007 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2013.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Sakamoto is a world-class researcher and leader in the area of electrochemical energy storage materials, thermoelectric materials, and multifunctional, porous materials for spinal cord repair and drug delivery. He has built an outstanding and sustained record of high-impact journal publications (over 50 peer-reviewed manuscripts). He has developed a very strong and well-funded research program with 24 separate grants awarded in the last six years, investigating superionic conducting ceramic electrolytes, solid electrolyte-electrode interfaces and highly-ordered and hierarchical battery electrode architectures.

Professor Sakamoto is an alumnus of the National Academy of Sciences Frontiers of Science where he was an organizing committee member in 2014, an invited speaker in 2013, and a U.S. Delegate in 2011. He is also an alumnus of the National Academy of Engineering Frontiers of Engineering where he served as chair in 2014 and was an invited speaker in 2012. While at MSU, Professor Sakamoto has received the University Teacher-Scholar Award and the College of Engineering Withrow Teaching Excellence Award.

PUBLICATIONS

J. Sakamoto, E. Rangasamy, H.J. Kim, Y.S. Kim and J. Wolfenstine, "Synthesis of nano-scale fast ion conducting cubic $\text{Li}_7\text{La}_3\text{Zr}_2\text{O}_{12}$," *Nanotechnology*, 24, 1-7, 2013.

M. Gao, P. Lu, B. Bednark, D.A. Lynam, J.M. Conner, J. Sakamoto and M. Tuszynski, "Templated agarose scaffolds for the support of motor axon regeneration into sites of complete spinal cord transection," *Biomaterials*, 34, 1529-1536, 2013.

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EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

REVIEWER A: "Professor Jeff Sakamoto is an internationally-recognized leader in electrochemical storage technology, materials and devices...He has obtained and sustained substantial research programs from a diverse range of government and industrial funding sources for many years. He has proven himself to be an innovative and dedicated teacher...His accomplishments warrant a tenured position in any top-ranked university department in his field."

REVIEWER B: "I consider Prof. Sakamoto the leader most likely to tackle successfully the problems of chemical stability and mechanical integrity that are facing Li-La-Zirconate solid electrolytes...Prof. Sakamoto is well on the way to occupy a position of excellence and leadership in energy materials and biomedical materials applications."

REVIEWER C: "...His teaching awards, along with the number of graduate, undergraduates and post docs in his lab is very impressive. He clearly has a passion for education..."

Dr. Sakamoto's publication record has been consistently high in numbers and quality...his service contributions and ability to serve as a leader in the field is essentially reflected in the lectures that he is invited to present and the places that have invited him to do so."

REVIEWER D: "...Dr. Sakamoto has developed not only novel thermoelectric materials containing nanostructures or being composed of nanostructures of the best existing thermoelectric materials, but also mechanically and chemically durable and scalable thermoelectric modules, which has opened new classes of applications for direct thermal-electrical energy conversion. His works are very important contributions to addressing our energy needs...Dr. Sakamoto's work has received national and international recognition... Dr. Sakamoto's accomplishments are also reflected in his impressive publication list of peer reviewed journal papers and conference proceedings..."

REVIEWER E: "...Dr. Sakamoto is a leader in the field of developing biomaterials for spinal cord injury...Dr. Sakamoto is an outstanding teacher and mentor...Dr. Sakamoto has tremendous talent as an engineer, innovator, scientist, mentor and teacher. I can think of few that possess such talent, and he will be a great addition to your department and the University of Michigan."

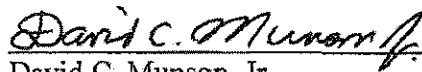
REVIEWER F: "His CV clearly indicates that he has excelled in all areas of research, teaching and service. Dr. Sakamoto's recent research on oxide electrolytes promises for a new generation of safer, higher energy density and more durable batteries for transportation electrification... Dr. Sakamoto already have [sic] patents and significant funding from ARPA-E, so I would expect him to take leadership in this very critical and competitive field for many years to come."

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Professor Sakamoto 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 Mechanical Engineering and the College of Engineering. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jeff Sakamoto as associate professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015.

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
for Academic Affairs

September 2014

Approved by the
Regents
September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Robert Stephenson
TITLE: Professor of Nursing, School of Nursing
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2015
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Nursing, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert Stephenson as professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective January 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Stephenson received his Bachelor of Science degree in demography from the University of Southampton, United Kingdom in 1995. He received his Master of Science degree in medical demography from the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, United Kingdom in 1996. He received his PhD in demography from the University of Southampton, United Kingdom in 1999. He completed his post-doctoral training at the Carolina Population Centre at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 2002.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Stephenson began his academic career as a lecturer in the Department of Social Statistics at the University of Southampton, United Kingdom in 1997; as a lecturer at the Teaching European Statistician (TES) Institute in Luxembourg in 1999; and as a lecturer at the University College London, United Kingdom in 1999. He was a statistical consultant at the University College London, United Kingdom from 1999-2001; a research assistant and a research fellow in the Department of Social Statistics at the University of Southampton, United Kingdom from 1998-2001 and 1999-2001, respectively; and 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 from 2004-2011. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, at Emory University in 2011.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Stephenson is an outstanding educator. He describes using a discursive and interactive approach in the classroom, using real world situations in his assignments to provide students with practical experience in the field of public health. He also has substantial experience mentoring thesis students and enjoys this work. Thesis projects cover a wide range of topics from a HIV prevention

poster to the development of a funding proposal for a school nurse. More than a dozen of his thesis students have presented their work at the Population Association of America annual conference.

Professor Stephenson is an award winning educator, receiving the Student Government Association Professor of the Year award at the School of Public Health in 2006. In 2007, he was awarded the ASPH/Pfizer Early Career in Public Health Excellence in Teaching award, a national award given to early career faculty in public health. He has chaired the MPH committees for over 62 master's level students between 2015-2013, and six doctoral students from 2008-2012. He also actively involves students in his global work, and during the past 10 years he has secured training placements for students in India, Kenya, Bangladesh, Mozambique, Uganda and Ghana.

Professor Stephenson is a consummate researcher who is highly committed to understanding the factors that shape disparities in sexual and reproductive health behaviors and outcomes. He has an established, productive and focused program of research with a current focus on HIV risk among men who have sex with men (MSM) and gay and bisexual men. 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 earlier work focused on maternal health in resource poor settings in sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia.

The high quality of his research is illustrated in part by the fact that his research is regularly funded by the National Institutes of Health (NIH), the highest level of peer review. Professor Stephenson currently has two active R01 grants as the principal investigator (PI) and 12 as co-investigator. He has completed four R-level NIH grants as the PI, one R21 and four R03's. In addition, he has completed multiple foundation grants and multiple internally funded grants. His extramural funding has supported his work consistently since he held a Mellon International Research Award to support his post-doctoral training at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Professor Stephenson publishes in a wide array of journals including some of the most respected journals in his field: *PLOS One*, *AIDS and Behavior*, *JAIDS*, *Archives of Sexual Behavior* and *The Lancet*. Since 2001, he has produced 135 publications. He has published 90 peer reviewed papers with 49 as first author and 13 as the senior author. Scopus reports that Professor Stephenson's work has been cited 1,523 times. This is an impressive track record and it speaks to the relevance of his science.

Professor Stephenson has an excellent reputation among his colleagues and peers for his expertise as a researcher and for his contributions to the field. Professor Stephenson is sought after as a collaborator and mentor as illustrated by his participation in many research projects as a co-investigator. His extensive collaborative work greatly enhances his contribution to the field and provides evidence that he is highly regarded. He is on two editorial Boards, *PLOS One* and *Population Studies and Health*. This is strong evidence of his national reputation. Evidence of his reputation at the national level is provided by his involvement in professional organizations. He regularly presents his research at the annual meeting of the Population Association of America, the largest conference for demographers. He regularly serves as a discussant and as session chair at these meetings as well.

Professor Stephenson is an outstanding citizen in his field and has made impressive contributions to his institution, the field of public health and to the broader scientific community. He has served on both biomedical and social behavioral committees of his university's Institutional Review Board

(IRB), as well as the Admissions Committee and Global Field Experience Committee within his department. He reviews for a wide range of journals including high impact journals such as *Social Science and Medicine*, *American Journal of Public Health* and *The Lancet*. Professor Stephenson has served on multiple peer review panels at the national and international level. He has served on more than 20 grant proposal review panels for NIH and for the Economic and Social Research Council in England. In particular, he has reviewed grants for The Eunice Kennedy Shriver national Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD), National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH), National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID), the Royal Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Denmark) and Wellcome Trust (UK).

He was also heavily involved in the Emory Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender community and for the last five years served on the Emory President's Commission on LGBT Concerns. He was co-chair of this committee from 2007-2008. He also served on the University Senate and University Diversity Leaders Committee. Professor Stephenson currently serves on the Committee on Community and Diversity, appointed by the senior vice provost for community and diversity.

In addition, Professor Stephenson is a member of multiple professional organizations including the British Society of Population Studies, International Union for the Scientific Study of Populations, Union of African Populations Studies and the American Public Health Association.

PUBLICATIONS

Dynes, M., Stephenson, R., Hadley, C. and Sibley, L. (2014). "Factors shaping interactions among community health workers in rural Ethiopia." *Journal of Midwifery and Women's Health*, 2014 Jan; 59 Suppl. 1:S32-43.

Sharma, A., Stephenson, R., White, D. and Sullivan, P. (2014). "Acceptability and intended Usage preference for six HIV testing options among internet-using men who have sex with men." *SpringerPlus*, 2014, 3:109.

Bernstein, E., Scully, P., Gbaintor-Johnson, K. and Stephenson, R. (2013). "Intimate Partner Violence and Civic Education in Liberia: a Mixed-Methods Study in Two Monrovia Settlements." *Journal of Peacebuilding and Development*, Volume 8, Issue 3, 2013, pp.69-74.

Stephenson, R., Sato, K. and Finneran, C. (2013). "Dyadic, partner and social network influences on intimate partner violence among male-male couples." *Western Journal of Emergency Medicine*, 2013 August; 14(4):316-23.

Elfstrom, K. and Stephenson, R. (2012). "The role of place in shaping contraceptive use among women in Africa." *PLoS ONE*, 7(7): e40670.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

"He has an excellent record of scholarship in multiple areas -- sexual and reproductive health in low-income settings, and more recently the health of sexual minorities in the U.S. His work is respected and routinely cited; no scholar conducting research on community effects on health, or on the causes

and consequences of domestic violence, can ignore Stephenson's research. And he has been impressively successful during the past decade in developing an energetic and diverse program of research on the health of sexual minorities in the U.S.”

Reviewer (B)

“[Professor] Stephenson’s record demonstrates a sustained trajectory of significant research that has led to transformational change, with accompanying teaching and service contributions. His research contributions are exemplary and teaching and service comparable to other nursing leaders in the field.”

Reviewer (C)

“[Professor] Stephenson has been instrumental in keeping the issue of violence against marginalized men, particularly men who have sex with men, in the forefront through his sustained scholarship in this area.”

Reviewer (D)

“[Professor] Stephenson has an extremely impressive career of accomplishments focusing his work on HIV prevention and care of vulnerable groups both nationally and internationally.”

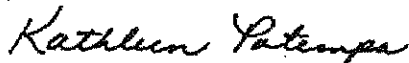
Reviewer (E)

“He appears very focused and highly productive. By highly productive I mean he publishes and has at least 10 NIGH grants. He [also] has an impressive looking teaching record...”

SUMMARY

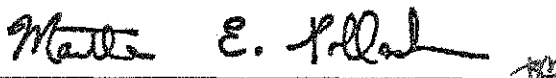
Professor Stephenson is a solid researcher and educator. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert Stephenson as professor of nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing, effective January 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Kathleen Potempa
Dean, School of Nursing

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

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September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Promotion Approval

NAME: Maxim V. Sytch

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Management and Organizations, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Associate Professor of Management and Organizations, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

It is recommended that Maxim V. Sytch, assistant professor of management and organizations, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, be promoted to associate professor of management and organizations, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014.

Academic Degrees

PhD	2009	Management and Organizations, Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University
MBA	2002	Oklahoma City University, Oklahoma City, OK
BSB	2000	Oklahoma City University – Moscow State University (Ulyanovsk Branch)

Professional Record:

2012 – 2013	Sanford R. Robertson Assistant Professor of Business Administration, University of Michigan, Stephen M. Ross School of Business
2009 – present	Assistant Professor of Management and Organizations, University of Michigan, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

Summary of Evaluation:

Teaching: Professor Sytch is one of our finest teachers. It is almost hard to believe how well—and consistently well—Professor Sytch performs in teaching the MBA core in the full-time MBA program. He has done this since his first semester at Ross. His ratings are consistently the highest. He was nominated for the Teaching Excellence Award, Ross Full-Time MBA program, in 2010, 2011, and 2013. He will be teaching the core again this fall. Poets & Quants named Professor Sytch one of the Top 40 Under 40 among all business-school professors around the world. This ranking considers both teaching and research, but gives most weight teaching. Professor Sytch also works with our doctoral students. Senior faculty who have worked with him in this regard noted that he is “so kind and so generous” with our doctoral students.

Research: Professor Sytch is a macro-organizational scholar who examines the dynamics of the social structures of markets and the evolution of interorganizational networks. His work shows how emergent structures influence various firm-level and collective outcomes. He asks big, important, fundamental and difficult questions about the evolution of networks of cooperation and competition.

and consequences for firms and industries. His work is at the cutting-edge of theory and methods. He assembles massive data sets and uses the right tools (e.g., longitudinal analysis, survey analysis, agent-based modeling and qualitative analysis) to answer research questions. In all of his work, Professor Sytch demonstrates keen intellect, sophisticated understanding of theory, a “nose” for asking great research questions, and meticulous attention to analytical details. Professor Sytch’s work makes contributions in several areas. In a short time, he has achieved significant stature in the field, with both a national and international reputation. He has the second highest citation count among the 30+ peers included in our peer analysis. He has published six A-level articles, putting him in the top group among his peers. Beyond mere counts, each of his articles is a masterpiece. Professor Sytch has consistently produced scholarship of the highest quality.

Recent and Significant Publications:

Tatarynowicz, Adam, Maxim Sytch, and Ranjay Gulati. Provisionally Accepted. “The Evolution of Collaborative Interfirm Networks: Variations in Social Structure and Knowledge Diffusion.” *Administrative Science Quarterly*.

Sytch, Maxim and Adam Tatarynowicz. In Press. “Friends and Foes: The Dynamics of Dual Social Structures.” *Academy of Management Journal*.

Sytch, Maxim. 2014. “Caveat Emptor: Too Close to the Lawyers’ Den,” Revise and Resubmit at *Organization Science*. (Best Paper Award, Academy of Management, OMT Division, 2010.)

Sytch, Maxim and Adam Tatarynowicz. 2014. “Exploring the locus of invention: The Structure and Dynamics of Network Communities and a Firm’s Invention Performance.” *Academy of Management Journal*, 57(1): 249-279.

Gulati, Ranjay and Maxim Sytch. 2007. “Dependence Asymmetry and Joint Dependence in Interorganizational Relationships: Effects of Embeddedness on Exchange Performance.” *Administrative Science Quarterly* 52: 32-69.

Service: Substantial service is not a large component of an assistant professor’s tenure case, but here, too, Professor Sytch excels, especially for a person at his rank. For example, he was the MO Brown Bag coordinator from 2011 – 2014, and he also served as area core course coordinator. He actively participates in area meetings and events. He has participated on faculty subcommittees conducting formal reviews of lecturers and adjuncts. Professor Sytch is active in the Academy of Management, and has organized, chaired, and participated in many Professional Development Workshops (PDWs) and symposia. He is a well-regarded and sought after reviewer. Evidence of this high-level of service includes the Best Reviewer Award, Business Policy and Strategy Division, Academy of Management, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007; and Best Reviewer Award, Organization and Management Theory Division, Academy of Management, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2013. Two external letter writers also noted his “outstanding” contributions as a reviewer for *Organization Science*.

External Reviewers:

Reviewer A: “...Professor Sytch is a highly respected scholar with a strong research agenda and ongoing program of scholarly work. I believe he is destined to sustain the quantity and quality of his accomplishments. His record is fantastic and I am confident he will continue to be productive and visible in the management and related fields. His record is one of the strongest files I have reviewed for promotion and tenure in the last 5 years. I hold him in very high regard.”

Reviewer B: "This is an easy letter to write. Maxim is clearly a budding star. To preview my thoughts, Maxim is a leading junior scholar in organization theory whose work also has important implications for strategy...and is at the cutting-edge of theory and methods. ...Maxim has a stellar record and a very strong promotion case."

Reviewer C: "In sum, I think the available evidence suggests that Maxim fully deserves tenure at Michigan. He is an accomplished [junior] scholar with a very interesting and relevant research agenda and proven productivity, which has attracted attention in the academic world. His record is very likely to grant him tenure at...and in many top academic schools."


Reviewer D: "...Professor Sytch is an internationally recognized and highly capable and productive scholar with an impressive research record. His work has made important contributions to the fields of organization theory and social networks and his teaching and service records are exemplary. Thus, I believe that Prof. Sytch can be a strong candidate for tenured associate professor positions in leading business schools."

Reviewer E: "My overall impression of Professor Sytch's work is outstanding and I consider him to be a leading scholar in the field of interorganizational networks. ...Professor Sytch is a researcher that I hold in the very highest regard and is the kind of scholar I personally would want as a colleague."

Summary of Recommendation:


Professor Sytch is a top-notch scholar who will continue to produce research of the highest quality, as he continues to be an outstanding teacher and provides service to Ross, our university, and the profession. The Executive Committee and I enthusiastically recommend Maxim V. Sytch for promotion to associate professor of management and organizations, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Alison Davis-Blake
Edward J. Frey Dean of Business
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

September 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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September 18, 2014

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Bruce M. Tharp
TITLE: Associate Professor of Art and Design, Penny W. Stamps School
of Art and Design
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Bruce M. Tharp as associate professor of art and design, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2014.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Tharp received a Bachelor of Science degree in mechanical engineering from Bucknell University in 1989, a Master of Industrial Design degree from the Pratt Institute in 1996, a Master of Arts degree in sociocultural anthropology from the University of Chicago in 2000, and a Ph.D. in sociocultural anthropology, also from the University of Chicago, in 2006.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Tharp joined the faculty of the School of Design at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) in 2010 as an associate professor, with tenure, and director of graduate studies. Previously, he was an associate professor, with tenure, in the Department of Architecture, Interior Architecture + Designed Objects at the School of the Art Institute of Chicago. He is a principal and designer for Materious in Chicago, and prior to his academic career, he held positions at several design firms, including serving as an anthropologist/design researcher at Haworth Inc., and was an executive officer and platoon leader in the US Army.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Tharp is widely recognized as a leader in the field of design and design education, with strong credentials in research, practice, and teaching. His writings on discursive design, design thinking, entrepreneurship, and industrial design have been widely disseminated, and his essay *Four Fields of Design* (2009, Core77), co-authored with Stephanie Tharp, is utilized in design programs throughout the world. He is currently completing the book Tools for Thinking: Discursive Design (co-authored with Stephanie Tharp). In addition to his scholarly work, Professor Tharp maintains a robust professional design practice that seeks to positively impact individuals and the broader culture through both commercial and provocative exploration of everyday domestic objects. His designs have been recognized with awards and commissions, and he is the holder of numerous patents.

Professor Tharp is an energetic, attentive, and inventive educator, one who offers a learning environment that is grounded in theory and research and embraces emerging technologies and trends. Students praise his focus on rigor, critical thinking, and “real world” applications of classroom experience, and his ability to combine the roles of academician/scholar and established designer. At previous institutions, he developed and initiated a professional practice track in entrepreneurship for upper-level undergraduate and graduate students, created courses in product licensing and product venturing, and initiated courses in collaboration with industry partners. Professor Tharp’s successful record of incorporating professional practice into a research university curriculum as well as designing graduate-level curricula are particularly applicable to the strategic goals of the Stamps School, and he is well positioned to be a leading voice in the future of design education at the University.

Professor Tharp has been a committed and highly engaged citizen at his current institution. In addition to his administrative role as director of graduate studies, he has served on the Executive Committee; tenure/promotion, personnel, search, and curriculum committees; and coordinated a range of school projects and events. He maintains a strong presence in professional societies and is an influential speaker and writer within the industrial and broader design communities.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

“His background is quite different from that of a traditional industrial designer...He has been designing objects targeted for individual users that appeal to their personal experiences. I think his unique design background will be a positive addition to the other faculty members who have mass-manufacture product design backgrounds...”

Reviewer (B)

“Dr. Tharp is prolific, experimental, critical and cool. His reinterpretations of everyday objects into discursive, dialogic things push design into new directions and set the stage for thoughtful, imaginative practice...He has cleverly applied his training in design, engineering and anthropology in the creation of artifacts that are aesthetically stunning and well manufactured, while serving as narratives of everyday culture.”

Reviewer (C)

“I am impressed by his interpretation of the relationship between research, theory and making...As a successful designer, Bruce’s products are sold on the market and can also be seen in exhibitions. Bruce is not just an intellectual who excels in design logic, he is a maker.”

Reviewer (D)

“His advocacy for design work not overtly commercial in nature is perfectly aligned with the times, and his work around taxonomies and the intentions of design has been instructive—indeed revelatory—to many students...it is a rare individual who is versed and comfortable in both academic rigor and professional practice...”

Reviewer (E)

“His years in higher education show continuing growth and development as a teacher and in his continuing education, culminating in his Ph.D. in Sociocultural Anthropology, a degree particularly appropriate as it allows him to focus on what people may want and/or need, rather than simply on what market segment a manufacturer might hope to penetrate or dominate.”

Reviewer (F)

"While many other design programs across the country treat design education like a pragmatic trade school, I get the impression that Bruce's approach is more intellectual and holistic. His teaching treats design as both cultural production AND a business skill...His program seems to strike a healthy balance between theory and practice, with the right mix of sculpture, problem-solving, cultural questioning and market strategy. This mix has the ability to educate well-rounded designers."

Reviewer (G)

"He is not only theoretical, but expresses his ideas in designing products. And these products are not only beautiful, but intriguing in concept and provoke thought and discussion, which is exactly his intent. This puts Bruce at a level above most any ID professors, in theory and practice."

Reviewer (H)

"Bruce is well respected and known for both his writing on design and more importantly for his creative work."

SIGNIFICANT RECENT WORK AND ACTIVITIES

- 2014 "Most Wanted" Exhibition Award. Chicagoland at Wanted Design. New York, NY.
- 2013 Tharp, B. and Tharp, S. "Discursive Design Basics: Mode and Audience." In *NORDES 2013: Experiments in design research online proceedings, 9-12 June 2013*, Eds. Eva Brandt, Pelle Ehn, et al. (Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, Copenhagen, Denmark).
- 2013 Tharp, B. "Discursive Design: Brand Building, User Research, and Entrepreneurship." Plenary Speaker, Industrial Design Society of America, Midwest Conference, April 2013.
- 2013 Tharp, B. "Opening the Kimono: Confidentiality and the NDA." Core77 (January 7, 2013).
- 2013 Trade Shows: Exhibition of product designs at over 40 national and international trade shows, including Trendset/DFP Design, Munich, Germany; Maison&Objet, Paris, France; Home and Giving Fair, Sydney, Australia; New York International Gift Fair; Interior Lifestyle China; Top Drawer, London, England; and Shanghai Ambiente.
- 2012 Nominee, Cooper-Hewitt National Design Award.
- 2012 Tharp, B. "Product Licensing in an Era of Open Innovation." Core77 (July 29, 2012).

SUMMARY

Bruce M. Tharp is an established scholar, thinker and maker, and a leader among a new generation of industrial designers and design educators. He will play a significant role in the renaissance of design education at the Stamps School and will elevate the school's profile as an emerging hub for contemporary design and design thinking. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Bruce M. Tharp as associate professor of art and design, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

August 2014

**INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED**

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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Approved by the
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September 18, 2014

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Stephanie Tharp
TITLE: Associate Professor of Art and Design, Penny W. Stamps School
of Art and Design
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephanie Tharp as associate professor of art and design, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2014.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Stephanie Tharp received a Bachelor of Science degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Michigan in 1994 and a Master of Industrial Design degree from the Rhode Island School of Design in 2000.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Tharp joined the faculty of the School of Design at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) in 2002 as an assistant professor of industrial design, and was promoted to associate professor of industrial design, with tenure, in 2008. In addition to her instructional role at UIC, Professor Tharp served as program coordinator for industrial design from 2003 to 2012 and in 2013 was appointed as program chair for industrial design. She is a principal and designer for Materious in Chicago, and prior to joining the UIC faculty, she served as an interaction designer and production coordinator for MIT's OpenCourseWare project, and held positions at several design firms and at Ford Motor Company.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Tharp is a highly-regarded designer, educator, and administrator, with strong credentials in research, practice, teaching, and program design. She employs a highly human-centered approach to design, and she is a leading voice in bridging the gap between commercial and exploratory design while creating products that are imaginative and aesthetically appealing. Her writings have been widely disseminated, her creative work has been exhibited internationally and recognized with awards and nominations, and she has a successful track record in curriculum design and implementation. She is currently completing the book Tools for Thinking: Discursive Design (co-authored with Bruce Tharp).

Professor Tharp's record as a writer and thinker, professional practitioner, and design educator match the strategic needs of the school, and she will play a leading role in the school's renewed focus on educating designers and incorporating design thinking into the broader curricula. She is a gifted, organized, and

motivating instructor. Her strengths include a commitment to student achievement and the ability to adapt her teaching methods to fit changing student needs; an emphasis on critical design theory and aesthetics coupled with a direct application of coursework to industry; and, successful experience in developing curricula to create a more competitive and contemporary design program. Former students describe Professor Tharp as an inspirational female figure in a predominantly male-dominated field. Her appointment will fill critical gaps in the teaching of industrial design, design theory, discursive design, design thinking, and design drawing.

Professor Tharp is a dedicated university citizen, with a strong record of service and administrative contributions at her current institution. She has held a range of leadership roles, most recently serving as industrial design program chair. In addition, she has served on school and college-wide Executive Committees; curriculum, personnel, and promotion and tenure committees; and as a representative to the UIC Senate. She has been active in the Industrial Designers Society of America, the primary professional organization in her field. The extent and significance of her administrative and curriculum development contributions bode well for her potential to take on similar leadership roles at the Stamps School.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

“Perhaps the most significant contribution Professor Tharp has made, and continues to build for the field of Industrial Design, is centered on her work on discursive design. Her work focuses on issues beyond utility & function to explore and challenge social, humanitarian and ecological conventions in everyday life. She has developed an extremely thoughtful and well-integrated approach – she designs, produces, exhibits and writes about the role and impact of the artifacts we design.”

Reviewer (B)

“As a scholar she is creating a rich and fertile territory of inquiry. As a practitioner she is productively linking her academic research and professional work. And as a professional academic she is doing significant work for her department and her school.”

Reviewer (C)

“...Stephanie has found a unique way to creatively position industrial design in a sweet spot of the continuum she describes as pragmatic-imaginative. Much of her work is visually stunning, demonstrating that design provocations need not sacrifice attention to detail and craft...The newer frontier of discursive design she advocates through her work represents a valid thrust in moving the profession beyond purely commercial pursuits.”

Reviewer (D)

“In terms of service, Tharp has evidenced a significant and sustained period of curriculum and program development at UIC, and participation in professional societies...She would be an asset to any faculty.”

Reviewer (E)

“...she is well versed in the contemporary themes and issues of the profession and in many cases is leading the conversation, particularly when bridging the gap between commercial and exploratory design...she also teaches important current topics and skills, such as form development, form semantics, contextual research, iterative prototyping, design process, user testing, scenario development, and detail design. This shows excellent breadth.”

SIGNIFICANT RECENT WORK AND ACTIVITIES

- 2013 Tharp, B. and Tharp, S. "Discursive Design Basics: Mode and Audience." In *NORDES 2013: Experiments in design research online proceedings, 9-12 June 2013*, Eds. Eva Brandt, Pelle Ehn, et al. (Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, Copenhagen, Denmark).
- 2013 Juried Exhibition: Accent on Design, NY NOW, New York, NY.
- 2013 Product Debuts: Fill-n-Flip measuring cup, DoubleStop door stop at International Home and Housewares Show, Chicago, IL.
- 2013 Trade Shows: Exhibition of product designs at over 40 national and international trade shows, including Trendset/DFP Design, Munich, Germany; Maison&Objet, Paris, France; Home and Giving Fair, Sydney, Australia; New York International Gift Fair; Interior Lifestyle China; Top Drawer, London, England; and Shanghai Ambiente.
- 2012 Nominee, Cooper-Hewitt National Design Award.
- 2012 Exhibition: DesignWorld: Designing the New World. Design Museum, Helsinki, Finland.
- 2011 Bohnert, Amy, Randall, Edin, Tharp, Stephanie, Germann, Julie, "The Development and Evaluation of a Portion Plate for Youth: A Pilot Study." *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior*, Vol. 43:4 (July 2011), pp. 268-273.

SUMMARY

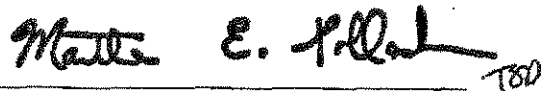
Stephanie Tharp is an exceptional designer and a committed educator and university citizen. She is well-positioned – as both a thinker and a maker – to play a significant role in reinvigorating design education throughout the undergraduate and graduate curricula, and through her robust professional practice, to elevate the school's profile as an emerging hub for contemporary design and design thinking. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephanie Tharp as associate professor of art and design, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

August 2014

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Regents
September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Kentaro Toyama
TITLES: Associate Professor of Information, School of Information
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2015
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the faculty of the School of Information, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Kentaro Toyama as associate professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, effective January 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Toyama received his B.A. from Harvard University in 1991 and his Ph.D. in 1998 from Yale University in computer science.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Toyama was a member of the research staff at Microsoft Research from 1998-2004. From 2004-2009 he was the co-founder and assistant managing director at Microsoft Research India. Since 2010, Professor Toyama has been a senior researcher in the School of Information at the University of California, Berkeley.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Toyama's research embodies an orientation to using information technology to change the world that is central to the School of Information's mission. This orientation is best reflected through his leadership of and contributions to an emerging field called Information and Communication Technology for Development (ICTD, also referred to as ICT4D). Stated briefly, ICTD research has the goal of applying information technology to meet the needs of underserved populations, particularly in the domains of economic and social development. Professor Toyama's interest in ICTD took off in 2004 when he co-founded Microsoft Research India in Bangalore. During his five year residency in Bangalore, Professor Toyama initiated work on two key research questions. First, he wondered how novel computing technologies could be applied to meet the needs of the world's poorer communities. Second, he wanted to know how technologies in use impact these communities. To address the feasibility and impact of information technology to meet the needs of poorer communities, Professor Toyama and his colleagues engaged in a program of over fifty projects to develop, deploy and evaluate systems. These projects included an invention to allow multiple students to simultaneously interact with a single computer and the use of locally-produced digital videos to improve dissemination of agricultural innovations. The first instance went on to become a Microsoft product and the second instance became the basis for a non-profit serving over ten

thousand villages with \$40 million in support from the Indian government and the Gates Foundation. Overall, Professor Toyama has authored or co-authored 97 refereed publications and his work has been cited more than nine thousand times. It is significant to note that before turning to ICTD research, Professor Toyama was a leader in computer vision. He received the 2002 David Marr prize for the best paper in computer vision and patents from this work were incorporated in the Microsoft Kinect technology.

Professor Toyama has spent most of his career in industrial research labs. However, he has embraced opportunities to teach classes and provide close educational mentoring to students. His teaching has been at a uniformly high level. In classrooms, Professor Toyama has taught seven courses since completing his Ph.D. For example, in 2002 he took a one-year sabbatical from Microsoft to develop and teach the first calculus course for Ashesi University in Ghana, which received effusive praise from the university president. Second, in 2011 he co-taught an ICTD seminar at Berkeley for graduate and upper-level undergraduate students in their information school. Finally, in 2010, Professor Toyama helped organize and teach in a Microsoft Research Summer School on computing for socio-economic development. As a mentor, Professor Toyama has served on four doctoral thesis committees. In addition, he was deeply involved with the design and leadership of the internship program at Microsoft Research India (which accepted up to 150 students each summer). An internship at Microsoft Research is an educational undertaking during which university students engage in intense research activity alongside fulltime research staff. These are generally the most highly sought internships by top university students in appropriate fields. Professor Toyama directly supervised 54 interns (over 40 of them during his time in India): top students drawn from top universities around the world (mostly from the United States). Many of them became his co-authors.

PUBLICATIONS

- Medhi, I. M. Lakshmanan, K. Toyama, and E. Cutrell. (2013). Some evidence for the impact of limited education on hierarchical user interface navigation. In *Proceeding of the SIGCHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI' 13)*. (pp.2813-2822). New York: ACM.
- Medhi, I., W. Thies, K. Toyama, and E. Brunskill. Designing Mobile Interfaces for Novice and Low-Literacy Users. (2011) *Transactions on Computer-Human Interaction*.
- Toyama, K. (2010) "Human-Computer Interaction and Global Development," *Foundations and Trends in Human-Computer Interaction*: Vol. 4: No 1, pp 1-79.
- Smyth, Thomas N., Kumar, S., Medhi, I., and Toyama, K. (2010) Where There's a Will There's a Way: Mobile Media Sharing in Urban India. *Proceedings of the 28th International Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems*. (Atlanta, GA.). CHI '09. New York: ACM.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWERS

Reviewer A: "[Professor Toyama] has much more to offer to the research community, as a scientist, teacher, analyst and most of all as an entrepreneurial intellectual leader. I have no doubt that your School will gain significantly by his presence and hence would strongly recommend him for a faculty position (with tenure) in a leadership role."

Reviewer B: "[Professor Toyama] has been a leader in developing the interdisciplinary field that is currently labeled Information and Communication Technologies for Development (ICTD), and led a very strong body of work produced by Microsoft Research India, which has been characterized as

'Interventionist ICTD,' meaning that the projects combined technology innovation with an evaluation of impact."

Reviewer C: "...Dr. Toyama's record is that of a superb researcher at the pinnacle of his field, who has not only excellent research skills but perhaps more importantly, invaluable leadership skills."

Reviewer D: "[Professor Toyama] has exceptional research talent, and has an excellent eye for interesting and important problems. He is not afraid to take intellectual risks or to tackle difficult questions. Significantly, his research results are also of direct benefit to real people."

Reviewer E: "[Professor Toyama] collaborates with a wide range of disciplinary partners. He is a well-respected mentor and teacher to junior ICT4D researcher."

Reviewer F: "...[Professor] Toyama is much more than a prolific research, educator, mentor, fundraiser and speaker. He is a visionary, a true thought leader, and a mover and shaker."

Reviewer G: "I recommend [Professor Toyama] to you without reservation; you won't regret hiring him. I would much prefer to keep him at [my institution], but we don't have the faculty slots."

Reviewer H: "..., [Professor] Toyama is the spokesman for the field, and he has been a leader in developing conference, working on publication, and creating a domain of informed and serious discourse that crosses into both the academic and industrial world."


Reviewer I: "[Professor Toyama's] developing theory of amplification provides a potential path for understanding the role of technology in all human endeavors and for guiding future efforts."

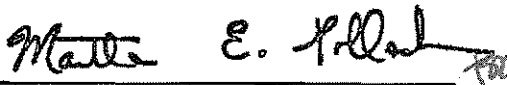
SUMMARY

Kentaro Toyama is an impressive leader, educator and researcher. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Kentaro Toyama as associate professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, effective January 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Jeffrey K. Mackie-Mason
Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of
Information and Computer Science, Professor
of Economics and Public Policy, and
Dean, School of Information


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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Recommendations for approval of new appointments
and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks,
without tenure

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Matias del Campo
TITLE: Associate Professor of Architecture, A. Alfred Taubman
College of Architecture and Urban Planning
TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

With the support of the Executive Committee of the A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Matias del Campo as associate professor of architecture, without tenure, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, effective September 1, 2014.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor del Campo received a Master's of Architecture degree in 2003 from the University of Applied Arts Vienna – die Angewandte.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor del Campo is an internationally recognized architect and co-founder with Sandra Manninger of the international architecture office SPAN. In addition to his practice, Professor del Campo has a demonstrated commitment to teaching. Until recently he held a teaching appointment at the University of Applied Arts Vienna – die Angewandte where he received, together with Sandra Manninger, a scientific research grant to explore advanced, computational fabrication methods. He has taught as a visiting professor at various institutions including the Dessau Institute of Architecture, the International University of Catalunya and the University of Pennsylvania. Most recently, Professor del Campo was the 2012 Eliel Saarinen Visiting Professor at the Taubman College.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor del Campo's creative practice, SPAN, is known for its innovative use of geometry in combination with the opportunities presented by digitally guided technology. Employing some of the most sophisticated digital design and fabrication tools, SPAN has been recognized as one of the leaders of a new generation of form based practices. The practice investigates how cultural contingencies in tension with environmental forces can be used to shape architectural bodies. While the work follows the lineage of Baroque's architectural thinking, the design is firmly rooted in persistent preoccupations with biology and botany. The firm has become known internationally through provocative projects such as the Australian Pavilion at EXPO Shanghai;

the Microblur project commissioned by Microsoft Austria; and the Austrian Winery Boon exhibition design for ACF in New York commissioned by the Architecture Center in Vienna.

The work of SPAN has been extensively exhibited and published internationally, with more than 20 exhibitions worldwide including the Venice Biennale, the Architecture Biennale in Beijing, ArchiLab in Orléans, and the RIBA Gallery in London. Most notably, the work of SPAN was the subject of a solo exhibition at the MAK Museum of Applied Arts Vienna. Books citing the work of SPAN include Mark Burry's Scripting Culture, Lisa Iwamoto's Digital Fabrications and Neil Leach and Xu Wei-Guo's Machinic Processes. Peer reviewed proceedings include ACADIA, Design Modeling Symposium, Concrete Geometries Symposium, and the Innovative Design and Construction Technologies Symposium.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWERS

Reviewer A: "The scope of Professor del Campo's work focuses on spatial articulation, components, organization and structure lending itself to creative curatorial and architecture projects. Through this research and architectural scrutinizing Professor del Campo is able to present the manifold qualities of contemporary approaches to architectural design techniques."

Reviewer B: "[He is] one of the leading figures in an emerging group of form-based architectural practices in Europe, and as such is an important voice in the field. Through both conceptual and realized designs, as well as in writing and teaching that all look to sophisticated digital design and fabrication tools as a means towards creating unusual and compelling forms, Professor del Campo is advancing a position in the field that has garnered significant attention."

Reviewer C: "...del Campo is totally immersed in recent developments in design computation and its potential for architecture. Additionally, he and his collaborators, seek to meld artistic, cultural and technical advances and observations into singular formal, material and spatial results- an admirable quest. It is no small feat for a relatively young architectural practice to find an audience in print yet SPAN's work has been published in 11 books to date most notably the 4 edited by respected author and educator Neil Leach as well as Digital Fabrications by UC Professor and San Francisco architect Lisa Iwamoto."

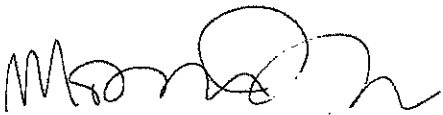
Reviewer D: "...Matias Del Campo's reputation is as an important voice among second-generation digital formalists. Matias is not only a skilled computational designer, but he makes a significant effort to place these designs into larger intellectual contexts – whether they be about fabrication, toy culture or biology. As such, I would qualify this work as not only a relevant design practice, but as a form of intensive academic research."

Reviewer E: "The quality, quantity, focus and intensity of his writings, research, creative work and teaching are impressive. Professor del Campo presents a strong and rigorous portfolio of work and creative research which is focused and targeted...Professor del Campo's focus on digital technologies and fabrication provides an interesting, mature and critical lens to the kind of work being produced in the contemporary field of architecture and design."

SUMMARY

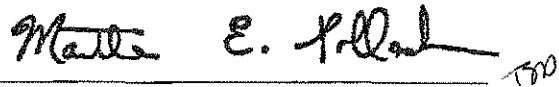
Professor del Campo's practice and teaching will augment the relationship between our fabrication facilities and design studios, enhancing the research being conducted in our robotics fabrication lab. Equally significant, Professor del Campo will expand the international presence of the Taubman College by exposing our students to the intricacies of a global practice. I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Matias del Campo as associate professor of architecture, without tenure, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED 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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

August 2014

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Fei Gao
TITLE: Professor of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological
Sciences, College of Engineering
TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Fei Gao as professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Gao received his B.S. in physics from Lanzhou University in Lanzhou, China in 1983, as well as his M.S. in condensed matter physics in 1987. In 1995, he completed his Ph.D. in materials science and engineering from the University of Liverpool in the United Kingdom.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Gao began his career in 1987 as a lecturer at Lanzhou University. In 1991, he assumed the position of research assistant at the University of Liverpool while working on his Ph.D. In 1994, he was promoted to research associate. After completion of his Ph.D., he remained at the University of Liverpool and became a senior research fellow in the Department of Materials Science and Engineering. In 2000, he joined the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory in Washington as a research scientist. He was promoted to senior research scientist III in 2001 and to senior research scientist IV in 2004. In 2008 he was promoted to chief scientist. In addition to his appointment as chief scientist, Professor Gao has held an adjunct professor appointment at Washington State University since 2010.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Gao is considered to be a top expert in his field. His work is very well respected amongst his peers and colleagues. His expertise lies in an integrated experimental multi-scale computer simulation approach to study material behavior under extreme conditions. In addition, Professor Gao has many years of experience in developing interatomic potentials and multi-scale simulation methods to deal with microstructure evolution in materials. Professor Gao has a long track record of doing innovative and high-impact work in the modeling and simulation of nuclear

materials. He has made significant contributions to the development of methods, as well as applications of new methods to critical nuclear materials problems. Professor Gao's curriculum vitae lists over 250 refereed journal papers and he has published four book chapters.

Professor Gao has served as an academic editor of the *American Institute of Physics* and as a guest editor for a number of journals in his field. Since 2006, he has delivered more than 35 invited lectures at university seminars, national laboratories and professional conferences, and organized or chaired a number of national and international conferences.

PUBLICATIONS

J.Y. Bang, S. Meng, Y.Y. Sun, D. West, Z.G. Wang, F. Gao and S.B. Zhang, "Regulating Energy Transfer of Excited Carriers: The Case for Excitation Induced Hydrogen Dissociation on Hydrogenated Graphene," *Proceedings of the National Academy of Science of the United States of America*, 110(2013), 908.

Z. Wang, M. Gu, Y. Zhou, X. Zu, J.G. Connell, J. Xiao, D.E. Perea, L.J. Lauhon, J. Bang, S. Zhang, C.M. Wang and F. Gao, "Electron-Rich Driven Electrochemical Solid-State Amorphization in Li-Si Alloys," *Nano Letters*, 13(2013), 4511.

M.P. Prange, R.M. Van Ginhoven, N. Govind and F. Gao, "Formation, stability and mobility of self-trapped excitations in NaI and NaI(Tl)," *Physical Review B*, 87(2013), 115101.

F. Gao, H.Y. Xiao, Y. Zhou, R. Devanathan, S.Y. Hu, Y. Li, X. Sun and M.A. Khaleel, "Ab Initio Study of Defect Properties in YPO₄," *Computational Materials Science*, 54(2012), 170.

F. Gao, H. Deng, H.L. Heinisch and R.J. Kurtz, "A new Fe-He interatomic potential based on ab initio calculations in α -Fe," *Journal of Nuclear Materials*, 418(2011), 115.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

REVIEWER A: "...Dr. Gao will make an excellent addition to the Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences at Michigan. He has demonstrated an extended period of highly productive research, expertise in a wide range of simulation methods..."

REVIEWER B: "Dr. Gao has a remarkable record of professional achievements...His record of achievements...compares well with full professors at major academic institutions."

REVIEWER C: "...Dr. Gao is a truly outstanding researcher, and a highly accomplished leader in the field of modeling radiation damage and microstructural evolution...Dr. Gao will be able to develop a highly successful academic research program in a university setting...Dr. Fei Gao has a long track record of doing innovative and high-impact work in the modeling and simulation of nuclear materials...Dr. Gao's work has greatly advanced the field of microscopic mechanisms of radiation damage, and the development of nuclear fuels, fuel cladding and reactor internal materials."

REVIEWER D: "...I consider that Dr. Fei Gao is one of the leading researcher [sic] in the field of nuclear materials modeling and I am convinced that he is a very suitable candidate for a post of full Professor of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences..."

REVIEWER E: "Fei Gao is an exceptional scientist...His work has led to new understanding of the behavior of materials under irradiation in fission reactors...Dr. Gao's results have directly and positively impacted the nuclear energy field by enabling improved models of nuclear fuel performance in nuclear reactors and in nuclear waste repositories...Dr. Gao's work has gained him international recognition. The quality of Dr. Gao's work and the significant impact of his publications would make him an outstanding candidate for a similar position at a major university in US and abroad."

REVIEWER F: "I would consider him to be one of the top five most promising researchers worldwide in the category of computational materials science for radiation environments...Fei Gao has demonstrated a very successful track record as a researcher who is making valuable contributions to the fields of materials science and nuclear engineering. I believe his future prospects are very promising and therefore consider him to be a very well qualified candidate..."

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Professor Gao 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 Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences and the College of Engineering. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Fei Gao as professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Benjamin M. Hampstead, Ph.D.
TITLES: Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Medical School
TENURE STATUS: Without tenure
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

On the recommendation of Gregory W. Dalack, M.D., Chair of the Department of Psychiatry, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Benjamin M. Hampstead, Ph.D. as associate professor of psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014.

Academic Degree:

Dr. Hampstead received his Ph.D. degree in clinical psychology from Drexel University in 2006.

Professional Record:

Dr. Hampstead completed a clinical psychology/neuropsychology internship from 2005 to 2006 and a fellowship in clinical neuropsychology from 2006 to 2008 at Emory University. He was appointed as an assistant professor of rehabilitation medicine at Emory University in 2008. He was concurrently appointed as a research clinical neuropsychologist at the Atlanta Veterans Affairs Medical Center.

Summary of Evaluation:

Dr. Hampstead's research focuses on cognitive functioning in both the healthy aging state as well as those with dementia. He has conducted a number of research projects examining nonpharmacological interventions that help to enhance cognitive and emotional functioning such as transcranial direct current stimulation. He is the principal investigator on an NIH P50 grant and holds two Department of Veterans Affairs awards. He has published 20 peer-reviewed articles, written a number of book chapters, and edited a textbook in cognitive plasticity. He has been invited to present his research at 29 venues nationally and internationally. Among the awards he has received for his research are the International Conference on Alzheimer's Disease Fellows Travel Award (2009), the Laird S. Cermak Award for Best Memory Research from the International Neuropsychological Society (2010), and the Alzheimer's Association International Conference Travel Award (2014).

Recent and Significant Publications

Hampstead BM, Stringer AY, Stilla RF, Amaraneni A, Sathian K: Where did I put that? Patients with amnesic mild cognitive impairment demonstrate widespread reductions in activity during the encoding of ecologically relevant object-location associations. *Neuropsychologia* 49:2349-2361, 2011.

Hampstead BM, Sathian K, Phillips PA, Amaraneni A, Delaune WR, Stringer AY: Mnemonic strategy training improves memory for object location associations in both healthy elderly and patients with amnesic mild cognitive impairment: A randomized, single-blind study. *Neuropsychology* 26:385-399, 2012.

Hampstead BM, Stringer AY, Stilla RF, Giddens M, Sathian K: Mnemonic strategy training partially restores hippocampal activity in patients with mild cognitive impairment. *Hippocampus* 22:1652-1658, 2012.

Hampstead BM, Brown GS, Hartley JF: Transcranial direct current stimulation modulates activation and effective connectivity during spatial navigation. *Brain Stimulation* 7:314-324, 2014.

Hampstead BM, Gillis MM, Stringer AY: Cognitive rehabilitation of memory for mild cognitive impairment: A methodological review and model for future research. *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society* 20:135-151, 2014.

Dr. Hampstead has taught at the Center for Behavioral Neuroscience, a National Science Foundation Science and Technology Center which includes neuroscientists from Emory, Georgia Tech, Georgia State, Morehouse, Spellman and Clark Universities. In addition, he has taught in the neuroscience and behavioral biology program at Emory University. He has been a guest lecturer for courses in neuropsychology, neuroscience, applied neurophysiology and physical medicine at Emory University and at the Georgia Institute of Technology. He has been a mentor to seven undergraduate, five graduate, and three medical students. He has also mentored one post-doctoral fellow and one resident. He has served as chair or mentor for two undergraduate honors theses and four doctoral dissertation committees.

External Reviewers:

Reviewer A: "...Dr. Hampstead's productivity in terms of research, teaching, and public and university service is judged to be outstanding. His research program is innovative, exciting, likely to lead to a number of important findings, and clearly he has attracted many students to his lab as a result. Furthermore, he appears to be a highly talented and dedicated teacher and advisor to students at all levels, and he has received highly competitive peer-reviewed grants and won awards for his outstanding patient-oriented research."

Reviewer B: "...I would rank the impact of Dr. Hampstead's work easily in the top 5%, and I expect him to have an even greater impact in the future as evidenced by his recent success obtaining federal funding....he has already shown impressive productivity and impact, and I expect to see Dr. Hampstead as one of the leaders in our field in the future."

Reviewer C: "His recent authoritative review paper on the topic in JINS is a clear example of how his empirical discoveries are influencing theory and discourse in interventions for cognitive dysfunction....He is a talented scientist who has created a productive and clinically relevant research program that has national impact."

Reviewer D: "His work is innovative, creative, theoretically and empirically grounded and has had an important impact on clinical neuropsychology...Dr. Hampstead's recent work...makes him a rising star in the field and someone who I believe will continue to produce significant contributions that will have high impact on the field."

Reviewer E: "Dr. Hampstead is one of only a few researchers attempting to provide empirical data to cognitive rehabilitation interventions. His work is clearly ahead of many others, and it will have a large impact in terms of research progression and direct impact to funding metrics. Clinicians will need to demonstrate the utility of these types of interventions in their practice, and Dr. Hampstead's work is in line with these current and future directions."

Dr. Hampstead's service includes his role as a member of the editorial board for the *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, and service on the grant review panel for the Internationale Stichting Alzheimer Onderzoek (ISAO) in The Netherlands. He is a member of the Education Committee for the National Academy of Neuropsychology and co-chair of the research program development committee for the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Atlanta.

Summary of Recommendation:

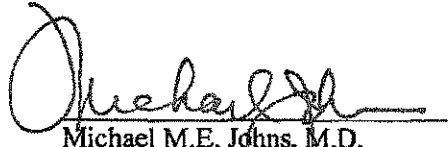
Dr. Hampstead is an accomplished researcher and clinical neuropsychologist who has established a name for himself in the field and has a successful track record of research funding. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Benjamin M. Hampstead, Ph.D. as associate professor of psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014.

Recommended by:




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

Recommendation endorsed by:



Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
Interim Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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

August 2014

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Kathleen Kelly

TITLE: Associate Professor of Music, School of Music,
Theatre & Dance

TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2015

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Kathleen Kelly as associate professor of music (voice), without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective January 1, 2015.

ACADEMIC RECORD

Ms. Kelly received both B.M. and M.M. degrees from Arizona State University, and she was a Fulbright Scholar in Germany from 1989 through 1990. Since 1991, Ms. Kelly has been an accomplished freelance pianist and recital accompanist in the United States and Europe, including performances at Carnegie Hall, the Kennedy Center, and Vienna's Musikverein. From 1993 through 1998, Ms. Kelly was the assistant conductor at the San Francisco Opera and also became a coach for the Merola Program during this time.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Ms. Kelly's involvement in the workings of several prestigious opera houses has been significant; San Francisco Opera, assistant conductor (1993 – 1998); Glimmerglass Opera, director of musical studies (2000 – 2001); Berkshire Opera, artistic director (2005 – 2008); Metropolitan Opera, assistant conductor (1997 – 2006); Houston Grand Opera, head of musical staff and music director of the HGO studio (2006 – 2010); and head of music staff of the Vienna State Opera (2010 – 2013). Ms. Kelly conducted Ariadne on Naxos at the June 2014 Glimmerglass festival; this also included accompanying recitals, giving master classes, and training aspiring opera professionals across the country.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

During Ms. Kelly's visit to the University of Michigan, the topic of collaborating across disciplines was addressed. Ms. Kelly's areas of expertise outside of music and opera include foreign languages and the cultures in which they function. One of her main concerns as a trainer of young American singers is helping them catch up in this area, where they are far behind many

of their international counterparts. Good language training is part of this, but there are other, creative ways to address the differences between pronouncing a language and making it sound within resonant, classical singing. Michigan has both gold-standard language departments and a medical school that trains speech therapists. Exploring ways to unite these areas of vocal expertise was a topic of interest for Ms. Kelly and the school. Ms. Kelly is an intuitive and successful communicator and teacher. As she worked with students ranging from first year M.M. candidates through third year doctoral students, she demonstrated the ability to connect on an appropriate level with each one. She managed to be demanding and critically precise, while maintaining a relaxed, nurturing atmosphere. Her balance of articulating high expectations with validating success and improvement was inspiring to both the students who participated with her, and those who observed her work. Without exception, the student feedback was overwhelmingly enthusiastic about both the content and the manner of her coaching. Given the world-class level of her professional experience for the last 20 years, her ability to connect and engage with university students was most impressive. Her stellar reputation and proven record of successful student teaching is well known in the opera arena, professional colleagues and among our faculty. We are confident that her exemplary teaching skills will continue to the benefit of our students.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

Ms. Kelly enjoys a wide-ranging and dynamic musical life as a pianist, opera coach, conductor, and master teacher. She is the first woman and first American named as director of musical studies at the legendary Vienna State Opera, an unprecedented distinction. Ms. Kelly joined the Domingo-Cafritz program at the Washington National Opera in 2013 as a regular guest coach, and also works with the young artists at the Los Angeles Opera, the Chicago Lyric Opera, and the Houston Grand Opera. At the University of Texas at Austin, also since 2013, she is the principal teacher of the graduate opera coaches, and works with the graduate singers of the Butler Opera Center in addition to conducting part of the Opera Center's season.

Ms. Kelly was trained in the Merola Program at the San Francisco Opera, after which she joined the house music staff as pianist, rehearsal conductor, and prompter. She was an assistant to the incomparable James Levine at the Metropolitan Opera from 1997-2006, specializing in the works of Wagner, Strauss, and Berg. During that time, due to her success as a prompter and musical assistant, she was the focus of a *Wall Street Journal* article and a Metropolitan Opera radio broadcast feature. At the Vienna State opera from 2010-2013, Ms. Kelly oversaw the daily musical life of more than fifty ensemble singers in more than fifty operas, the world's biggest and busiest season. At the Staatsoper, she also curated a recital series in the house's famous Mahlersaal, and served as the series' principal pianist. She was the recitative accompanist for new productions of *Le nozze di Figaro* and *Don Giovanni*, and assisted Maestro Franz Welser-Möst on new productions of Janacek's *Kat'a Kabanova* and *Z mrtvého domu*. Ms. Kelly has also been notably associated with the Glimmerglass Festival's Young American Artist Program, the CoOperative Training Program at Westminster Choir College, the Seattle Opera, Opera Australia, and the Moscow Conservatory. She has given master classes at universities and conservatories around the country.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer (A)

"Ms. Kelly has a reputation as an accomplished and experienced coach and accompanist, with conducting experience both throughout the United States and globally. Given the substance behind what I saw in her teaching abilities, this is indeed an impressive and meritorious candidate."

Reviewer (B)

"I can state without reservation that she is highly skilled and greatly respected in our profession. Her long experience as a vocal coach and accompanist at the highest levels of professional opera are well known. As a coach and accompanist for opera and vocal music, she is fully qualified and deserving of a faculty position at any major educational institution."

Reviewer (C)

"She has experience and exposure which runs very deep in our profession, and her lifetime of service to institutions, colleagues, and most importantly, to her students in various situations is invaluable. Her teaching philosophy could not be better – it is a template for success in the classroom, teaching studio, and later on, in the world of professional music."

Reviewer (D)

"It is universally obvious that Professor Kelly is an extraordinarily talented person in many different fields. Professor Kelly has the highest caliber of creative activity, teaching and service for any institution. She is internationally recognized as a performer, conductor, coach and administrator. The qualities of past contributions of Ms. Kelly are extraordinary in length of service and in internationally recognized houses and training program. I believe that she will make an invaluable and immediate addition to your faculty."

Reviewer (E)

"She is extremely organized, collegial and supportive of her fellow musicians and has a strong work ethic. Kathy has extensive professional experience both nationally and internationally, and has worked for many of the most prestigious and highly regarded opera companies in the world. I am confident that you will find an excellent team member and faculty member in Kathleen Kelly."

Reviewer (F)

"There are many vocal coaches in this country who would be considered fine additions to a major university or conservatory voice department faculty, but Kathleen Kelly stands out among her peers without question. Her versatility and vast experience as both coach and conductor in many of the major opera houses in the United States, as well as in Europe, make her invaluable as a teacher for young musicians pursuing a career in the focal arts. It is a rare individual such as Kathleen Kelly who has the breadth of knowledge and experience to fulfill the high standards and expectations as a major university regarding teaching, research and service."

SUMMARY

The Department of Voice has worked steadily to increase the range of offerings in opera to our students in order to better prepare them for the profession. We have increased opera productions, and a wide range of curriculum related to the distinctive demands of the profession, from yoga to Czech diction, from vocal chamber music to an interdisciplinary kinesiology/voice class. We have energized and expanded stage offerings to our students through these additional operatic productions and classes. We are exploring affiliation with Michigan Opera Theatre to open "pipelines" into the profession for our students. We are now in significant need of a world-class coach/conductor for our main stage and opera studio productions who will offer our students the highest quality of instruction in the preparation of operatic literature, including recitative, style and role preparation. We believe we have identified an extraordinary candidate to fulfill this role in Kathleen Kelly, who will contribute deeply to our opera program and intersect widely and creatively with disciplinary domains across campus. The School of Music, Theatre & Dance and the Department of Voice unreservedly and strongly support the appointment of Kathleen Kelly as associate professor of music (voice), without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective January 1, 2015.

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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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Vijay G. Subramanian

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

TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Vijay G. Subramanian as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Subramanian received his B.Tech. in electronics and communication in 1993 from the Indian Institute of Technology, Madras, India. He received his M.S. in electrical communication engineering in 1995 from the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India. In 1999, he received his Ph.D. in electrical engineering from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

From 1999 to 2006, Professor Subramanian held various positions for Motorola, Inc. in Arlington Heights, IL. His last position was as distinguished member of technical staff. From 2006 to 2010, he served as a research fellow in the Hamilton Institute at the National University of Ireland, Kildare, Ireland. He joined Northwestern University as a senior research associate in 2010 and was appointed as a research assistant professor in 2011.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Subramanian's areas of expertise include economics and game theory-based analysis of spectrum markets and social networks, inference in network games, information theory of queueing systems, design and analysis of distributed load management algorithms in large-scale networks, scheduling algorithms, admission control and interference management in enterprise wireless systems, convergence of point processes, applied probability, and mathematical immunology. Professor Subramanian applies academically rigorous methods to practical problems in a way that can be implemented in real systems. The breadth of Professor Subramanian's past and current research activities is remarkable. They span a broad and diverse

range of subjects in networking requiring an array of technical and analytic skills. The depth of his work is equally impressive, as indicated by the caliber of his publications. His curriculum vitae lists over 40 refereed journal and conference papers as well as several invited conference papers. Professor Subramanian is active in his field which includes serving on NSF review panels, and serving as a session organizer, a member of conference organizing committees and on technical program committees. In addition, he has been a member of an editorial board and has served as a reviewer for several journals and conferences.

PUBLICATIONS

V.G. Subramanian and D.J. Leith, "On the rate-region of CSMA/CA WLANs," *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, 3932-3938, 2013.

T. Nguyen, V.G. Subramanian and R. Berry, "Searching and bargaining with middlemen," in *Proceedings of Allerton 2013*, Monticello.

X. Chen, V.G. Subramanian and D.J. Leith, "PHY modulation/rate control for fountain codes in 802.11 WLANs," *Elsevier Journal on Physical Communication*, 9, 135-144, 2013.

R. Berry, M. Honig, T. Nguyen, V. Subramanian, H. Zhou and R. Vohra, "On the nature of revenue-sharing contracts to incentivize spectrum-sharing," in *Proceedings of INFOCOM 2013*, Turin.

K.-H. Hui, V. Subramanian, D. Guo and R. Berry, "Diffusion of innovation in two-sided markets," in *Proceedings of Allerton 2012*, Monticello.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

REVIEWER A: "...I think he makes an exceptional faculty candidate and am happy to give him my strongest recommendation. If there was an appropriate tenure-track position at [my institution], I would strongly encourage Vijay to apply...he has done an excellent [sic] providing feedback and guidance to students; I am confident that he will be an excellent advisor to his own graduate students."

REVIEWER B: "...Vijay also accumulated rich experience in applying (and obtaining) research funding, as well as in teaching and graduate student supervision...I have complete confidence that he will be a great scholar and teacher in your department. I strongly recommend him to your department."

REVIEWER C: "He has an exceptional combination of skills, centered around, but by no means limited to, information theory and optimization, particularly for mobile networks...His results on scheduling and resource allocation for orthogonal wireless channels, and of resource allocation in Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) systems, are highly and deservedly cited...His technical discussions and presentations are also always of the highest caliber...He will be an asset to any institution..."

REVIEWER D: "Subramanian's rich combination of industrial expertise...broad interests, and well-honed theoretical skills and appreciation of rigorous problem formulation and analysis, make him an attractive choice as a faculty colleague at the leading edge of network science. His research seminars have been high-quality endeavors...He will make an excellent teacher...I recommend him strongly."

REVIEWER E: "In addition to conducting research, Vijay has also been able to successfully fund his efforts through grants, for instance, from the National Science Foundation...Vijay is an exceptionally strong researcher with proven abilities. I expect him to continue producing high-quality and high-impact research, and I believe him to be a great asset to any department and strongly recommend him for a faculty position."

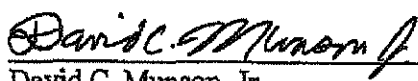
REVIEWER F: "Dr. Subramanian has the qualities to be considered for a faculty position in a top university. His research record is outstanding...I believe that Dr. Subramanian will be a productive faculty member, that he will continue his record of creative contributions and be a strong mentor for students."

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION


Professor Subramanian 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 and the College of Engineering. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Vijay G. Subramanian as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

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

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Sara D. Adar

CURRENT TITLES: John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, and
Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, School of Public Health

TITLE BEING RENEWED: John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, School of
Public Health

TERM: Three Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2017

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Sara D. Adar as the John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, School of Public Health, effective November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2017.

The John G. Searle Assistant Professorship in Epidemiology 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 Adar received her Master of Health Science from the Johns Hopkins School of Public Health in 1998 and her Doctorate of Science from the Harvard School of Public Health in 2005. From 2005-2008 she worked as a senior fellow on the Multi-Ethnic Study of Atherosclerosis and Air Pollution at the University of Washington in Seattle. She served as an assistant professor in the Department of Epidemiology and the Department of Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences at the University of Washington from 2008-2009. She joined the Michigan faculty in 2010 as a research assistant professor of epidemiology and was appointed as an assistant professor in September 2011. She has held the Searle Professorship since 2011.

Professor Adar's research focuses on the human health effects of air pollution, especially those from motor vehicles. Motor vehicles present an important public health risk since they are a major emission source in the modern world and traffic-related pollution has been repeatedly associated with adverse cardiovascular and respiratory outcomes. She has served as an expert panelist for the NCEA Integrated Science Assessment for particulate matter and recently received the Sandra A. Daugherty Award for Excellence in Cardiovascular Epidemiology from the American Heart Association.

It is a pleasure to recommend the reappointment of Sara D. Adar as the John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, School of Public Health, effective November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Martin A. Philbert, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Toni C. Antonucci

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Vice President for Research – Social Sciences and Humanities, UM Office of Research, Elizabeth M. Douvan Collegiate Professor of Psychology, and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Vice President for Research – Social Sciences and Humanities, UM Office of Research

TERM: Two Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2016

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Toni C. Antonucci as associate vice president for research – social sciences and humanities, UM Office of Research, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2016.

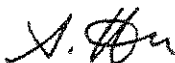
Professor Antonucci earned her B.A. degree from Hunter College of the City of New York in 1969, and her M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from Wayne State University in 1972 and 1973, respectively. She held an appointment as an assistant professor in the Department of Psychology at Syracuse University from 1973-1979, prior to joining the University of Michigan faculty in 1979 as an assistant professor in the Department of Family Practice in the Medical School and as an assistant research scientist in the Institute for Social Research (ISR). In 1982, she was promoted to associate professor in the Department of Psychology in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and associate research scientist in ISR, and in 1991, to professor, Department of Psychology and research professor, ISR

Professor Antonucci's administrative experience includes her appointment as assistant dean for faculty appointments in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts from 1996-1998 and her current appointments as program director of the Life Course Development Program in the Institute for Social Research, beginning in 1990, and as associate dean for academic initiatives and interdisciplinary studies in the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies from 2006-2009. Since joining the UM Office of Research (UMOR) in 2009, Professor Antonucci has developed and led the Social Science Annual Institute, now in its third year. Sponsored by UMOR and the Rackham School of Graduate Studies, the institute provides seed funding to support up to two projects each year that reflect innovative directions in the social sciences.

With the support of UMOR and the Institute for Social Research, Professor Antonucci also launched Society 2030, a three-year program that brings together university and industry representatives to identify the key social and economic trends that will shape the future, and to develop a “roadmap” to guide planning and policy as well as further research. In addition, she has coordinated the development of detailed guidelines for transferring human remains and associated funerary objects from U-M’s museum collections to tribes that have requested them and have the legal right to them, as required by the federal Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act.

I am very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Toni C. Antonucci as associate vice president for research – social sciences and humanities, UM Office of Research, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,



S. Jack Hu
Interim Vice President for Research

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: James Bardwell

CURRENT TITLES: Rowena G. Matthews Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Biological Chemistry, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Rowena G. Matthews Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of James Bardwell as the Rowena G. Matthews Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

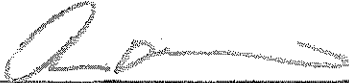
The Rowena G. Matthews Collegiate Professorship in Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology was established in August 2009. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Since the last renewal of his collegiate professorship in 2009, Professor Bardwell has continued to be a productive faculty member with many significant accomplishments. He was renewed for a second term as a Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) investigator and he was elected as a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (2013). Professor Bardwell has secured new external funding with a large National Institutes of Health grant on acid-activated protein chaperones, he has been a plenary speaker/distinguished lecturer at several national/international meetings, and he publishes in the top journals in his field, such as *PNAS*, *Nature Structural Molecular Biology*, and *Molecular Cell*.

As an HHMI investigator, Professor Bardwell has no official teaching responsibilities, but every other year he teaches a very popular upper-level course for concentrators entitled "Protein Structure," which routinely enrolls over fifty students. He is a very active participant in faculty search committees and promotion reviews. This past year he served as a substitute on the departmental Executive Committee, filling in for a faculty member on leave.

Professor Bardwell continues to make exceptional contributions to the academic mission of the university, the college, and his department. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of James Bardwell as the Rowena G. Matthews Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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



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

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

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

CURRENT TITLES: Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery, and Professor of Surgery, with tenure, Medical School

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

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 30, 2016

On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Collier Distinguished Professor and Chair of the Department of Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ramon Berguer, M.D., Ph.D. as the Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 30, 2016.

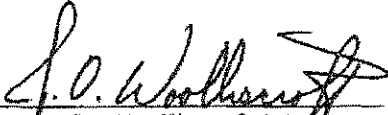
The Frankel Professorship in Cardiovascular Surgery was established in October 2004 through a generous gift agreement from Jean and Samuel Frankel. The Frankel's gift supports the activities of a distinguished member of the Medical School faculty with exceptional abilities and expertise in the field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

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

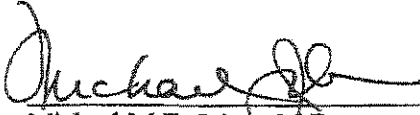
Dr. Berguer is a national leader in the modeling of aortic pathologies. He is working in a number of innovative areas, including aortic dissection, new aortic graft designs, and a new approach to the prevention of stroke during placement of aortic endografts. Dr. Berguer is on the cusp of major advances in all of the areas listed above. He has formed important connections with other leaders in this field.

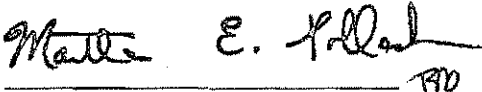
Dr. Berguer has been a major contributor to the discipline of vascular surgery for more than three decades. Throughout his career, he has been an accomplished clinician and profound contributor in clinical research to the discipline of vascular surgery. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Ramon Berguer, M.D., Ph.D. as the Frankel Professor of Cardiovascular Surgery, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 30, 2016.

Recommended by:


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

Recommendation endorsed by:


Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
Interim Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to a Collegiate Research Professorship

NAME: Stephen W. Bougher

CURRENT TITLES: Andrew F. Nagy Collegiate Research Professor, Office of Research, and Research Professor, Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, College of Engineering

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Andrew F. Nagy Collegiate Research Professor, Office of Research

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Stephen W. Bougher as the Andrew F. Nagy Collegiate Research Professor, Office of Research, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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

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

Professor Bougher is a member of the American Geophysical Union, the International Association of the Geomagnetism and Aeronomy, the American Astronomical Society's Division for Planetary Sciences, and the Committee on Space Research. He is the recipient of the University of Michigan's College of Engineering Outstanding Research Scientist Award in 2007 and the 2004 Distinguished Research Faculty Achievement Award from the Office of Research. NASA has acknowledged his contributions with Group Achievement Awards for the Mars Global Surveyor Solar Array Anomaly Recovery and Aerobraking Team in 1999 and the Mars Reconnaissance Orbiter Navigation Team in 2007.

Professor Bougher's contribution in understanding and applied research has been recognized nationally and internationally, and has been honored as a scientist who has significantly advanced the field of planetary atmospheres through his research, writings and professional service. I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Stephen W. Bougher as the Andrew F. Nagy Collegiate Research Professor, Office of Research, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Respectfully submitted,



S. Jack Hu
Interim Vice President for Research

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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Paul L. Carson, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Collegiate Professor of Basic Radiological Services,
Professor of Radiology, with tenure, Medical School, and
Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure,
Medical School and College of Engineering

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Collegiate Professor of Basic Radiological Services,
Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014

On the recommendation of N. Reed Dunnick, M.D., the Fred Jenner Hodges Professor and Chair of the Department of Radiology, and with concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Paul L. Carson, Ph.D. as the Collegiate Professor of Basic Radiological Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

The Collegiate Professorship of Basic Radiological Sciences was established in March 2001 to support the efforts of the basic radiological sciences faculty in the Department of Radiology. This professorship is intended to fund innovative research programs for established investigators in the field of radiology.

Dr. Carson has been a member of the faculty at the University of Michigan since 1981, when he was appointed as an associate professor of radiology and director of radiological physics and engineering. He was promoted to his current rank of professor of radiology in 1984 and received a joint appointment as professor of biomedical engineering in 1988.

Dr. Carson has developed an outstanding research career through his contributions to the practice of medical imaging, and his investigative efforts which have produced over 180 publications and 29 books and standards. He has received numerous awards, including the William D. Coolidge Award from the American Association of Physicists in Medicine, the Distinguished Investigator Award from the Academy of Radiology Research and the William J. Fry Memorial Lecture Award from the American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine.

Dr. Carson continues to be internationally recognized as an authority on radiological physics. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Paul L. Carson, Ph.D. as the Collegiate Professor of Basic Radiological Sciences, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

Recommended by:



James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
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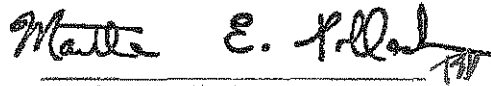
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Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
Interim Executive Vice President for
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David C. Munson, Jr.
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College of Engineering



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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Mark S. Daskin

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering, Clyde W. Johnson Collegiate Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, with tenure, and College of Engineering, and Professor of Operations and Management, without tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark S. Daskin as chair, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017.

Professor Daskin received his B.S. in civil engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1974, his Certificate of Post-Graduate Study in engineering from Cambridge University in 1975, and his Ph.D. in civil engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1978. Following graduation, Professor Daskin accepted a position as assistant professor of civil engineering at Northwestern University. He was promoted to associate professor in 1983 and to professor in 1989. In January 2010, he accepted positions at the University of Michigan as chair of the Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering and the Clyde W. Johnson Collegiate Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering.

Professor Daskin's research focuses on supply chain network design in general and facility location models in particular. He is currently studying reliability in supply chain design as well as sustainability issues associated with supply chains. He is also studying problems in health care operations research with a current focus on transplantation problems and the assignment of residents and interns to patients. He has taught courses on probability, statistics, operations research, supply chain reliability, location modeling, health care operations research, service operations management, and heuristic algorithms.

Professor Daskin has demonstrated that he possesses the experience, ability, and commitment to fulfill the important responsibilities of a department chair in the College of Engineering. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Professor Mark S. Daskin as chair, Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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Alison Davis-Blake
Edward J. Frey Dean of Business
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Philip J. Deloria

CURRENT TITLES: Carroll Smith-Rosenberg Collegiate Professor of History and American Culture, Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education, Professor of History, with tenure, and Professor of American Culture, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Carroll Smith-Rosenberg Collegiate Professor of History and American Culture, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Philip J. Deloria as the Carroll Smith-Rosenberg Collegiate Professor of History and American Culture, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Carroll Smith-Rosenberg Collegiate Professorship in History and American Culture was established in August 2009. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Deloria continues to bring distinction to his home departments of American Culture and History and to the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts through his field-defining scholarship and through his extraordinary contributions in numerous realms at the University of Michigan. Since being appointed to the collegiate professorship in 2009, he has served in numerous leadership positions at Michigan, including the Executive Board of the Horace H. Rackham Graduate School (2008-2011), several Provost's committees, and on the M-Cubed Executive Committee. Professor Deloria has published ten articles and book chapters on topics that range from Native American history to the history of civil rights, diaspora and transnationalism to new scholarly inquiries into the history of Taiwan and transnational American studies; and he has authored several introductory chapters of forthcoming or recently-published essay collections. He has continued research on several book projects, including Crossing the (Indian) Color Line: A Family Memoir; Toward an American Indian Abstract: What an Unknown Artist Can Tell Us about the 1930s; and 1833: The Year the Stars Fell from which he has given numerous lectures and presentations. Professor Deloria will be on scholarly leave next academic year in order to complete work on his *Family Memoir*.

In 2010, Professor Deloria became the associate dean of undergraduate education, which has meant a relocation of his intellectual energies to the Dean's office. In that role he has made remarkable contributions. Particularly notable is his leadership in sponsoring college-wide dialogue about the demographics and racial climate of our campus. Even while serving as associate dean, Professor Deloria has continued to offer important contributions to advance the undergraduate curriculum in U.S. environmental history, through summer courses at Camp Davis, Wyoming, and innovative

courses such as his "Twenty-Two Ways to Think about Food" or his mini-course on "Critical Issues in Health Care in the United States." He has remained involved in the training and mentoring of graduate students in American Culture and in History and is serving as chair or co-chair of six dissertations and as a member of another six dissertation committees.

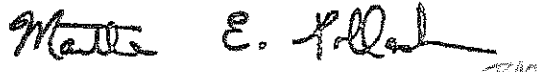
We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Philip J. Deloria as the Carroll Smith-Rosenberg Collegiate Professor of History and American Culture, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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

NAME: Daniel C. Fisher

CURRENT TITLES: Claude W. Hibbard Collegiate Professor of Paleontology, Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, with tenure, Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, without tenure, and Director, Museum of Paleontology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Director, Museum of Paleontology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Daniel C. Fisher as director, Museum of Paleontology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Professor Fisher attended Harvard University where he earned a Bachelor of Arts, *summa cum laude*, in 1971, a Master of Arts in 1972, and a Doctorate in 1975. Professor Fisher began his teaching career as an instructor at the University of Rochester in 1975 and was promoted to assistant professor that same year. He was also appointed as a research associate at the Field Museum of Natural History in 1976. He joined our faculty in 1979 as an assistant professor and an assistant curator; he was promoted through the ranks to professor and curator in 1992. He has also held a title as professor, without tenure, in the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology since 2001 (formerly Department of Biology where he held a courtesy appointment since 1982). Professor Fisher has unusually broad research interests reflected in his ongoing studies of life history (biology) extracted from the tusks of fossil mastodons (paleontology) using the structure of the teeth (involving colleagues in the School of Dentistry) and stable isotopes (geochemistry). He is an outstanding teacher who has attracted and trained some of the department's most successful graduate students. In terms of his research and teaching, his success has been impressive.

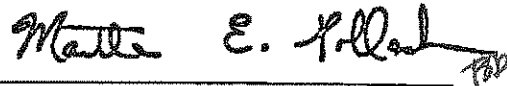
We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Daniel C. Fisher as director, Museum of Paleontology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

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: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Gary D. Glick

CURRENT TITLES: Werner E. Bachmann Collegiate Professor of Chemistry,
Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature,
Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Biological Chemistry,
without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Werner E. Bachmann Collegiate Professor of Chemistry,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Department of Chemistry and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Medical School, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Gary D. Glick as the Werner E. Bachmann Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Werner E. Bachmann Collegiate Professorship in Chemistry was established by the Regents in June 1999. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Glick continues to be a very productive member of our faculty. His research has focused on understanding the metabolic pathways employed by disease causing immune cells and ways to modulate them for a therapeutic outcome. Several important patent applications have been filed (22 patents issued and 22 patents published) and manuscripts describing this work have been published in top journals (e.g., *Science Translational Medicine*, *PNAS*) or submitted for publication (*Nature Chemical Biology*, *PNAS*, *Immunity*). In another line of research, he has identified the first highly selective inhibitors of Rho kinase 2 and elucidated how these compounds modulate inflammatory responses. This science has been licensed to a new startup company (JBR Pharma) to undertake clinical development.

Professor Glick's teaching efforts have transitioned from founding and building the Program in Chemical Biology (PCB) to new courses on entrepreneurial aspects of science. During his time as director, the PCB grew from an initial class of six students to a total of 60 students over five years. Both the attrition rate and time to degree in this program was below the Rackham Graduate School average. In three of the past four years, Professor Glick has taught a freshman seminar on the business of chemistry, biology, and medicine. Students are taught the value of team work, how to develop and present ideas, critical thinking for real world business problems, and are given the chance to meet local investors and entrepreneurs. This course, which has been

very well-received by students, is a unique offering in the natural sciences and takes advantage of Professor Glick's experience with starting companies. He is now developing a similar class that will be offered to upperclassmen.

Professor Glick has served on several departmental and university committees over the past five years. His most important contribution has been in the area of formally and informally mentoring dozens of colleagues across this campus on starting companies, raising capital, and balancing academic-industrial partnerships. He served on the UM Office of Research Committee on Enhancing Entrepreneurial Activities on Campus. He has assisted with the current capital campaign and supported several projects on campus, particularly at the University of Michigan Health System (e.g., patient education for acute neurological trauma via a YouTube video).

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Gary D. Glick as the Werner E. Bachmann Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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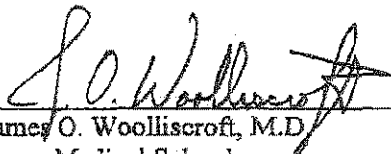


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

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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: One Year

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

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 one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

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 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 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 is establishing a formalized career

counseling program, availing its offerings to graduate students in addition to our professional students. She has also initiated a new 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 one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:



James T. Dalton
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

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

NAME: Henry O. Meares

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Dean, School of Education

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Assistant Dean, School of Education

TERM: Five Years

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

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Henry O. Meares as assistant dean, School of Education, for a five-year term, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2019.

Professor Meares received his bachelor of science degree from Fayetteville State University in 1963, and his master of education and doctor of education degrees from the University of Illinois in 1968 and 1982, respectively. He served as an assistant principal of Urbana Junior High School, Urbana, IL, from 1968 to 1978; as associate principal of Urbana High School from 1978 to 1983; and as principal of Urbana Middle School from 1983 to 1991. He was the director of University High School at the University of Illinois from 1991 to 1993. Professor Meares joined the faculty of the School of Education in 1993 as an instructor and director of field services; from 1995 to 1996, he served as the director of teacher and administrator certification services; and from 1996 to 2001, he served as the director of the Office of Student Services. He was appointed as assistant dean in 1998.

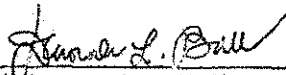
Professor Meares' expertise includes elementary and middle school curriculum and school administration, school planning and improvement strategies, school reconstruction, and organizational change. Professor Meares develops and maintains partnerships and collaborations with various outside constituents and works with the dean on special projects involving K-12 schools, teachers, and students. He also coordinates the School of Education's participation in the university's Martin Luther King, Jr. Day activities.

While in Urbana, Illinois, and Ann Arbor, Michigan, Professor Meares has participated extensively in service to the profession, the university, and the community. He has consulted, made presentations, and conducted workshops with the Detroit Public Schools, Flint Public Schools, Health Occupations Partners in Education (HOPE), U.S. Department of Education, and Illinois State Board of Education, among many others.

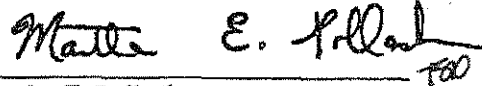
I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Henry O. Meares as assistant dean, School of Education, for a five-year term, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Roberto D. Merlin

CURRENT TITLES: Peter A. Franken Collegiate Professor of Physics, Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, without tenure, College of Engineering

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

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committees of the Department of Physics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Roberto D. Merlin as the Peter A. Franken Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

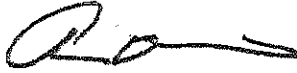
The Peter A. Franken Collegiate Professorship in Physics was established by the Regents in June 2009. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Merlin's research specializes in experimental condensed matter physics and this work has led to advances in solid-state physics, solid-state electronics, and quantum optoelectronics. He has received numerous recognitions and awards over the years, including his most recent award of a Simons Fellowship in Theoretical Physics (2013-2014). He is a member of the editorial board of the Springer Series in Solid State Sciences and the *Solid State Communications* journal. His success is also reflected in the outstanding external funding he has received.

During the past five years, Professor Merlin continued his supervision of undergraduate and graduate students. He currently supervises five graduate students in his lab. In his classroom teaching, Professor Merlin has served exceptionally well since 1981. Most recently, he has taught the Physics sequence in graduate electromagnetism for three years, which has been an extraordinary service to the department. This course is considered one of the most challenging for professors and graduate students. He has also served on important departmental committees.

Professor Merlin remains an outstanding scientist and educator who has provided valuable service. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Roberto D. Merlin as the Peter A. Franken Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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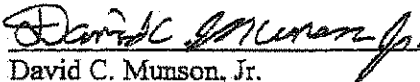


Andrew D. Martin
Dean, and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:



Martha E. Pollack
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David C. Munson, Jr.
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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, and College of Pharmacy

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

TERM: One Year

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

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 one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

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 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 adjunct assistant professor of medicine at Indiana University from 1990 to 2000. Professor Mueller joined the University of Michigan as 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 associate dean for academic affairs.

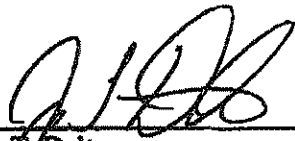
Professor Mueller is highly regarded for his work in the area of renal replacement therapies and medication use in patients with acute or chronic renal failure. His work has been credited for many significant advances recently made in the field of nephrology, and he has published extensively in highly 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.

Professor Mueller's performance as associate dean of academic affairs has been outstanding, and his contributions to College of Pharmacy matters related to the curriculum, curriculum assessment, and academic affairs, in general, are invaluable. He has introduced and developed

several new initiatives such as the Interprofessional Education Initiative and a successful junior faculty mentoring program.


We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Bruce A. Mueller as associate dean for academic affairs, College of Pharmacy, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:



James A. Dalton
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: James E. Penner-Hahn

CURRENT TITLES: George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Biophysics, Associate Dean for Budget and Planning, Professor of Biophysics, with tenure, and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Biophysics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of James E. Penner-Hahn as the George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Biophysics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

George A. Lindsay was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1914 until his retirement in 1950. The George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professorship was established by the Regents in July 2009. A stipend funded from college resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Penner-Hahn's research over the last five years has focused on three major areas: bioinorganic chemistry, energy storage materials, and investigations of magnetic/electronic structure. He has published over twenty peer-reviewed articles in a variety of the top journals in his field, including the *Journal of Inorganic Chemistry*, *Journal of Biological Chemistry*, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Science, USA*, and *Science*, among others.

In the area of bioinorganic chemistry, Professor Penner-Hahn's group has used x-ray spectroscopic methods to characterize the local structure around metal ions in a variety of biological systems enhancing the understanding of the structure and function of these metals. His lab is also using x-ray fluorescent microprobe measurements to characterize this distribution, and in some cases the speciation, of metal ions in cells and in intact tissue providing insight into metal homeostasis in cells. In addition, Professor Penner-Hahn is developing a flow cytometer coupled to x-ray fluorescence to be used to determine the total metal composition of thousands of cells (as compared to the tens of cells that one is able to study by imaging methods), which was funded by a National Science Foundation grant. In the area of energy storage materials his lab has used x-ray absorption methods (EXAFS and XANES) to investigate the local structure of both advanced cathode, anode materials and "supercapacitor" materials. A portion of this work

was supported by seed funding from the University of Michigan Office of Research. Lastly, he has begun using magnetic Compton scattering as a probe for electronic and magnetic structure. His initial work was on solid-state magnetic materials and he is now using this technique to investigate molecular materials.

Over the last five years Professor Penner-Hahn's teaching efforts have focused on creating and thrice offering a first-year seminar entitled "(In)organic Nutrition." He has also supervised approximately ten undergraduates on research projects, both through the Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program and through Chemistry 398/399. In the area of service, Professor Penner-Hahn has made enormous contributions, focusing on college-wide and university-wide activities. His largest contribution has been his role as associate dean for budget in LSA. He also served on the executive committees for the Michigan Energy Institute and the Shanghai Jiaotong-UM Joint Institute, and he has been a member of the UM Enrollment Working Group, chair of the IT Council, and chair of the search committee for the associate vice president for advanced research. He is currently serving on search committees for the AST director and the associate vice provost for enrollment management.

We are indeed very pleased to recommend the reappointment of James E. Penner-Hahn as the George A. Lindsay Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Biophysics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Brian P. Rowan

CURRENT TITLES: Burke A. Hinsdale Collegiate Professor of Education, Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education, and Professor of Sociology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Burke A. Hinsdale Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Education, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Brian P. Rowan as the Burke A. Hinsdale Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, for a five-year renewable term, effective November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2019.

The Burke A. Hinsdale Collegiate Professorship in Education was established in October 2004. Burke A. Hinsdale is perhaps the most distinguished early professor of education at the University of Michigan. He was known throughout the nation as a leading figure in American education, as a result of both his public addresses and his writings. Through his influence, the state legislature in 1891 authorized the University of Michigan Board of Regents to issue a teaching certificate, valid for life, to any student who received both a degree and a teacher's diploma from the university. A stipend funded from school resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor Rowan received his bachelor of arts degree (with high honors) from Rutgers College in 1972 and his doctor of philosophy degree from Stanford University in 1978. From 1979 to 1981, Professor Rowan was an assistant professor in the Department of Sociology at Texas Christian University. In 1981 he joined the Far West Laboratory for Education Research and Development as an associate research scientist, was promoted to a senior research scientist in 1983, and was appointed as a senior research director in 1985. In 1986 he moved to Michigan State University as an associate professor in the Departments of Educational Administration and Teacher Education and as chair of the Department of Educational Administration. He joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in 1991 as an associate professor, with tenure, and was promoted to professor in 1994.

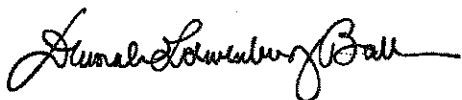
Professor Rowan is a sociologist whose scholarly interests lie at the intersection of organization theory and school effectiveness research. His research focuses on the application of organization

theory to the analysis of schooling, paying special attention to the nature of teachers' work, the organization and management of instruction, and the analysis of school effectiveness. His current work includes the design and development of a center for the study of educational improvement, devoted to the best empirical and methodological research and development on instruction and instructional improvement, the relationships of formal schooling to other influences on young people's learning and success from the early childhood period on, as well as the design, implementation, and effects of programs and policies designed to improve the quality of instruction.

A major goal of Professor Rowan's research program over the past several years has been to consolidate, archive, and disseminate data from two Gates Foundation-funded studies of teaching: (a) the *Measures of Effective Teaching (MET)* project, the largest study of teaching ever conducted in the U.S.; and (b) the *Measures of Effective Teaching Extension (MET-X)* project, a continuation of the MET study. Professor Rowan's association with the MET projects originated in 2009, but the archiving work began in 2011 after he led a team of U-M researchers from the Institute for Social Research (ISR), the Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), and the School of Education in successful proposals to the Gates Foundation to: (a) create a public access database at ICPSR of all of the quantitative and video data from the *MET* project; and (b) create a public access video library at the School of Education of more than 15,000 classroom videos collected as part of the *MET-X* project.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Brian P. Rowan as the Burke A. Hinsdale Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, for a five-year renewable term, effective November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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



Andrew D. Martin
Dean,
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

September 2014

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September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Donald Scavia

CURRENT TITLES: Graham Family Professor, Graham Sustainability Institute, Professor of Natural Resources and Environment, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment, and Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Graham Family Professor, Graham Sustainability Institute

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donald Scavia as the Graham Family Professor, Graham Sustainability Institute, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Professor Scavia received his B.S. and M.S. degrees in environmental engineering from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in 1973 and 1974, respectively. He received a Ph.D. in environmental engineering from the University of Michigan (U-M) in 1980. His research focuses on modeling and empirical studies of nutrient cycling, plankton production, food-web dynamics, and biological-physical coupling, with an emphasis on the effects of human disturbance on coastal and Great Lakes ecosystems. Prior to joining the U-M faculty, Professor Scavia held progressively responsible leadership positions with the National NOAA's National Ocean Service. After 15 years in Washington, D.C. focused on science and science policy, he received the Department of Commerce Gold Medal for Leadership. Professor Scavia joined the U-M faculty in 2004 as a professor and a research associate dean of the School of Natural Resources and Environment, and director of the Michigan Sea Grant Program.

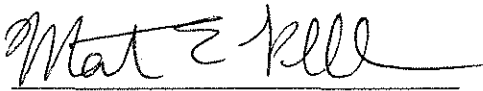
Professor Scavia has authored over 70 papers in refereed journals, including *Proceedings of the National Academy of Science*, *Science*, *BioScience*, *Environmental Science and Technology*, *Limnology and Oceanography*, *Canadian Journal of Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences*, *Estuaries and Coasts*, *Water Resources Research*, and *Ecological Modeling*. He is co-editor of From the Corn Belt to the Gulf: Assessment of Alternative Agricultural Futures and Ecological Modeling of Lake Ecosystems, and co-author of over 30 book chapters.

As director of the Graham Sustainability Institute and special counsel to the U-M president for sustainability, Professor Scavia is responsible for engaging the full multidisciplinary assets of the University of Michigan to develop and implement education, research, and operational goals in support of sustainable communities, ecosystems, and economies from local to global scales.

advance sustainability scholarship and influence real-world decisions; helping students engage across disciplines, experience diverse perspectives, think systemically, and pursue action-based education throughout the world; and propelling sustainability excellence throughout the university by guiding discussions, planning, coordination, and management for university-wide sustainability strategies and activities.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donald Scavia as the Graham Family Professor, Graham Sustainability Institute, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Recommended By:

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

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

NAME: David H. Sherman

CURRENT TITLES: Hans W. Vahlteich Professor of Medicinal Chemistry, Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Education, 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, 2014 through August 31, 2015

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, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

Professor Sherman received a Bachelor of Arts degree in chemistry (with honors) from the University of California, Santa Cruz, in 1978 and went on to complete a Doctor of Philosophy degree in chemistry at Columbia University in 1981. After receiving his Doctorate, Professor Sherman completed a post-doctoral fellowship at Yale University in 1982, followed by an additional post-doctoral fellowship at MIT, which he completed in 1984. He then joined Biogen Research Corporation and worked there as a research scientist for three years 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 director of the Center for Microbial Physiology and Metabolic Engineering there from 1996 through 1998 and became 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, and his leadership as associate dean for research and graduate education has had a positive influence on the success of the College of Pharmacy.


Professor Sherman's performance as associate dean of research and graduate education and his contributions to College of Pharmacy matters are invaluable. 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.

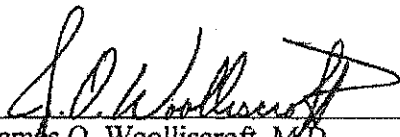
We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of David H. Sherman as associate dean for research and graduate education, College of Pharmacy, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

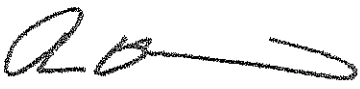
RECOMMENDED BY:


James T. Dalton
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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


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


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

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Tobin A. Siebers

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

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

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Tobin A. Siebers as the Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professor of Literary and Cultural Criticism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professorship in Literary and Cultural Criticism was established in August 2004. A stipend funded from College resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Siebers is one of our most brilliant and valuable colleagues at Michigan. He is a scholar with a rich and well-deserved international reputation and a prolific writer in a number of different modes. His record of publication is extraordinary. In the last several years, Professor Siebers' work has taken two new, unexpected, and strikingly successful turns; as is the case with all truly brilliant and restlessly productive minds, Professor Siebers has continued to grow in his work. His latest is arguably his best work and certainly his most influential work. In *Disability Theory* (2008) and *Disability Aesthetics* (2010), as well as in a variety of essays and articles published over the past dozen years in a range of different venue, Professor Siebers has propounded the most sophisticated version of identity politics connected with disability that American criticism has yet produced. In particular, his two important books have given unprecedented depth to a new and compelling field of inquiry. They have transformed the theoretical landscape by demonstrating convincingly just how completely a disability studies perspective can revolutionize a range of fields. By connecting disability studies to aesthetic questions in the second book, moreover, Professor Siebers shows how fully the central ethical and evaluative languages of philosophy are grounded in a hierarchical conception that unthinkingly renders disabled traits as inferior. His work has already had a transformative effect

across the profession. He continues to produce at a remarkable rate. His curriculum vitae lists at least ten essays that have been published or are forthcoming over the last five years.

Because of the foundational power of this work, Professor Siebers has been invited to speak at conferences all over the world. What he brings to the field is a vast knowledge of cultural theory and history that adds philosophical weight and rigor to a field that has been in search of both theorists and a theory. Indeed, the flagship organization of the field, the Society for Disability Studies, selected Professor Siebers as the recipient of their 2011 SDS Senior Scholar Award. In making the award, the selection committee praised his "field defining" work, and recognized his outstanding efforts to build the field of disability studies through the Disability Studies Initiative at the University of Michigan and in the Modern Language Association.

Professor Siebers is also a brilliant teacher of undergraduate and graduate students. He possesses the rare ability to ferret out the hidden assumptions and tacit arguments of various positions, which can be so bracing for students (and colleagues) to be around. He also knows to emphasize in the classroom the tricks of rhetoric, so that his students will be better readers. His erudition, moreover, extends from Plato to the present. A deep sense of ethical decency, and of ethical urgency, informs all that he does. Professor Siebers is equally strong as a leader of small seminars and as an undergraduate lecturer; his courses are demanding and garner a wide following. He continues to advise doctoral students as a committee member and as chair of the dissertation committees.

Professor Siebers' academic career is marked by experimental, groundbreaking work of real variety and intellectual depth. His teaching and service are and have been exemplary. We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Tobin A. Siebers as the Vernon Louis Parrington Collegiate Professor of Literary and Cultural Criticism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

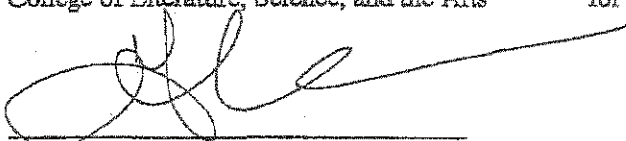
Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Martha E. Pollack
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Edward P. St. John

CURRENT TITLES: Algo D. Henderson Collegiate Professor of Education, and
Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Algo D. Henderson Collegiate Professor of Education, School of
Education

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2016

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Education, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Edward P. St. John as the Algo D. Henderson Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2016.

The Algo D. Henderson Collegiate Professorship in Education was established in December 2004. Algo D. Henderson was a professor of higher education at the University of Michigan from 1950 until his retirement in 1967; here, he created the first doctoral program in higher education administration in the United States and was the founding director of what is now the Center for the Study of Higher and Postsecondary Education. A stipend funded from school resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor St. John received his bachelor of science degree in 1973 and his master of education degree in 1974, both from the University of California, Davis, and his doctor of education degree from Harvard University in 1978. He served as associate director for research and planning at the Missouri Department of Higher Education from 1978 to 1980; as a consultant on post-secondary education in the Office of Planning, Budget, and Evaluation in the U.S. Department of Education from 1980 to 1981; and as a visiting fellow and lecturer in 1981 at the University of New England, Australia. From 1982 to 1985, he was at Advanced Technology Inc. and from 1985 to 1989 he was an executive officer and senior associate at Pelavin Associates, Inc. In 1989, he was appointed as an associate professor, with tenure, and promoted in 1993 to professor at the University of New Orleans. In 1996, he was appointed as professor of educational administration and director of the Center for Public Policy Research at the University of Dayton. In 1998, he was appointed as professor of educational leadership and policy studies at Indiana University. He also served as director of the Indiana Education Policy Center from 1998 to 2002 and as program chair of the higher education and student affairs program from 1999 to 2002. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a professor in 2005.

Professor St. John's scholarship focuses on actionable research supporting social justice in education. His books, chapters, and articles are derived from research conducted in support of

schools, colleges, and nonprofit organizations that share his interest in improving diversity, desegregation, college preparation, college access, and college retention. During the past five years he has authored five books and edited four books; College Organization and Professional Development (Routledge, 2009) received an award from the Association for the Study of Higher Education. He was author of the month for Routledge in 2012 when Public Policy and Higher Education, a book written with two former students, was released; this book has been adopted by many policy courses.

Professor St. John's assessment and evaluation research builds knowledge about social and educational changes that focus on reducing inequality. He has served on several task forces and planning groups at the University of Michigan, and works with willing partners across the nation. His work with the Gates Foundation and Detroit Public Schools led to a new consulting agreement with the National Education Association Foundation to support educational planning in Flint Community Schools. His research is now being used to inform development of national networks in Ireland and China.

Over the past five years, Professor St. John has served on U-M committees, served on and chaired a committee for awards for excellence in research and practice for the American Educational Research Association (AERA), and conducted collaborative projects with the National Center for Institutional Diversity.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Edward P. St. John as the Algo D. Henderson Collegiate Professor of Education, School of Education, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



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

NAME: Max S. Wicha, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Distinguished Professor of Oncology, Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Director, University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Distinguished Professor of Oncology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Max S. Wicha, M.D. as the Distinguished Professor of Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.


The Distinguished Professorship in Oncology was established in 1998 through the generosity of Mrs. Geneva Maisel Kellman, as well as fund-raising efforts by the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center Development Committee. It is intended that this distinguished professorship be held by the director of the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Dr. Wicha received his M.D. degree from Stanford University and pursued post-doctoral training at the University of Chicago and the National Cancer Institute before joining the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1980. Dr. Wicha has been the director of the Cancer Center since its inception in 1986.

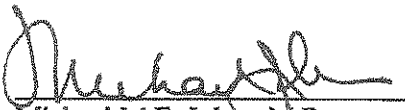
Dr. Wicha's research interest is in the field of breast cancer. His research involves the study of how breast cancer cells grow and metastasize. He is the principal investigator on the Cancer Center core grant, as well as on other grants sponsored by the National Institutes of Health, the Department of Defense, and the Breast Cancer Research Foundation. His bibliography reflects numerous peer-reviewed scientific articles and book chapters in this area of investigation. Dr. Wicha's expertise is further recognized through his activities as a reviewer for a number of prominent scholarly publications, and his role as a member of editorial boards for several top-tier journals. He has served on numerous site visit teams for the National Cancer Institute, advisory boards for cancer centers across the nation, and scientific boards for corporate, academic, and research institutions. Dr. Wicha is a member of state and national professional organizations and has served on various committees for these groups. He has published over 140 articles, and is highly sought after for national presentations.


Dr. Wicha continues to be a prominent leader whose efforts have resulted in the success of the University of Michigan Cancer Center. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Max S. Wicha, M.D. as the Distinguished Professor of Oncology, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

Recommended by:


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

Recommendation endorsed by:


Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
Interim Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs


Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments
or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected
academic administrative staff

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Fred C. Adams

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Ta-You Wu Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Fred C. Adams as the Ta-You Wu Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Ta-You Wu Collegiate Professorship in Physics was established by the Regents in July 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Fred Adams received his Doctorate at the University of California, Berkeley in 1988 and was appointed as a visiting scientist (1988) and a post-doctoral scholar (1988-1991) at the Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics. He joined the faculty at Michigan in 1991 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2001. He has held an additional appointment in the Department of Astronomy since 2000.

Professor Adams has enjoyed an enormously successful career that has succeeded in advancing one of the most intriguing aspects of astrophysics, namely the formation of stars and planets like our own. He has disseminated this work at highly technical and popular levels accessible to all. He has authored three books on cosmology and life in the universe that have been translated into ten languages, and has given popular lectures around the world. This combination of impact in both technical research and popular outreach is rare and achieved by a very small number of astrophysicists. The total citation statistics for his papers is close to 10,000 – clearly the accomplishment of a highly distinguished scholar.

Professor Adams' teaching has been universally recognized by students at all levels for its excellence. He has enjoyed an exemplary career that is well appreciated by students at all levels of the astrophysics program. His teaching assignments have run the full gamut of the departmental curriculum, including courses designed explicitly for non-science majors, large introductory lecture courses for science majors, technically challenging courses for undergraduate majors, and graduate courses in astrophysics. His most innovative accomplishment has been the 1996 introduction of "Death, Extinction, and the Future of Humanity." Now titled "Origin and Evolution of the Universe," this course expands on many of the themes in Professor Adams' popular books. Most of the students who take these courses are not science majors, but they do gain a much deeper appreciation of some of the major insights from the past 100 years of theory and observation.

In the service area, Professor Adams was chair of the departmental graduate program (1997-2004) and by all measures, his contribution was exemplary. More recently, he has been heavily involved in the Saturday

Morning Physics program which has enjoyed standing room only attendance for a number of years, attracting audiences that range from high school students to senior citizens. Professor Adams' broad theoretical background was also tapped for a stint as a member of the Michigan Center for Theoretical Physics Executive Committee (2005-2007), while he also served as the senior fellow of the Michigan Society of Fellows (2007-2011).

On the national stage, Professor Adams has been heavily involved in the organization of a large number of conferences and workshops concerned with the variety of topics that he helped develop. He has also served on a number of review panels evaluating funding proposals for research for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the National Science Foundation. He served on the Astro2010 Decadal Survey for which he was also the co-author of two science working papers. More recently, he was elected as the vice chair of the Division on Dynamical Astronomy of the American Astronomical Society. As is customary, Professor Adams will migrate to the chair position to become the leader of the division after one year.

Lastly, Professor Adams deserves a great deal of credit for the successful introduction of astrophysics as a new sub-field to the Department of Physics. His achievements have been recognized by awards at Michigan (Faculty Recognition Award, 2002; senior fellow, Michigan Society of Fellows, 2007-2011) and by national scientific organizations (Highly Cited Researcher, Top 5%, ISI Web of Science, 2004; fellow, American Physical Society/Division of Astrophysics, 2013).

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Fred C. Adams as the Ta-You Wu Collegiate Professor of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:



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

NAME: Mark M. Banaszak Holl

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, and Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering

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

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Chemistry, the College of Engineering, and the Medical School, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Mark M. Banaszak Holl as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Professor Banaszak Holl earned his Ph.D. from Cornell University in 1991. Following an appointment as an assistant professor at Brown University (1992-1995), Professor Banaszak Holl was appointed to the tenure-track at Michigan in 1995 and promoted through the ranks to professor in 2004. He has served as associate vice president for research (2009-2012). Professor Banaszak Holl is a distinguished scientist whose research has received significant outside funding and has been published in the top journals in his field.

Biophysics is an important aspect of Professor Banaszak-Holl's research program and he is an active user of their NMR facilities. He has been affiliated with the Program in Biophysics for several years and has made important contributions to the mentoring undergraduates and graduate students. For many years he taught the biophysics ethics sections for the ethics training course run by the PIBS program. With this additional appointment, Professor Banaszak Holl is ideally suited to continue to be a great asset by his active involvement with research and students.

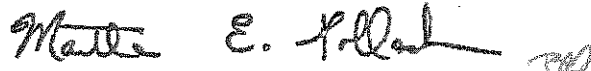
We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Mark M. Banaszak Holl as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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



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

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Zhan Chen

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

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

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Chemistry and the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Zhan Chen as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Zhan Chen completed his Doctorate at the University of California, Berkeley in 1998 and joined the faculty at Michigan as an assistant professor in 2000. He was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2009. Professor Chen has been associated with the Program in Biophysics for several years and has made significant contributions to mentoring undergraduate and graduate students. He has served on several dissertation committees. He actively participated in recruiting weekends by meeting with visiting students and presenting posters. Professor Chen will continue to recruit and supervise graduate students, serve on preliminary examination and/or thesis committees, serve as chair of dissertation committees, and in general contribute to advancing the goals and mission of the Program in Biophysics.

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

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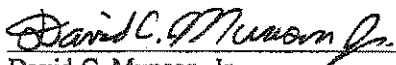


Andrew D. Martin
Dean and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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David C. Munson, Jr.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

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September 18, 2014

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

NAME: Paul S. Clyde

CURRENT TITLE: Clinical Assistant Professor of Business Economics and Public Policy, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Tom Lantos Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Paul S. Clyde as the Tom Lantos Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

The Tom Lantos Professorship in Business Administration was established by the Regents in November 2006. The professorship honors Congressman Thomas (Tom) P. Lantos (CA) for his long-term service as a member of the board of directors of the William Davidson Institute. Congressman Lantos has greatly assisted the William Davidson Institute with his experience and guidance, and has influenced the Institute's mission with his passionate concern about issues in developing countries.

Candidates for this professorship shall be engaged in the study of emerging and transitional market economies. It is the donor's preference that the incumbent generally be the faculty member acting as executive director of the William Davidson Institute at the University of Michigan.

Professor Clyde received his BS in business finance from Indiana University in 1985 and his MA and PhD in economics from the University of California, Los Angeles in 1986 and 1990 respectively.

Professor Clyde has conducted a wide range of research on development of emerging markets. His projects have involved corporations ranging in size from small biotech startups to large corporations such as Johnson & Johnson, Novo Nordisk and DTE Energy. These research efforts have included privatization projects, market entry strategies and business plans, and have involved work in over twenty countries.

Recently, Professor Clyde's work has focused on health care delivery to the poor in emerging markets. Over the past fifteen years he has advised or run over 50 health-care projects in twelve different emerging markets. He currently serves as director of the Living Business Model

Initiative at Ross. As part of the Living Business Model Initiative he is working with Ross students, medical faculty from the University of Michigan and clinicians and faculty in Uganda to develop a financially self-sustainable health care business model. He has also worked with the William Davidson Institute on collaborations with numerous institutions on the development of business education programs in Russia, Ukraine and Kazakhstan and projects with state-owned and private firms in India, Singapore and Romania.

Prior to joining the University, Professor Clyde was an economist at the Antitrust Division of the U.S. Department of Justice and a consultant with National Economic Research Associates. While at the Antitrust Division, he advised the governments of many transition economies on their competition laws and natural monopoly laws, including the Czech Republic and Slovakia where he lived for one year working as the economic advisor. He has been recognized as Teacher of the Year and has been awarded the Andy Andrews Distinguished Service Award. He has published his work in a number of journals including the *Journal of Finance*, *Managerial and Decision Economics* and *Economic Inquiry*.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Paul S. Clyde as the Tom Lantos Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Alison Davis-Blake
Edward J. Frey Dean of Business
Stephen M. Ross School of Business



Martha E. Pollack, Provost and
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Aline J. Cotel
CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, with tenure,
College of Engineering
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Professor of Environment, without tenure, College of Literature,
Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Program in the Environment (PiE) and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Aline J. Cotel as associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014.

Aline Cotel received her Doctorate at the University of Washington in 1995. Professor Cotel was appointed as an assistant professor at the University of Manitoba (1996-1999) before being appointed to the tenure track in the College of Engineering at Michigan in 1999. She was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2007. Professor Cotel will teach one course each year in PiE that will be cross-listed with the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering. She will participate in routine activities connected to undergraduate education, including career and internship advising, curricular planning, and committee service, and will be a great asset as PiE develops its environmental water restoration curriculum.

We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Aline J. Cotel as associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014.

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



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



Marie-Lynn Miranda
Samuel A. Graham Dean
School of Natural Resources and Environment

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Angela D. Dillard

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, with tenure, Professor in the Residential College, without tenure, and Director, Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Earl Lewis Collegiate Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies and in the Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Angela D. Dillard as the Earl Lewis Collegiate Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies and in the Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Earl Lewis Collegiate Professorship in Afroamerican and African Studies and in the Residential College was established by the Regents in July 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Angela Dillard received her Doctorate from the University of Michigan in 1995. She began her academic career as a visiting lecturer at James Madison College (1995) before being appointed as an assistant professor at the University of Minnesota (1995-1997) and as an assistant professor at New York University (1997-2002) where she was promoted to associate professor in 2002. Professor Dillard joined the faculty at Michigan as an associate professor, with tenure, in 2006 and was promoted to professor in 2009. She served on the Executive Committee at the Center for Afroamerican and African Studies (CAAS) during her first year at Michigan, as associate director (2007-2009) and as director (2010-2011) of CAAS, and is currently director of the Residential College (2011-present). She will be serving as associate dean for undergraduate education effective January 2015.

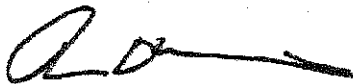
Professor Dillard's interdisciplinary training in political theory, history, and American studies enriches her work with varied layers of inquiry and investigation. She has built a prominent profile as a public scholar based on her ground breaking work on African American urbanism, religion, political ideology, and civil rights. She is the author of two well-regarded scholarly books: Guess Who's Coming to Dinner Now?: Multicultural Conservatism in America (NYU Press, 2001) and Faith in the City: Preaching Radical Social Change in Detroit (University of Michigan Press, 2007), as well as several articles and essays. Based on the originality and intellectual rigor of her work on topics of high public value and interest, Professor Dillard has stepped gracefully into the role of public intellectual, writing for the *New York Times Review of Books*, speaking on various radio programs, appearing on the *PBS News Hour with Jim Lehrer* as well as on *CSPAN/Book TV*, and participating in large public venues with other prominent public scholars. Her current book project is a biography of James Meredith, the civil rights icon turned conservative iconoclast, which is under contract with the University of California Press.

Within the classroom, Professor Dillard is dedicated to connecting education with civic life. She has shaped a varied slate of courses for undergraduate students from the 100 level to the 400, five of which she developed or completely revised during her first two years at Michigan. In DAAS she has regularly taught courses on faith, race, and urbanism, and in the RC she has routinely offered courses on urbanism, ideology, and theory. In these courses it is her expressed goal to provide students with an active, stimulating, unforgettable learning experience. Her "Black Church in Detroit" research seminar beautifully illustrates her effort in this regard. Professor Dillard first secured a \$10,000 grant from Arts of Citizenship to work on the community-based "Black Church Project: Building Archives, Empowering Communities and Facilitating Scholarship," and then brought students into the project to involve them in archival research and on-site work in churches in Ann Arbor and Detroit.

Professor Dillard has also emerged as one of the college's most committed, creative, and efficacious leaders in the area of service. People who work with her find her remarkable in her degree of dedication to her units and the wider college and appreciate the seriousness with which she approaches her duties to this campus community. Through her exemplary leadership, she has made a unique and stellar contribution to DAAS, the RC, the college and the university, as well as the myriad broader communities in Michigan and beyond.

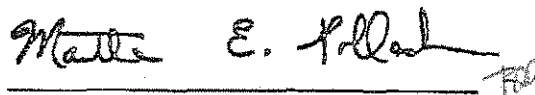
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Angela D. Dillard as the Earl Lewis Collegiate Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies and in the Residential College, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Tailen Hsing

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Statistics, and Professor of Statistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Michael B. Woodroofe Collegiate Professor of Statistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Tailen Hsing as the Michael B. Woodroofe Collegiate Professor of Statistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Michael B. Woodroofe Collegiate Professorship in Statistics was established by the Regents in July 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Tailen Hsing received his Doctorate at the University of North Carolina in 1984 and began his academic career as an assistant professor at the University of Texas, Arlington (1984-1986). Following a one-year appointment as a visiting assistant professor at the University of Illinois, he joined the faculty at Texas A&M University as an assistant professor (1987) where he was promoted through the ranks to professor, with tenure (1997-2004). He spent three years on Ohio State University's faculty before joining our faculty as a professor in 2007. He was appointed as chair of the Department of Statistics in 2010.

Professor Hsing is widely regarded as a world leader in applied probability and theoretical statistics. In the first ten years of his career, he had established himself as a top researcher. His early research interests included extreme value theory, stochastic geometry, and stochastic processes with long range dependence. He has made deep and highly innovative contributions to these areas. Two decades after his publications in this area, his work is still regarded as the best in the extreme theory for dependent processes. More recently, Professor Hsing has moved into statistical modeling and inference, spatial processes, and analysis of functional data, all of which are at the heart of modern developments in the field. His work was widely recognized as deep and original, and many other researchers have relied on his results and techniques in their own research. His papers are of extremely high quality and have appeared in the top journals in his field. His scholarship has been internationally recognized by an Alexander von Humboldt Research Fellowship and an elected Fellowship of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics (IMS).

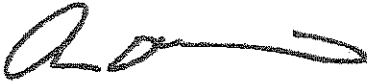
The IMS is a highly-respected professional society for academics in probability and statistics, and each year only twenty fellows are elected worldwide.

Professor Hsing is also an excellent educator. He has taught undergraduate students from freshman seminars to 400-level courses and graduate students with passion. His teaching style is a skillful balance of rigor and vigor. He is well-liked at all levels and receives very high evaluations from students. One of his Ph.D. students won a National Science Foundation (NSF) CAREER award in 2011.

Professor Hsing's service to the profession is highly appreciated by his peers at Michigan and in the wider statistics' community. He brought to Michigan his rich experience as a leader and a team player. Under his leadership, the Department of Statistics has embarked on bold initiatives at many fronts, including the growth of the Master of Science degree in statistics and the modernization of the curriculum to meet the needs of big data analysis. He also managed the department's recent external review where the feedback was very positive. He is extremely supportive of the faculty and works hard to develop their professional careers. Just in the past two years, several faculty received national and international recognition, including a MacArthur Fellowship, prestigious lectures, presidency of the International Statistical Institute, and editorship of leading journals. Professor Hsing has served on the editorial boards of several major journals in statistics, including *Annals of Statistics*, the flagship journal of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics (IMS), and *Bernoulli*, the flagship journal of the Bernoulli Society. He also served on several NSF review panels.

Professor Hsing brings great distinction to his department and to the college. His scholarly contributions are profound and his dedication to teaching and service are exemplary. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Tailen Hsing as the Michael B. Woodroffe Collegiate Professor of Statistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Ursula H. Jakob

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Biological Chemistry, without tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Patricia S. Yaeger Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Ursula H. Jakob as the Patricia S. Yaeger Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Patricia S. Yaeger Collegiate Professorship in Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology was established by the Regents in July 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Ursula Jakob received her Ph.D. from the University of Regensburg, Germany in 1995. At the University of Michigan she was appointed to a two-year post-doctoral fellowship (1996-1998) and a two-year assistant research scientist position (1999-2001) before being appointed as an assistant professor in 2001 in the Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology (MCDB). She was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2011. She also holds a joint appointment in the Department of Biological Chemistry in the Medical School.

Professor Jakob is well known internationally for her significant contribution to conceptual changes in the areas of redox (reduction-oxidation) proteomics, metal-based tuning of redox biology, chaperone function, and protein folding in bacteria. Her discovery that the chaperone protein Hsp33 in bacteria is rapidly activated in response to oxidative or heat stress has fundamentally changed our view of how cells respond to chemical changes in proteins from oxidation. Professor Jakob has an outstanding record of research productivity and a demonstrated ability to attract research funding. Her laboratory has always been very well-funded and she maintains a large and vigorous research group. She and her colleagues have developed several innovative techniques for which she holds patents. These techniques are applicable to nearly all cell types and organisms, and provide biologists with an unprecedented ability to directly detect, monitor, and quantify the effects of oxidative and nitrosative stress *in vivo*.

Professor Jakob has received a lot of attention from the scientific community and in the public media. Her research has been highlighted in a Dispatch in *Current Biology*, a "News and Views" article in *Nature Biotechnology*, a Primer in *PloS Biology*, and has been repeatedly recommended by Faculty 1000 members. She has given numerous interviews for national and international popular scientific journals. To date, Professor Jakob has published 73 primary research papers in top, peer-reviewed journals, plus five book chapters and three edited journals or books. She gave twelve seminars and invited presentations at prestigious scientific meetings in 2012 and 2013.

Professor Jakob has played an important role in the undergraduate and graduate life science curricula administered by the Program in Biology and the Department of MCDB. In addition to other courses, she has been co-teaching a large enrollment class (> 150 students) which is critical to many different concentrations. Students consistently give her high marks; the positive student reactions to her skills in the classroom are especially impressive given the large size and the rigorous grading consistently employed in the course. Since 2001, she has mentored fifteen doctoral students, ten masters students, thirteen post-doctoral scholars, served on 25 dissertation committees, and trained 44 undergraduate students in her research laboratory.

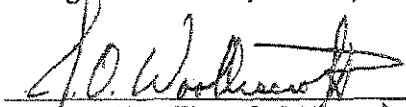
Professor Jakob excels at service and has made important contributions at Michigan and to her profession. She has served on numerous committees in MCDB, in her Medical School department, and for units across campus. She has held leadership roles in her professional community, including election as co-chair/chair of the Gordon Research conference for 2013/2015. She serves as a member of a National Institutes of Health study section, which reviews grant applications. In all of these contexts, she can be counted on for her strong organizational skills and her dedication to high quality work.

Professor Jakob is one of our most talented and accomplished faculty members. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Ursula H. Jakob as the Patricia S. Yaeger Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:



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

Recommendation endorsed by:



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

NAME: Susan M. Juster

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Rhys Isaac Collegiate Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Susan M. Juster as the Rhys Isaac Collegiate Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Rhys Isaac Collegiate Professorship in History was established by the Regents in July 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Susan Juster received her Doctorate from the University of Michigan in 1990. She began her academic career as an assistant professor at the University of California at Santa Barbara (1990-1992) before joining the tenure track at Michigan in 1992. She was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2005. From 2008 to 2011, she served as the associate dean for the social sciences division in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.

Professor Juster is widely regarded as one of the most innovative and influential scholars of religion and gender working in the United States today. She has also established a reputation as a leading scholar of colonial America. She has an exceptionally strong publication record that includes two scholarly books and a book-in-progress, two highly visible co-edited essay collections, and a dozen or so first-rate and highly regarded articles. Her first book, Disorderly Women: Sexual Politics and Evangelicalism in Revolutionary New England (Cornell University Press, 1994), won the prestigious Louis Gottschalk Prize from the American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies in 1995. Her second book, Doomsayers: Anglo-American Prophecy in the Age of Revolution (University of Pennsylvania Press, 2003), was selected as a finalist for the Organization of American Historians' Merle Curti Prize in Social and Intellectual History. Professor Juster's current book project, Sacred Violence in Early America, is expected to be completed during her 2014-2015 leave as the Roy Ritchie Distinguished Senior Fellow at the Huntington Library in California. Her co-edited essay collections are highly regarded and offer evidence of the interdisciplinary arenas in which she is an active and influential scholar.

Professor Juster is one of the department's most accomplished teachers. She regularly teaches the first half of the American history survey course, which covers U.S. history up to 1865. Regarded as one of the most difficult courses to staff, she has taught it nearly every year and has proven that it can be both a rigorous and popular course. In fact, she received the 1995 Excellence in Teaching Award for her work in this class. She has also developed other large lecture classes, including a survey course on religion in

America which brings to center stage her extraordinary pedagogical talent in introducing students to complicated and highly sensitive materials from a range of faith practices and traditions, while enabling them to engage in open and critical analysis. She also tackled the challenging task of teaching a new required history methodology course entitled "Doing History." This is surely one of the most daunting courses to teach as it spans a wide range of geographic and temporal topics and incorporates sources and site visits to several UM museums and archives. Student response is very positive and they give her stellar reviews. Professor Juster is also recognized as an exceedingly gifted mentor of graduate student instructors who works to prepare them to handle explosive topics and to help them create successful sections. She is also highly regarded as a graduate teacher and dissertation advisor. She has developed several well-attended courses in early American history and a more recent course on religious violence. In her career at Michigan, Professor Juster has chaired or co-chaired fourteen dissertations.

Professor Juster is a vibrant and highly regarded intellectual leader and citizen in the college, her department, and in the wider campus community. She has served on important departmental committees, on the editorial Board of the University of Michigan Press, as a senior fellow at the Society of Fellows, on the Executive Committee of the Institute for the Humanities, and one term on the Executive Board of the Horace H. Rackham Graduate School. She was director of Graduate Studies and associate chair in the Department of History before becoming associate dean in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.

Professor Juster has distinguished herself as a scholar of high national repute, an accomplished and highly committed teacher, and as a colleague with an outstanding record of intellectual leadership at all levels. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Susan M. Juster as the Rhys Isaac Collegiate Professor of History, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:



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: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship
NAME: Sunil D. Kapila
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Drs. Thomas M. and Doris Graber Endowed Professor of
Dentistry, School of Dentistry
TERM: Five Years, Renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2019

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Dentistry are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sunil D. Kapila as the Drs. Thomas M. and Doris Graber Endowed Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2019.

This endowed professorship was established by the Regents in June 1998 and is named for Dr. Thomas M. Graber and his wife, Dr. Doris Graber. Dr. Thomas Graber, in his professional career as an orthodontist and anatomist of over fifty years, had an enormous impact on the treatment of craniofacial anomalies in dentistry and medicine.

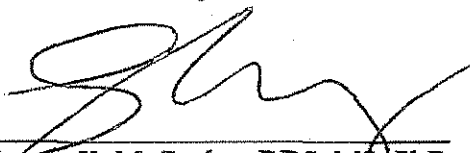
Professor Kapila received a BDS in 1981 from the University of Nairobi, Kenya, a certificate and an MS in orthodontics in 1987 from the University of Oklahoma, and a PhD in oral biology in 1994 from the University of California, San Francisco (UCSF). Since completing his education and training, Professor Kapila has been a dental officer at Kenyatta National Hospital and a clinical instructor and tutor in Orthodontics at the University of Nairobi Dental School, Nairobi Kenya, as well as an assistant professor, associate professor, and interim chair in the Department of Growth and Development, School of Dentistry, UCSF.

Professor Kapila joined the University of Michigan faculty as a professor of dentistry, with tenure, and chair of the Department of Orthodontics and Pediatric Dentistry in 2004. Professor Kapila is an excellent scientist, skilled clinician and educator. He continues to play an important role in the advancement of the department and school's educational programs and missions. On a national level, Professor Kapila is regarded in his field as an outstanding academic orthodontist. Professor Kapila is the recipient of several research awards including the AADR Hatton Award in 1993 and the AAO Milo Hellman Award in 1995. He was also awarded the Outstanding Alumnus Award by the Department of Orthodontics at the University of Oklahoma in 2007.

Professor Kapila has served as a member of various school and university committees and on research and professional committees and societies. He has served as an editorial board member for several international and national journals, and as a grant reviewer for numerous national research foundations.


I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Sunil D. Kapila as the Drs. Thomas M. and Doris Graber Endowed Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, for a five-year renewable term, effective August 1, 2014 through July 31, 2019.

Recommended by:



Laurie K. McCauley, DDS, MS, PhD
Dean, School of Dentistry

Recommendation endorsed by:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Nicolai Lehnert

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

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

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Nicolai Lehnert as associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Nicolai Lehnert received his Doctorate from the University of Mainz in 1999. Following a post-doctoral fellowship at Stanford University (1999-2000) and habilitation at Christian-Albrechts University (2001-2006), Professor Lehnert was appointed to the tenure track at Michigan in 2006 and promoted to associate professor in 2012. He has been affiliated with the Program in Biophysics for five years and contributes to teaching and mentoring of students at all levels. His new undergraduate course attracts students interested in bio(inorganic) chemistry, biophysics, and chemical biology. He has participated in faculty meetings and the seminar program, and plans to increase his commitment by serving on program committees.

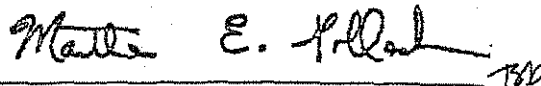
We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Nicolai Lehnert as associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:



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

NAME: Peggy S. McCracken

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of French, with tenure, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, and Professor of Comparative Literature, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Domna C. Stanton Collegiate Professor of French, Women's Studies, and Comparative Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committees of the Departments of Romance Languages and Literatures, Women's Studies, and Comparative Literature, and in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Peggy S. McCracken as the Domna C. Stanton Collegiate Professor of French, Women's Studies, and Comparative Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Domna C. Stanton Collegiate Professorship in French, Women's Studies, and Comparative Literature was established by the Regents in June 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Professor McCracken is internationally recognized and respected as one of the most influential French medievalists currently in the field, and as a feminist scholar who does important work on gender, sexuality, and the body. Her scholarly work reveals a very extensive knowledge of her field and of the ways in which different academic fields engage and dialogue with each other, making interdisciplinary approaches to the study of medieval texts a central part of her research and teaching missions. She is a creative, highly original, and determined scholar, who strives to reshape the boundaries of her field. Professor McCracken has published two books of original scholarship, more than twenty articles or chapters in edited volumes, and three co-edited books with renowned scholars. Her current project is a book in progress that is under review at the University of Chicago Press with an expected completion date of fall 2015. She also has a book entitled In Search of the Christian Buddha: How an Asian Sage Became a Christian Saint (co-authored with D. S. Lopez Jr.) that is forthcoming from Norton Press in 2014.

Professor McCracken is a dedicated and thoughtful teacher who has repeatedly shown she was willing to adapt effectively to changes in the discipline, students' interests, and classroom

technology. Her dedication to her students is a source of inspiration for many of her colleagues at Michigan. She is also a very effective mentor who has directed or is directing ten dissertations to date and has served or is serving as a member of another eighteen dissertation committees. She was director of Graduate Studies in Romance Language and Literatures and in Women's Studies. She remains actively committed to teaching and mentoring at all levels.

During her years as chair of Romance Languages and Literatures (2003-2006), Professor McCracken played a pivotal role in guiding the department away from a traditional or classical foreign language department toward a department of romance cultural studies. She also helped the faculty become more visible on campus by representing the department on university and college committees. She promoted significant changes in the French and Spanish undergraduate curricula, an important revision of the department's graduate programs, key modifications to the department's statutes and administrative structures, and all the while leading a collective conversation on the current long range plan. Today's Department of Romance Languages and Literatures bears the marks, at all levels, of her leadership and vision.

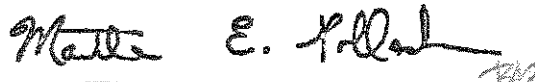
In recognition of Professor McCracken's outstanding contributions in scholarship, teaching, and service, we are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Peggy S. McCracken as the Domna C. Stanton Collegiate Professor of French, Women's Studies, and Comparative Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Mark S. Mizruchi

CURRENT TITLES: Barger Family Professor of Organizational Studies, Professor of Sociology, with tenure, Director, Organizational Studies Program, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Business Administration, without tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark S. Mizruchi as the Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professorship in Sociology was renamed in August 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Mark Mizruchi received his Doctorate from the State University of New York in 1980. He began his career at Albert Einstein College of Medicine as a statistical analyst (1980-1983) and an assistant professor of psychiatry (1981-1987). He joined the faculty at Columbia University as an assistant professor (1987-1989) and was promoted to associate professor in 1989. Professor Mizruchi came to Michigan at the rank of professor in 1991.

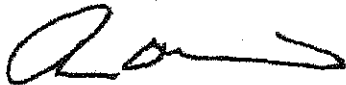
Professor Mizruchi, a scholar of organizational and economic sociology, is the department's most prominent sociologist in this subfield and is among the world's leading economic sociologists. He is a prolific researcher whose innovative and theoretically powerful writings have for the last twenty years defined, and moved forward, the cutting edge of scholarship on business organizations and social networks. His research has revolved around the central sociological question of how social structures shape group behavior, focusing in particular on the impact of corporate networks on such outcomes as business political behavior, corporate financial strategies, and administrative control and governance. He has examined these processes historically, tracing their evolution and transformation over time and he has delved more deeply into each of these topics over time. Professor Mizruchi has written three books and over 70 peer-reviewed articles (most of which he is senior or sole author). Many of these articles have appeared in the leading journals in sociology and the topical breadth of his publication record is unmatched by most of his peers. Professor Mizruchi's rate of publication, as

well as its extremely high profile, is an indication that he has delivered on early expectations that began with his receipt of the National Science Foundation's multi-year Presidential Young Investigator Award. In 2012 he was awarded the very prestigious John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowship as a capstone to his career achievements thus far.

Professor Mizruchi is an equally outstanding instructor and student mentor. He has applied his scholarly expertise and graduate teaching in economic sociology to expand and enrich educational opportunities for undergraduates. He offered the department's first undergraduate course in economic sociology in 1996 and is now the senior faculty member among a faculty group of a half-dozen who teach and research in that area. He has regularly taught this popular and highly-rated course to more than 130 students per term. Professor Mizruchi has also been an extremely versatile instructor at the graduate level where he teaches a wide range of courses, including sociological theory, sociological statistics, economic and organizational sociology, and seminars in advanced sociological methods. He is the only member of his department who teaches graduate courses that cover this spectrum of areas. The intensity of his commitment to graduate teaching is matched by his service as a graduate student mentor. He has chaired or co-chaired over a dozen dissertation committees and he has served on over thirty additional committees. Three of his most recent students have landed tenure-track jobs at Harvard University, the University of Washington, and Stanford University. In 2004, the college recognized his teaching and mentoring efforts with an Excellence in Education award.

In research, teaching, and service, Professor Mizruchi has moved from serving as a department leader to becoming a model of excellence in the college. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark S. Mizruchi as the Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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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Alison Davis-Blake
Edward J. Frey Dean of Business
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

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

NAME: Bin Nan

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Biostatistics, with tenure, School of Public Health

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

TERM: Three Years, Renewable

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

With the approval of the executive committees of the Department of Statistics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Bin Nan as professor of statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a three-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

Bin Nan received his Ph.D. from the University of Washington in 2001. He began his academic career as an assistant professor at Zhengzhou Institute of Aeronautical Industry Management (1987-1993) and was promoted to associate professor (1993-1995). Following appointments as a teaching assistant at Virginia Commonwealth University (1995-1997) and as a research assistant at the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center (1998-2001), Professor Nan joined the faculty in the School of Public Health as an assistant professor in 2001 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2011.

Professor Nan's research interests are in various areas of statistics and biostatistics, including semi-parametric inference, failure time and survival analysis, longitudinal data, missing data and two-phase sampling designs, and high-dimensional data analysis. He is also collaborating in numerous studies in areas of epidemiology, bioinformatics, and brain imaging, particularly as the research is related to cancer, HIV, women's health, and neurodegenerative diseases.

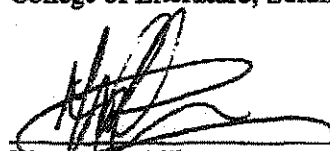
Professor Nan is an excellent teacher and mentor who will participate within the Department of Statistics by advising or co-advising doctoral students interested in statistical issues in biomedical research; providing expertise in biostatistics, particularly in survival analysis, missing data, and brain imaging; and being involved in seminars, journal clubs, and other working groups.

We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Bin Nan as professor of statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a three-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

Recommended by:



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



Martin A. Philbert
Dean, School of Public Health

Recommendation endorsed by:



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice Professor of
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Maire Sile O'Modhrain

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, without tenure, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Professor of Information, without tenure, School of Information

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

With the support of the faculty of the School of Information we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Maire Sile O'Modhrain as associate professor of information, without tenure, School of Information, effective September 1, 2014.

Professor O'Modhrain joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2011 as an associate professor, with tenure, in the School of Music, Theatre & Dance. In 2012, she was appointed as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, in the College of Engineering.

Professor O'Modhrain received her Ph.D. in computer-based music theory at Stanford in 2000, after completing a M.S. in music technology at the University of York (1989) and a B.A. in music at Trinity College (1988). Prior to joining the University of Michigan, she was a post-doctoral fellow at MIT's Media Lab (2000-01), a principal research scientist at Media Lab Europe (2001-05), and senior lecturer and director of research at the Queen's University Sonic Arts Research Centre (2005-11). Professor O'Modhrain is an international leader in accessible computing, particularly the design of haptic interfaces and of technologies for blind users. She has published 63 papers and four have been cited more than 100 times – and one has been cited more than 200 times.


Professor O'Modhrain is an active participant in the Michigan Interactive and Social Computing (MISC) group and through this participation has initiated collaborations with several faculty and students at the School of Information (UMSI). In addition, her courses are popular electives for UMSI students specializing in human-computer interaction (e.g. movement for interaction design – an introduction to the use of three kinds of motion tracking in the design of interactive technologies). Professor O'Modhrain's exploration of ideas about accessible computing through the design and development of prototypes is aligned with UMSI's aspiration to increase the number of its technically-oriented faculty. For example, she has both NSF and M-Cubed

funding to develop a full-page, fluid-actuated refreshable braille display (the Holy Braille project). Further, she is well-prepared to teach technically-oriented upper-level courses in both the school's MSI and BSI curriculums (and is already teaching UMSI students in her courses with great success). Finally, there are important connections between Professor O'Modhrain's work and the interests of faculty at UMSI who are pioneers in the field of information and communication technology for development (ICTD). Specifically, there is a great need in the developing world for inexpensive technologies that will enable full access to education and employment by disabled individuals. Professor O'Modhrain will greatly enhance ICTD efforts in accessible computing underway at UMSI.

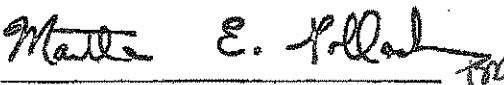
We are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Maire Sile O'Modrain as associate professor of information, without tenure, School of Information, effective September 1, 2014.

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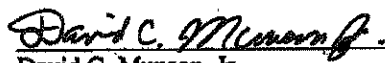
Jeffrey Mackie-Mason
Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of
Information and Computer Science, and
Dean, School of Information



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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Christopher Kendall
Paul Boylan Collegiate Professor of Music,
and Dean, School of Theatre & Dance



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

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

NAME: Christopher J. Poulsen

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, without tenure, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the appointment of Christopher J. Poulsen as chair, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Christopher Poulsen received his B.A. in geology from Carleton College in 1994 and his Ph.D. in geosciences from Pennsylvania State University in 1999. He briefly worked as a research associate at the University of Chicago before taking on a teaching position as assistant professor of Earth sciences at the University of Southern California in 2000. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in 2003, and was promoted through the ranks to professor, with tenure, in 2013. Professor Poulsen has served his department in multiple capacities over the years, most recently on the Executive Committee (2012-2104) and as chair of the Promotions Committee (2013). He was elected to the University Senate Assembly (2011-2014) and has earned several awards and honors, including the John Dewey Award (2013) for his commitment to undergraduate teaching. As a co-principal investigator, Professor Poulsen currently has more than 1 million dollars in active grant support for his collaborative research projects.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Christopher J. Poulsen as chair, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

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

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Research Professorship
NAME: Richard L. Prager, M.D.
CURRENT TITLE: Clinical Professor of Cardiac Surgery, Medical School
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professor of Cardiac
Surgery, Medical School
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of Edward L. Bove, M.D., the Helen F. and Marvin M. Kirsh Professor and Chair of Cardiac Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Richard L. Prager, M.D. as the Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professor of Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

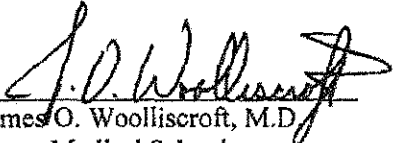
The Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professorship in Cardiac Surgery was established in July 2014 through gifts, departmental funds and a bequest from the Sarns family to support cardiac surgery with a focus on research, clinical application and teaching. Mr. and Mrs. Sarns founded Sarns, Inc. and NuStep, with the vision of advancing surgical procedures, improving patient outcomes, and helping those with heart disease transform their lives.

Richard L. Prager received his M.D. degree in 1971 at the State University of New York. He completed general surgical and thoracic surgical training at the University of Michigan from 1971-1978. Dr. Prager was appointed as an assistant professor of surgery in 1978 at Vanderbilt Medical Center. In 1983, he was a member of the Cardiac and Thoracic Surgical Group at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor, and was appointed as the head of the section of cardiac and thoracic surgery from 1990-1999. Dr. Prager returned to the University of Michigan in 1984 as a clinical associate professor in the Section of Thoracic Surgery. Dr. Prager was promoted to a clinical professor of cardiac surgery in 1999.


Dr. Prager is the director of the Frankel Cardiovascular Center and is the program director of the Thoracic Surgery residency program. He leads the Michigan Society of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgeons Quality Collaborative and is chair of the Society of Thoracic Surgeons Taskforce on the Adult Cardiac Surgery Database. Dr. Prager is also chair of the Society of Thoracic Surgeons Task Force on Quality Initiatives and the STS Council on Quality, Research and Patient Safety. His research focuses on acquired heart disease, health outcomes research, patient safety, organizational efficiencies and education.

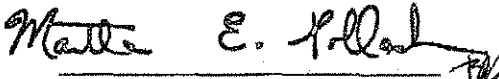
Dr. Prager's research aligns with the important work already established by Richard and Norma Sarns in life improvements for heart disease patients. He is a fitting candidate for this professorship. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Richard L. Prager, M.D. as the Richard and Norma Sarns Research Professor of Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:


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

Recommendation endorsed by:


Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
Interim Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs


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

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

NAME: Pejman Rohani

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, Professor of Complex Systems, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Pearl L. Kendrick Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Complex Systems, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Pejman Rohani as the Pearl L. Kendrick Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Complex Systems, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Pearl L. Kendrick Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Complex Systems was established by the Regents in July 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Pejman Rohani received his Doctorate from Imperial College, University of London in 1995. Following a one-year post-doctoral fellowship at the University of Utah (1995-1996) and a five-year research fellowship at the University of Cambridge (1996-2001), Professor Rohani began his academic career as an assistant professor at the University of Georgia in 1991. He was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2008 and joined the faculty at Michigan in 2009.

Professor Rohani is a brilliant scientist who is in the very top echelons of an elite international group of scholars in theoretical ecology focusing specifically on the modeling of human infectious disease. He is an extremely clever theoretician who is firmly committed to confronting models with data and using sophisticated mathematical and computational approaches to elucidate ecological patterns in nature. Professor Rohani is an internationally recognized scholar of human disease ecology with important contributions to our understanding of measles and pertussis. He has also made important advances in more theoretical aspects of ecology, including the generation of complex spatial patterns and the consequences of host-parasitoid-pathogen assemblages. He is clearly one of the leaders in the field and his publications continue to appear in very high profile venues. His work, in addition to being widely cited, also attracts a great deal of grant support. In

2012, he and his collaborator were awarded a \$1.7M grant from the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to further study the dynamics of pertussis transmission. During his tenure at Michigan he has received over \$3.5M of grant support from the NIH and the National Science Foundation (NSF).

Professor Rohani teaches both undergraduate and graduate courses that are cross-listed in the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and the Center for the Study of Complex Systems. The Complex Systems minor was created to attract technically advanced undergraduate students who are pointed toward graduate programs and research careers. His pedagogy is of the highest quality and he continually receives accolades from the best students, even as some of the mathematically challenged undergraduate students struggle with the concepts he presents. His textbook on infectious diseases (coauthored with M. J. Keeling, Princeton University Press, 2008) is a standard text for many courses around the country in both epidemiology and disease ecology.

In addition to regular committee work in the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and the Center for the Study of Complex Systems, Professor Rohani has served on the thirteen member commission that reported on "The Childhood Immunization Schedule and Safety: Stakeholder Concerns, Scientific Evidence, and Future Studies" that was sponsored by the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services in 2012. He currently serves on the editorial board of *The American Naturalist*, *Proceedings of the Royal Society of London – B*, and has served as academic editor for *PLoS Biology*, *PLoS Medicine*, *PLoS Computational Biology*, and the *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*. He has been on NSF review panels (2007, 2009, 2010, 2012) and served on NIH review committees (2012, 2013).

In research, teaching, and service, Professor Rohani is a highly valued faculty member at Michigan. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Pejman Rohani as the Pearl L. Kendrick Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Complex Systems, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

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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Martin A. Philbert
Dean, School of Public Health

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

NAME: Tanya S. Rosenblat

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

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

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Economics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the School of Information, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Tanya S. Rosenblat as associate professor of economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Tanya Rosenblat received her Doctorate in economics from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1999. She was appointed as a visiting member of the Institute for Advanced Study (2005-2006), assistant professor of economics at Wesleyan University (1998-2008), and associate professor of economics at the Iowa State University (2008-2013), before joining the faculty in the School of Information in 2013.

Professor Rosenblat's main area of research has been experimental economics, with a focus on social networks and on behavioral economics. She seeks to raise and explore questions that few have asked. Her research is consistently based on either carefully constructed theory or it uses experimental work to formulate new theories. Overall, her work shows careful attention to the interaction of experiments and theory.

Professor Rosenblat has taught a large variety of courses at Iowa State University and at Wesleyan University in game theory, microeconomic theory, industrial organization, network economics, and mathematics for economists. She will be an active contributor to research seminars in economics and a source of ideas and constructive criticism for graduate students. Professor Rosenblat may also contribute to a more systematic training of economics' students in experimental economics by offering a graduate class in this area.

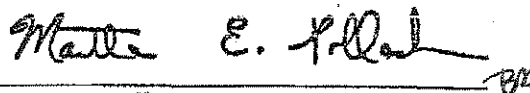
We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Tanya S. Rosenblat as associate professor of economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:




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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Jeffrey R. MacKie-Mason
Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information
and Computer Science, Professor of Economics and
Public Policy, and Dean, School of Information

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

NAME: Jonathan M. Rubin, M.D., Ph.D.

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology,
Medical School

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

On the recommendation of N. Reed Dunnick, M.D., the Fred Jenner Hodges Professor and Chair of the Department of Radiology, and with concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jonathan M. Rubin, M.D., Ph.D. as the William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective January 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

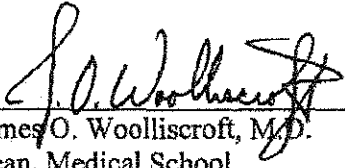
The William Martel Collegiate Professorship in Radiology was established in September 1997 to recognize Dr. Martel's expertise in musculoskeletal radiology, and his contributions to the field and the University of Michigan. Dr. Martel retired from active faculty service in 1997.

Dr. Rubin received his M.D. degree from the University of Chicago in 1974. He completed an internship and residency in radiology and subsequently completed a Ph.D. in biophysics and theoretical biology in 1977 at that institution. Dr. Rubin was appointed as an instructor at the University of Chicago in 1978, and was appointed as an assistant professor in 1979. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1984 as an associate professor in the Department of Radiology, and was promoted to professor in 1989. Dr. Rubin is currently the director of the Division of Ultrasound within the Department of Radiology.

Dr. Rubin's research focuses on ultrasound scanning, specifically with elasticity imaging of both quasi-static and shearwave velocity imaging. He was a front-leader in the application of ultrasound speckle tracking of the lung surface, which is a new application for ultrasound, that will lead to assessing lung function utilizing sonography. Dr. Rubin has been continuously funded for his research, and has received numerous awards, including the Society of Radiologists in Ultrasound Lawrence Mack Lifetime Achievement Award, and the Distinguished Investigator Award from the Academy of Radiology Research. He has published more than 200 peer-reviewed articles in top tier journals, and holds ten patents for his work. Dr. Rubin is the associate editor for *Ultrasound in Medicine and Biology*, and the *Journal of Ultrasound in Medicine*. He also serves as deputy editor of the *Journal of Ultrasound in Medicine*.

Dr. Rubin is an excellent teacher, clinical radiologist and one of the few physicians who understands the physics of diagnostic ultrasound. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Jonathan M. Rubin, M.D., Ph.D. as the William Martel Collegiate Professor of Radiology, Medical School, effective January 1, 2015 through August 31, 2020.

Recommended by:

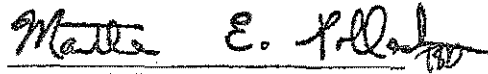


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
Interim Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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

NAME: Robert F. Schoeni

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Public Policy, without tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

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

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of Department of Economics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Robert F. Schoeni as professor of economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Robert Schoeni received his Doctorate in economics from the University of Michigan in 1992. After several years at RAND, he returned to Michigan in 2001 and was appointed as an associate research professor in the Survey Research Center (SRC) at the Institute for Social Research (ISR). He joined the Ford School as an associate professor, without tenure, and was promoted to professor in 2007. The Department of Economics also appointed him as an associate professor in 2002; that appointment ended in 2013.

Professor Schoeni is an internationally known scholar on aging who is also well-known for his research on economic demography and the evaluation of transfer programs. He has compiled an impressive record of high quality interdisciplinary research, including contributions in top journals in five different fields: economics, medicine, public health, policy studies, and demography.

Professor Schoeni has been an active participant in the Department of Economics for over eleven years. He continues to advise, mentor, and collaborate with graduate students. The department benefits directly through research, grant, and employment opportunities for economics undergraduate and graduate students and faculty, and through the intellectual opportunities provided by workshop series and other activities. Professor Schoeni also organizes conferences each year that bring a number of well-regarded scholars to campus and provide opportunities for economics faculty to present their research. Most recently, he organized a conference on consumption research which brought in many leading international scholars and was heavily attended by economics students and faculty. These events and his other work across campus continue to benefit the faculty and students in the Department of Economics.

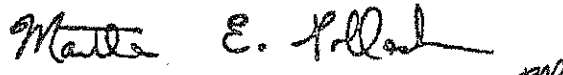
We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Robert F. Schoeni as professor of economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:



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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Susan M. Collins
Joan and Sanford Weill Dean of Public Policy
Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Adam C. Simon

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, with tenure,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Program in the Environment (PitE) and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences (EES), we are pleased to recommend an additional appointment of Adam C. Simon as associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014.

Adam Simon completed his Doctorate at the University of Maryland in 2003 and began his academic career as an assistant professor at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas in 2005. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2011. He joined our faculty as an associate professor, with tenure, in 2012.

Professor Simon currently teaches a course in mineral resources, economics, and the environment, which is cross-listed in EES and PitE. He will also work with PitE and EES to develop and refine a curriculum of environmental science courses that serves the needs of both units. His affiliation with PitE will provide a vital link with EES, especially as more students pursue the topic of environmental science.

We are very pleased to recommend an additional appointment of Adam C. Simon as associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014.

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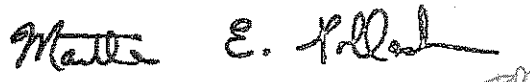


Andrew D. Martin
Dean and Professor of Political Science
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts



Marie Lynn Miranda
Samuel A. Graham Dean
School of Natural Resources and Environment

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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

NAME: Stuart N. Soroka

TITLES: Professor of Communication Studies, with tenure, and Professor of Political Science, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Michael W. Traugott Collegiate Professor of Communication Studies and Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Stuart N. Soroka as the Michael W. Traugott Collegiate Professor of Communication Studies and Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Michael W. Traugott Collegiate Professorship in Communication Studies and Political Science was established by the Regents in July 2014. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Stuart Soroka received his Doctorate at the University of British Columbia in 2000. Following a two-year appointment as the Gwilym Gibbon Post-doctoral Research Fellow at the University of Oxford (Nuffield College), Professor Soroka joined the faculty at McGill University in 2000 as an assistant professor and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2014. He joined the faculty at Michigan on September 1, 2014.

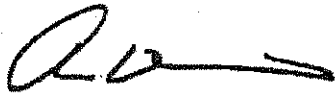
Professor Soroka is an outstanding internationally renowned scholar of political communication, whose work focuses on the relationships between the media, public opinion and public policy, social welfare and healthcare policy, and immigration and diversity. He is also a highly innovative methodologist who brings considerable strength in social science and quantitative research methods to our departments. The quality of his work is excellent and has had a significant and widely recognized impact on the field. His research has been acknowledged by the American Political Science Association with the Seymour Martin Lipset Best Book Award for his second book, Degrees of Democracy: Politics, Public Opinion, and Policy (co-authored with C. Wlezien, Cambridge University Press, 2010). He is the sole author of two other books

and has published 36 articles in peer-reviewed journals and eighteen book chapters. He is a regular participant at major communication and political science conferences, having presented dozens of papers in the past five years.

Professor Soroka is also an excellent, seasoned, and accomplished instructor having taught upper and lower level undergraduate courses as well as graduate seminars. Student evaluations are consistently in the upper range in spite of the fact that he is a demanding teacher.

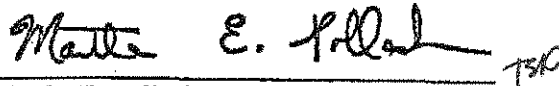
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Stuart N. Soroka as the Michael W. Traugott Collegiate Professor of Communication Studies and Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:



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

NAME: Duxin Sun

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences, with tenure, College of Pharmacy

ADDITIONAL TITLE: William I. Higuchi Collegiate Professor of Pharmacy, College of Pharmacy

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

On behalf of the Executive Committee of the College of Pharmacy, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Duxin Sun as the William I. Higuchi Collegiate Professor of Pharmacy, College of Pharmacy, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The William I. Higuchi Professorship was established by the Regents in August 2014 in honor of William Higuchi, a pioneer in the area of drug formulation and delivery. Professor Higuchi was a distinguished member of the faculty at the University of Michigan, College of Pharmacy from 1962 through 1982 and received an honorary degree from the University of Michigan in 2013. A stipend and research discretionary funds provided by College of Pharmacy resources accompanies this professorship.

Professor Sun received his Bachelor of Pharmacy degree in 1986 and Master of Pharmacology degree in 1992, both from the Second Military Medical University, Shanghai, China. He received his Doctor of Philosophy degree in pharmaceuticals in 2002 from the University of Michigan, College of Pharmacy, at which time he became a research investigator with Bristol-Myers Squibb Company. In 2003, he was appointed as an assistant professor in the Division of Pharmaceutics, College of Pharmacy at The Ohio State University. He joined the University of Michigan in 2008 as associate professor of pharmaceutical sciences and was promoted to professor in 2013.

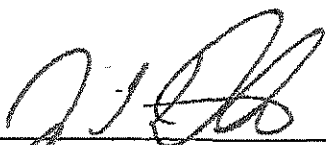
Professor Sun is an extremely dedicated educator, who is very successful in both the classroom and in mentoring students. His broad perspective as a multidisciplinary scientist has enabled him to mentor a diverse set of students and teach a broad range of topics. In addition to his didactic teaching responsibilities, he is an extremely active mentor, having graduated over 14 PhD students and currently mentoring 12 others. He has also mentored numerous post-doctoral fellows and visiting scientists, which is quite impressive for an academic career that started approximately 11 years ago. His lab members have presented their work at key conferences and publish in strong journals, an indication of the high quality of Professor Sun's training.

Professor Sun is an outstanding and highly productive scientist with a national and international reputation. He is well-known for his work in the area of cancer therapeutics and is currently conducting four distinct but interdependent research programs in this broad area. Professor Sun has published 124 peer-reviewed manuscripts in high impact journals and eight book chapters. With an h-index of 28, his work has been cited numerous times. He holds 14 patents. Professor Sun has been extremely successful in gaining funding for his work, both as an independent investigator as well as a collaborator. His contributions to the field have had significant impact, and he has received numerous invitations to present his work.


Professor Sun is an excellent citizen to his discipline, the College of Pharmacy, and the University of Michigan. He has served on numerous review panels and professional committees and has organized countless conferences, roundtables, and focus groups. Professor Sun has reviewed for numerous prestigious journals across many disciplines. At the University of Michigan, he has served on several committees, including the College of Pharmacy Executive Committee and the university's Faculty Senate Assembly. He is very involved in his committee work, which is remarkable considering his other research and teaching commitments. Professor Sun also established the Pharmacokinetics Core, as part of the university's NIH Cancer Center Support Grant, and serves as its director, which is a substantial service commitment to the University of Michigan.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Duxin Sun as the William I. Higuchi Collegiate Professor of Pharmacy, College of Pharmacy, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:


James T. Dalton
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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

NAME: Russell S. Taichman

CURRENT TITLES: Major M. Ash Collegiate Professor of Periodontics, and Professor of Dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Research, School of Dentistry

TERM: Five Years

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

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Dentistry are pleased to recommend the appointment of Russell S. Taichman as associate dean for research, School of Dentistry, for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Professor Taichman earned his bachelors of science (1982) from Villanova University, his doctor of dental medicine (1986) from the University of Pennsylvania, and his doctor of medical sciences (1990) from Harvard University. Professor Taichman received his certificate in periodontology (1990) from Harvard University and completed a post-doctoral fellowship in molecular immunology (1992) from University of Pennsylvania. He completed a surgical research fellowship (1996-1997) at Brigham and Women's Hospital and orthopedic research fellowship (1987-1990) from Children's Hospital Corp in Boston. At the University of Michigan, he was appointed as assistant professor of dentistry in 1992, was promoted to associate professor in 1998 and to professor in 2005. He was appointed as an adjunct professor in College of Literature, Science, and Arts in 2005, and as the Major Ash Collegiate Professor of Periodontics, School of Dentistry in 2011.

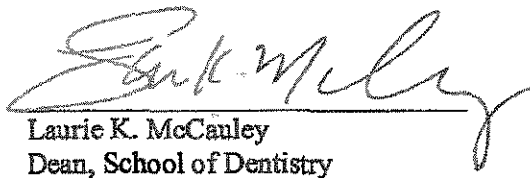
Professor Taichman's research focuses on the role of osteoblasts in normal bone marrow function and prostate cancer skeletal metastasis. He brings distinction to the university and is nationally and internationally renowned as one of the most inspired and accomplished scholars and researchers in his field of expertise. Professor Taichman has been very successful in obtaining outside funding and has been awarded over 30 grants from internal and external sources. He has authored or coauthored 102 articles, ten book chapters and his writings have been published in the top journals in his field. Additionally, Professor Taichman has two patents and has been an invited guest lecturer to 72 research seminars and has taught 14 continuing education courses. Professor Taichman maintains a high level of service activities at the school, university, national and international levels and has received numerous honors and awards locally, nationally and internationally, including the Dean's Award for Research Excellence

(2001 and 2002), Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (2003 and 2011), Honorary Professor at Jilin University, China (2012) and was named the Instructor of the Year by the dental hygiene class of 1997.

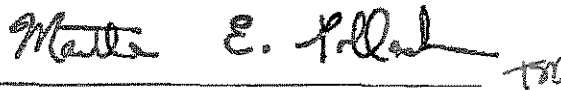
Professor Taichman's teaching responsibilities are in the vertically integrated clinics and he directs courses in periodontics for the dental hygiene program. He has directed multiple courses and taught in numerous other courses at the School of Dentistry and College of Literature, Science, and the Arts. He has an extensive list of clinical teaching experience including attending periodontist at the Ann Arbor Veterans Administration Medical Center. He has extensively mentored 51 student research programs and fostered the development of the Scholars Program in Dental Leadership. In 2004, Professor Taichman was appointed as the director of the Scholars Program in Dental Leadership (SPDL), School of Dentistry. In 2010, he played a key role in the development of the School of Dentistry Pathways pre-doctoral curriculum program when the Scholars Program in Dental Leadership integrated into Pathways offering students three pathways of interest; health care delivery, leadership and research.

Professor Taichman continually demonstrates strong leadership as a superb mentor, role model and advisor for his students at all levels. He leads with inspiration and enthusiasm. He has served on many professional committees and in several national and international research societies. Professor Taichman will play an important role in the advancement of the school's research efforts and its mission of academic excellence. He brings extensive experience in the research and graduate community at the university and at the national and international levels.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Russell S. Taichman as associate dean for research, School of Dentistry, for a five-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.



Laurie K. McCauley
Dean, School of Dentistry



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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Geoffrey Thün

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Architecture, with tenure, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Research, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning

TERM: Three Years

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

As dean of the A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Geoffrey Thün as associate dean for research, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

Professor Thün received his Master of Urban Design in 2007 from the University of Toronto, his Bachelor of Architecture and Bachelor of Environmental Studies in 1996 and 1994, respectively from the University of Waterloo, and his Bachelor of Arts in sociology in 1988 from the University of Western Ontario.

Professor Thün is a nationally and internationally recognized authority in the field of high performance envelope technologies and adaptive building design. As an architect and material systems designer his research breaks new ground within the discipline and also redefines it as he brings together art, science and nature to solve contemporary architectural and urban design challenges at a time of both global environmental duress and diminishing non-renewable resources. His work recognizes and actively leverages advanced material systems and technologies as agents in ecological, economic and social systems, locating the site of design intervention within this network of complex systems. The work exists at two scales: at the micro-material scale of responsive building envelopes and at the macro-urban scale of regional analysis and systemic intervention.

Professor Thün's scholarship is inherently multi-disciplinary and highly collaborative with his practice, other academic researchers, and industry partners. An impressive aspect of his trajectory as a designer has been his commitment to pursue and ability to receive funding for his research, including funding from the US Department of Transportation, US Department of Energy, Alcoa Foundation, Mott Foundation, Social Sciences and Humanities Council of Canada, Graham Environmental Sustainability Institute, Canada Council for the Arts, Ontario Power Authority, MITACS, U-M Wireless Integrated Microsystems ERC, and the U-M Office of Research to name a few. In architecture, funding at this level, and in particular federal

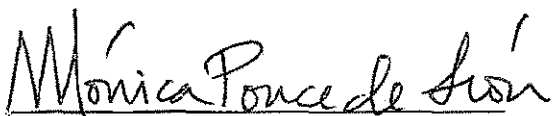
funding, has historically been relegated to faculty with doctoral degrees in the technology areas. His remarkable success with funding is a testament to Professor Thün's ability to collaborate across disciplines using design thinking to innovatively tackle sustainable and environmental challenges.

Professor Thün's research and creative practice has also been disseminated widely among some of the most prestigious publications in architecture such as the *International Journal of Architecture and Design*, the *International Journal of Architectural Computing*, the *Journal of the International Society of the Arts, Sciences and Technology*, the *Journal of Architectural Education*, and *Spaces and Flows: An International Journal of Urban and ExtraUrban Studies*. His work has been recognized by a significant number of prestigious awards such as the Architizer A+ Award, ACSA Faculty Design Award, Architect Magazine R&D Award, Ontario Association of Architects Design Excellence Award, and includes a Prix de Rome Award and the Architectural League of New York Young Architect's Forum Award, some of the highest awards for young designers. In addition, Professor Thün is regularly invited to participate in conferences and symposia in venues such as the Association for Computer Aided Design in Architecture, Architectural Research Centers Consortium, International Solar Energy Society, and the Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture.

Professor Thün is a productive and influential faculty member. His approach to design research resonates especially well with recent trends in the college and the architectural discipline, his strategies of dissemination are admirable, and his capacity for collaborative research is exemplary. His recent record of grants is without equal in the architecture program, and he extends his research agenda effectively into his teaching, where he has been instrumental in achieving the kinds of smart and green design initiatives now in place at all schools of architecture.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Geoffrey Thün as associate dean for research, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED 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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Priscilla K. Tucker

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, and Curator, Museum of Zoology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Director, Museum of Zoology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the appointment of Priscilla K. Tucker as director, Museum of Zoology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Priscilla Tucker received her B.A. (1974) from Colgate University, and her M.S. (1980) and Ph.D. (1984), both from Texas A&M University. From 1984 to 1985 she was a visiting professor at Texas A&M University, and subsequently joined the University of Michigan faculty in 1988 as an assistant professor. Professor Tucker advanced through the ranks to professor in 2005, when she was also appointed as a curator in the Museum of Zoology. Professor Tucker's research interests include organismal, chromosomal and genome evolution, speciation and mammalian systematics. She has been a long-standing member on the Michigan Department of Natural Resources Technical Advisory Committee on Mammals, and has recently served on the LSA College Executive Committee.


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Priscilla K. Tucker as director, Museum of Zoology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: John H. Vandermeer

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

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Program in the Environment (PitE) and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology (EEB) and the School of Natural Resources and Environment, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of John H. Vandermeer as professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014.

John Vandermeer received his Doctorate from the University of Michigan in 1969. After a brief appointment as an assistant professor at the State University of New York, Stony Brook, he joined our faculty as an assistant professor in 1970 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1981. Professor Vandermeer currently teaches a course on energy, food, and the environment which is cross-listed with EEB and PitE. He will be working with PitE and EEB to develop and refine a curriculum of environmental natural science courses that serves the needs of both units. His affiliation with PitE will provide a vital link between PitE and EEB, especially as more PitE and EEB students pursue the topic of environmental science.

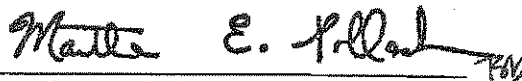
We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of John H. Vandermeer as professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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Marie Lynn Miranda
Samuel A. Graham Dean
School of Natural Resources and Environment

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

NAME: Johannes von Moltke

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the appointment of Johannes von Moltke as chair, Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Johannes von Moltke received his B.A. in comparative literature, *summa cum laude*, from Dartmouth College in 1989. He then earned his Ph.D. from Duke University's Program in Literature in 1998. Professor Moltke joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in the Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures and the Program in Film and Video Studies in 1998, and was then promoted to associate professor of Germanic languages and literatures, with tenure, and associate professor of film and video studies in 2004 (the Program in Film and Video Studies was renamed as the Department of Screen Arts and Cultures in 2005). He has earned several awards and honors including the Michigan Humanities Award in 2014. Professor von Moltke is frequently sought out to lecture at national and international conferences and workshops, and is a well-published writer, currently working on a project entitled, "Manhattan Transfer: Siegfried Kracauer's American Writings."

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Johannes von Moltke as chair, Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Nils G. Walter
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature,
Science, and the Arts
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature,
Science, and the Arts
TERM: Five Years, Renewable
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Nils S. Walter as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Nils Walter received his doctorate from the Technical University Darmstadt and the Max Planck Institute for Biophysical Chemistry in 1995, and he was appointed as a post-doctoral research fellow at the Max Planck Institute that same year. Professor Walter joined the tenure track at Michigan in 1999 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2009. Professor Walter has been affiliated with the Program in Biophysics for several years and has made significant contributions to teaching and to mentoring undergraduate and graduate students. He has served on thesis committees and on faculty recruitment committees. He was a member of the Molecular Biophysics Training Grant Steering Committee (2003-2009) and chaired the Admissions Committee (2007-2009). We expect he will continue to be a great asset to the program.


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

Recommended by:



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

September 2014

Approved by the
Regents
September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Thomas D. Wang, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Medical School, Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, and Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: H. Marvin Pollard Collegiate Professor of Endoscopy Research, Medical School

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

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Thomas D. Wang, M.D., Ph.D. as the H. Marvin Pollard Collegiate Professor of Endoscopy Research, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

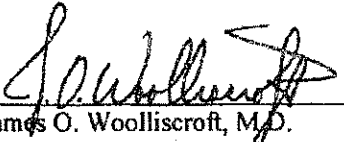
The H. Marvin Pollard Collegiate Professorship in Endoscopy Research was established in July 2012. It generated from funds from the original H. Marvin Pollard Professorship which was established in 1995. This professorship is intended to advance endoscopy research.

Dr. Wang received his Ph.D. in medical engineering in 1996 from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and received his M.D. in 1998 from Harvard University. He completed a fellowship at the Wellman Lab of Photomedicine and a residency in internal medicine at Boston University. Dr. Wang also completed a fellowship in gastroenterology at Stanford University, where he was subsequently appointed as an instructor. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2011 as an assistant professor in internal medicine and biomedical engineering, and is currently an associate professor in both departments.

Dr. Wang's research focuses on the molecular imaging of gastrointestinal disease, the development of molecular probes for the detection of pre-cancerous lesions, and novel optical imaging instrumentation for high resolution imaging, advanced endoscopic imaging, and intra-vital microscopy. He has been very prolific in his research with more than 50 published articles and four patents. Dr. Wang has an outstanding track record of external funding, including serving as the principal investigator for the NCI Barrett's Esophagus Translational Research Network. Recognition of his expertise in the field is reflected in his numerous invited national and international talks, his extensive peer-review and editorial board service, and his significant national service contributions through the American Gastroenterological Association and the NIH/NCI steering committee for the Network for Translational Research. He has been the recipient of numerous awards, including the Jerome W. Conn Award for Excellence in Research, and induction into the University of Michigan League of Research Excellence.

Dr. Wang is a forerunner in endoscopy research, and we are confident that he will continue to be a leader in the field. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Thomas D. Wang, M.D., Ph.D. as the H. Marvin Pollard Collegiate Professor of Endoscopy Research, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

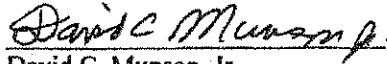


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:



Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
Interim Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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



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

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

Approved by the
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September 18, 2014

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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Extension of Leave for a Faculty Member
NAME: Edwin Romeijn
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, with
tenure, College of Engineering
TYPE OF LEAVE: Extension of an IPA Leave
DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: September 10, 2013 through September 10, 2014
TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: September 10, 2014 through December 31, 2014

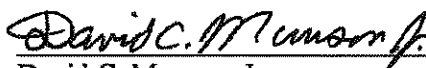
It is recommended that Edwin Romeijn be granted an extension of leave of absence, effective September 10, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

Professor Romeijn is currently serving at the National Science Foundation as program director for the Service Enterprise Systems and Manufacturing Enterprise Systems programs, as well as the Directorate of Engineering's representative on the team of program directors for the Smart and Connected Health initiative. His main responsibilities include setting research priorities for these programs, establishing collaborations, organizing and running review panels for proposals submitted to these programs, and making funding decisions and managing the budget for these programs. In addition, he provides service to the industrial engineering and operations research communities by making outreach visits to universities and conferences to inform faculty members of funding opportunities at the National Science Foundation that are relevant to these communities.


We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Edwin Romeijn.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



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Establishing and renaming professorships and selected
academic administrative positions.

Approved by the
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Change in Name of an Existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship

CURRENT TITLE: Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend that the title of the Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, be changed to the Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective August 1, 2014.

Robert Cooley Angell was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1922 until his retirement in 1969. This professorship was established through the Provost Office. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Robert C. Angell was born in Detroit in 1899 and raised in Ann Arbor. He was the grandson of James Burrill Angell, president of the University of Michigan (1871-1909); his father and uncle were Michigan professors. He entered the University of Michigan in 1917, but World War I interrupted Professor Angell's studies in 1918 and he enlisted in the U. S. Army Air Service. He was a decorate Air Corps veteran and retired with the rank of lieutenant colonel. He returned to Michigan and completed his Doctorate in sociology in 1924. He was teaching as an instructor by 1922 and was subsequently promoted through the ranks to professor in 1935. In 1940 he was appointed chair of the Department of Sociology and supplied an especially able and vigorous leadership through 1952. He was instrumental in bringing to the department such individuals as Theodore Newcomb and Ronald Freedman, as well as the groups that formed the Survey Research Center and the Research Center for Group Dynamics.

Outside of the department, Professor Angell championed excellence in undergraduate instruction and helped to form the Honors College, which he chaired from 1957 to 1961. He also worked with Kenneth Boulding to found the *Journal for Conflict Resolution* and the Center for Research on Conflict Resolution, serving as its director in the late 1960s. He edited the *American Sociological Review* (1946-1948) and was elected president of the American Sociological Association (1951). He served abroad as director of UNESCO's Social Science Department in Paris (1949-1950), which led to his work to found the International Sociological Association, of which he was elected its second president.


Professor Angell was an excellent teacher and a superb colleague. He had the capacity of a great teacher: the ability to see where his students were and then to help them take the next step. He

did the same for younger colleagues. He retired in 1969, but continued to teach. Throughout his life Professor Angell exhibited a strong commitment to what are some of the most persistent of Michigan values – commitment to excellence in undergraduate teaching and to the advancement of rigorous social scientific research. To him, these values were inextricably linked. He was also committed to service to the larger community, working to use his social scientific tools for human betterment. Professor Angell remained intellectually active and at his death in 1984 was working with J. David Singer on a book on world conflict and world peace.

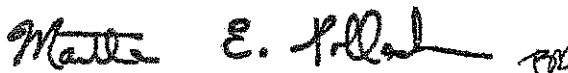
We are pleased to recommend that the title of the Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, be changed to the Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective August 1, 2014.

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

August 2014

**INTERIM APPROVAL
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Approved by the
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate
Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: David Ballou Collegiate Professorship, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

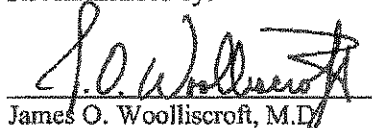
On the recommendation of David Engelke, Ph.D., Interim Chair of the Department of Biological Chemistry, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the naming of the David Ballou Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office and through departmental funds from the Department of Biological Chemistry. It will support the research of Stephen W. Ragsdale, Ph.D. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

David P. Ballou received his Ph.D. degree in biological chemistry from the University of Michigan in 1971. He joined the faculty here in 1972 as an instructor, and rose through the ranks to professor, with tenure, in 1987. Dr. Ballou has been recognized internationally through his research and his contributions to undergraduate, graduate and post-doctoral education. His research focused on flavins and biological oxidation mechanisms. Dr. Ballou's work spanned over 40 years and was widely respected and funded by the National Institutes of Health. He published over 260 peer-reviewed articles, book chapters and reviews and authored three books. Dr. Ballou was the recipient of numerous awards throughout his career, including the Faculty Recognition Award, and the Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award.

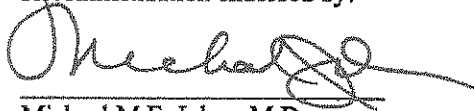
Dr. Ballou's legacy to the scientific community and the University of Michigan will be recognized through this professorship. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the naming of the David Ballou Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective September 1, 2014.

Recommended by:



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

Recommendation endorsed by:



Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.
Interim Executive Vice President for
Medical Affairs



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ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of an Endowed Department Chair

PROPOSED NAME: William and Valerie Hall Department Chair in Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering and Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014


With the endorsement of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the William and Valerie Hall Department Chair in Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering and Medical School, effective September 1, 2014.

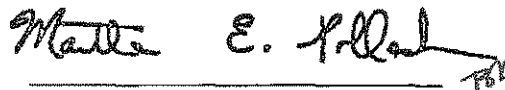
The William and Valerie Hall Department Chair in Biomedical Engineering will be funded with \$2,000,000 provided by William K. and Valerie W. Hall. The funds are to be used for strategic research or teaching initiatives of significant importance to biomedical engineering.


In recognition of this significant gift from William K. and Valerie W. Hall, I recommend that the Regents formally establish the William and Valerie Hall Department Chair in Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering and Medical School, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


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


James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School
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ACTION REQUEST: Change in Name of an Existing Endowed Professorship

CURRENT NAME: John D. MacArthur Professorship in Geological Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

PROPOSED NAME: John D. MacArthur Professorship in Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend that the title of the John D. MacArthur Professorship in Geological Sciences be renamed as the John D. MacArthur Professorship in Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014.

The John D. MacArthur Professorship was established by the Regents in November 1981. Then President Harold Shapiro received the MacArthur endowment on behalf of the University of Michigan and gave it to the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts for use in any field at the dean's discretion.

Professor Joel Blum has held the MacArthur Professorship since 2009. At that time the name of his department was Geological Sciences. In 2011, the department was renamed Earth and Environmental Sciences in response to recommendations from an external review. Professor Blum's research is also more closely associated with environmental issues the geological ones. His research group focuses on studies of geochemical controls on the structure and function of ecosystems and on the application of trace element and isotope geochemistry across the Earth and in the environmental sciences.

We therefore recommend that the John D. MacArthur Professorship in Geological Sciences be renamed as the John D. MacArthur Professorship in Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014.

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

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Research Professorship
NAME: Amy L. Cochran
RECOMMENDED TITLE: T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of
Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2017

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 Amy L. Cochran as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2017.

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.

Amy Cochran received her Bachelor of Science from the University of Vermont in 2006. She attended Cornell University where she completed her Master of Science in 2010 and her Doctorate in 2013. She is currently appointed as a visiting assistant professor at Cornell. Her primary research interests include applied mathematics, mathematical biology, scientific computing, differential equations, and applied probability. Her work is funded under a National Science Foundation training grant and has two published and two submitted articles.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Amy L. Cochran as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2017.

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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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of a Professional Administrative Appointment

NAME: Maureen A. Coerdts

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Assistant Dean for Administration and Student Services,
School of Nursing

TERM: Three Years

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

The Dean of the School of Nursing, in consultation with the members of the Executive Committee, is pleased to recommend the appointment of Maureen A. Coerdts as assistant dean for administration and student services, School of Nursing, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

Ms. Coerdts earned her M.B.A. degree from Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio in 1991, and her B.S. in electrical engineering degree from University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana in 1983. Since 2005, she has held administrative positions in the Office of Associate Vice President for Finance and the School of Nursing at the University of Michigan. Prior to her appointments at the University of Michigan, she served in leadership roles at Deloitte & Touche, LLP, Price Waterhouse Coopers, LLP, and Gould Electronics, Research and Design Group. She joined the School of Nursing in 2006, and currently holds the titles of executive director and chief of staff.


Ms. Coerdts's administrative responsibilities have grown steadily over the years. She has been instrumental in facilitating the reorganization of the School of Nursing. She is an intellectual administrator whose orientation is toward advancing the School of Nursing's academic goals. She is widely respected by faculty, staff and students internal and external to the school. Ms. Coerdts possesses the competencies and has the passion to create exceptional results in the advancement of student academic services and administrative operations.

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


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Maureen A. Coerdts as assistant dean for administration and student services, School of Nursing, for a three-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2017.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



Kathleen Potempa
Dean, School of Nursing

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Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTION REQUEST: Transfer of Tenure of a Faculty Member

NAME: Barry J. Fishman

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education and Associate Professor of Information, without tenure, School of Information

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education and Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2014

On the recommendation of the Promotion and Tenure Committee of the School of Information and with the endorsement of the School of Education, we are pleased to recommend a transfer of tenure for Barry J. Fishman from professor of education, with tenure, School of Education and professor of information, without tenure, School of Information, to professor of education, with tenure, School of Education and professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, effective September 1, 2014.

Professor Fishman earned a Bachelor of Arts in English and American literature from Brown University in 1989. In 1992, he received his Masters in instructional systems technology from Indiana University. Professor Fishman received his Ph.D. in education and social policy-learning sciences in 1996 from Northwestern University.

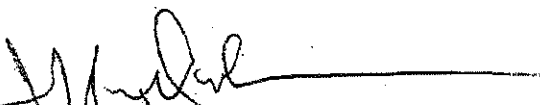
Several areas of Professor Fishman's scholarship are particularly noteworthy. The success of his efforts to investigate the relationships among teacher knowledge and beliefs, classroom practice, and student learning sets his scholarship apart from numerous other studies that explore only a subset of these relationships. This scholarship has the potential to advance the work of a field that is seeking models of inquiry specific to educational innovation that can be brought to scale while maintaining rigor.

Professor Fishman is a productive scholar. He has authored or co-authored 36 refereed publications, with at least seven appearing in top tier journals. He has contributed to 15 book chapters. His authorship role is characteristic of a scholar in the learning sciences community; due to the interdisciplinary nature of his research, the preponderance of his writing is co-authored, however, Professor Fishman's intellectual contributions and leadership in these collaborative projects are evident.

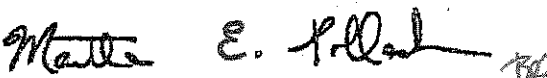
We are very pleased to recommend a transfer of tenure for Barry J. Fishman from professor of education, with tenure, School of Education and professor of information, without tenure, School of Information, to professor of education, with tenure, School of Education and professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

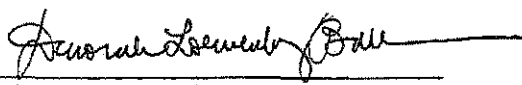
RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Jeffrey MacKie-Mason
Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of
Information and Computer Science, and
Dean, School of Information



Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
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Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Dean, School of Education
William H. Payne Collegiate Professor of
Education and Arthur F. Thurnau Professor

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment to a Research Professorship

NAME: Alon Nishry

RECOMMENDED TITLE: T. H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of
Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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

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 Alon Nishry as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2017.

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.

Alon Nishry received his Bachelor of Arts from the Israel Institute of Technology in 2001. He attended Tel Aviv University where he completed his Master of Science in 2009 and his Doctorate in 2013. He was appointed as a lecturer at Tel Aviv University (2011-2012) where he received an Excellence in Teaching award. He is currently a member of the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton. His primary research interests are complex analysis and probability. He has published four articles and is sole author on three.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Alon Nishry as a T.H. Hildebrandt Research Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2017.

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: Appointment to a Visiting Professorship
NAME: Nessim Sibony
RECOMMENDED TITLE: Frederick W. and Lois B. Gehring Visiting Professor of
Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014

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 Nessim Sibony as the Frederick W. and Lois B. Gehring Visiting Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

Frederick W. and Lois B. Gehring Visiting Professorship in Mathematics was established in January 2009 by a generous gift from Frederick W. and Lois B. Gehring to fund a visiting professorship and bring distinguished scholars to the Department of Mathematics.

Nessim Sibony received his Doctorat d'Etat in 1974 and is currently appointed as a professor classe exceptionnelle at the University Paris-Sud 11 (1992-present). He is considered to be second to none in complex analysis, dynamics, and geometry, and is a senior member of the Institut Universitaire de France (2009-present). Professor Sibony will collaborate with faculty members and post-doctoral scholars in the Department of Mathematics and will teach one course in the fall term.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Nessim Sibony as the Frederick W. and Lois B. Gehring Visiting Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014.

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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ACTON REQUEST: Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment
NAME: Major William D. Wade
TITLE: Chair, Army Officer Education Program
EFFECTIVE DATES: August 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Major William Wade as chair, Army Officer Education Program, for a three-year term, effective August 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017. The United States Army will pay his salary.

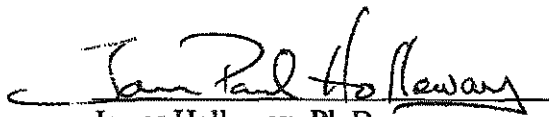
Major Wade received a Bachelor of Arts in liberal studies at the University of Montana in 1998, and his Masters Degree in continuing education from Kansas State University in 2011. He is currently enrolled in Columbia University pursuing a Masters in organizational psychology.

His current position in the Army is to serve as the battalion commander. In this capacity, he has skillfully handled missions of operational and strategic importance to the Army and the Nation. The Army chose Major Wade for this role based on his strong reputation, proven leadership, and demonstrated capability to educate others. Major Wade was recently announced for promotion to the rank of lieutenant colonel.

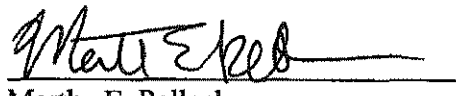
Major Wade's blend of military experience, teaching skills, and strong leadership abilities make him an ideal candidate for the position of chair, Army Officer Education Program. The Military Officer Education Program Committee enthusiastically supports this recommendation.

Recommended By:

Recommendation Endorsed By:



James Holloway, Ph.D.
Vice Provost for Global
and Engaged Education



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

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

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

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Regents
September 18, 2014

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

NAME: William I. Grosky

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Computer and Information Science, and Professor of Computer and Information Science, with tenure, College of Engineering and Computer Science

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Computer and Information Science, College of Engineering and Computer Science

TERM: One Year

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

With the support of the Executive Committee and the dean of the College of Engineering and Computer Science and with the endorsement of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of William I. Grosky as chair, Department of Computer and Information Science, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

William I. Grosky received a B.S. in mathematics from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1965, followed by an M.S. in applied mathematics from Brown University and a Ph.D. in engineering and applied science from Yale in 1968 and 1971, respectively. During his 42 years in academia, 25 of them at Wayne State University, he rose steadily through the professorial ranks, and from 1995 through 2000 he served as interim chair of the Computer Science Department at Wayne State. He has served on many university, college, and department committees and directed nearly 40 masters and doctoral thesis projects.

Professor Grosky's current appointment as chair of the department was drawing to a close well before the appointment of the college's new dean, thereby precluding the new dean from having a voice in the review and approval of any longer-term chair appointments. Given that Professor Grosky has earned the respect of his colleagues as chair of his department, the prudent course is to extend his current appointment for one year until the new dean can participate fully in the chair review and reappointment process.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of William I. Grosky as chair, Department of Computer and Information Science, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

Recommended by:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

September 2014

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Regents
September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Ben Q. Li

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Computer Science

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science

TERM: One Year

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

With the support of the Executive Committee and the dean of the College of Engineering and Computer Science, and with the endorsement of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ben Q. Li as chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

Professor Li received a B.S. in engineering in 1982 from the Central-South University of Technology in China; an M.S. in engineering in 1984 from the Colorado School of Mines in Golden, Colorado, and a Ph.D. in engineering in 1989 from the University of California, Berkeley.

Prior to his appointment at the University of Michigan-Dearborn, Professor Li was a tenured professor of thermal-fluids science at the School of Mechanical and Materials Engineering at Washington State University, Pullman. His research interests center on the computational study of multi-scale and multi-physical phenomena in thermal fluids, materials processing, and manufacturing processes. Professor Li is an internationally recognized leader in the area of magnetohydrodynamics in magnetically and/or electrically levitated droplets and magnetically assisted materials processing systems.

Professor Li's current appointment as chair of the department was drawing to a close well before the appointment of the college's new dean, thereby precluding the new dean from having a voice in the review and approval of any longer-term chair appointments. Given that Professor Li has earned the respect of his colleagues as chair of his department, the prudent course is to extend his current appointment by one year until the new dean can participate fully in the chair review and reappointment process.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Professor Ben Q. Li as chair, Department of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

Recommended by:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

September 2014

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Regents
September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment
NAME: Yi Lu Murphey
CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, and Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Computer Science
TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science
TERM: One Year
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015

With the support of the Executive Committee and the dean of the College of Engineering and Computer Science and with the endorsement of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Yi Lu Murphey as chair, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

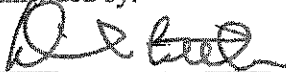
Professor Murphey received a Diploma in Mathematics in 1980 from Shanghai Teacher's College, an M.S. in computer science in 1983 from Wayne State University, and a Ph.D. in computer engineering from University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, in 1989.

Prior to her appointment to the University of Michigan-Dearborn in 1992 as an assistant professor, Professor Murphey was a research scientist at the Environmental Research Institute of Michigan. She was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1997 and then to professor in 2003; her appointment as chair of the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering came in 2007. Professor Murphey has worked on ad hoc committees to develop graduate and undergraduate programs, graduate program evaluation and curriculum committees, assessment committee, software engineering program committee, and faculty search committees. She was also responsible for coordinating the department's preparations for the ABET visits in 2004 and 2010. Additionally, she has served as chair of the Agenda for Women.

Professor Murphey's current appointment as chair of the department was drawing to a close well before the appointment of the college's new dean, thereby precluding the new dean from having a voice in the review and approval of any longer-term chair appointments. Given that Professor Murphey has earned the respect of her colleagues as chair of her department, the prudent course is to extend her current appointment for one year until the new dean can participate fully in the chair review and reappointment process.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Yi Lu Murphey as chair, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

Recommended by:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

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September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment
NAME: Keshav S. Varde
CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean, and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure,
College of Engineering and Computer Science
TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean, College of Engineering and Computer Science
TERM: One Year
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015

With the support of the Executive Committee and the dean of the College of Engineering and Computer Science and with the endorsement of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Keshav S. Varde as associate dean, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

Professor Varde earned a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Poona, India, and a master's degree from the University of Bombay, India. In 1971, he received a Ph.D. in mechanical and aerospace sciences from the University of Rochester, New York.

Professor Varde has been a member of the faculty of the University of Michigan-Dearborn since 1974 and a professor of mechanical engineering since 1983. He is an excellent teacher and researcher. His research and educational projects have been funded by the National Science Foundation, the U.S. Department of Transportation, and various industries. He has also served on numerous departmental, college, and campus faculty committees.

Professor Varde's current appointment as associate dean was drawing to a close well before the appointment of the college's new dean, thereby precluding the new dean from having a voice in the review and approval of any longer-term academic administrative appointments. Given that Professor Varde has earned the respect of his colleagues as associate dean, the prudent course is to extend his current appointment by one year until the new dean can participate fully in the review and reappointment process.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Keshav S. Varde as associate dean, College of Engineering and Computer Science, for a one-year term, effective September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

Recommended by:



Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

September 2014

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

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

Approved by the
Regents
September 18, 2014

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN-FLINT
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member
NAME: Otrude N. Moyo
CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Education and Human Services
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Social Work, School of Education and Human Services
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2019

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Education and Human Services at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Social Work, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Otrude N. Moyo as chair, Department of Social Work, School of Education and Human Services, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2019.


Professor Moyo received her Bachelor of Social Work from the University of Zimbabwe in 1994, her Masters of Social Work from Southern Illinois University in 1997, a Masters of Art degree and her Ph.D. from Brandeis University in 2000 and 2001, respectively.

Prior to joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Moyo served at the University of Southern Maine as an assistant professor in 2002 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2009. She was appointed as an associate professor of social work with the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire from 2011 to 2014.

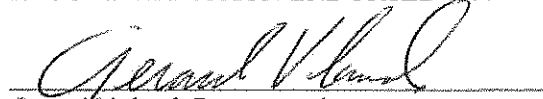
Professor Moyo is an associate professor in the field of social work with interests that extend into areas of critical multicultural education, women studies, global awareness, and learning that engages students in the community. She is primarily concerned with understanding approaches to human service delivery in the climate of increased corporate culture. She specifically addresses the concept of diversity and cultural competence in her research.

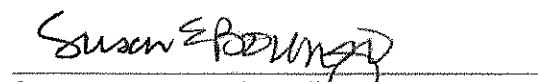
Professor Moyo will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Otrude N. Moyo as chair, Department of Social Work, School of Education and Human Services, effective September 1, 2014 through May 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:


Robert Barnett, Dean
School of Education and Human Services

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Gerard Voland, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs


Susan E. Borrego, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

September 2014