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ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement

Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir

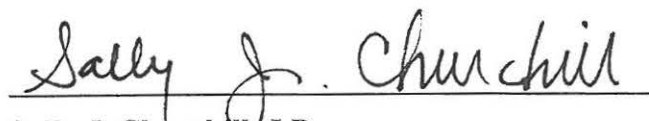
Chia-hao Chang, Ph.D., professor of industrial and manufacturing systems engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, University of Michigan-Dearborn, retired from active faculty status on April 30, 2014.

Professor Chang received his undergraduate diploma in physics from Chung Chi College in 1970. He received his M.S. (computer science), M.S. (industrial engineering), and Ph.D. (industrial engineering) degrees from Oregon State University in 1972, 1974, and 1978, respectively. Professor Chang joined the University of Michigan-Dearborn faculty as an assistant professor in 1978, and was promoted to associate professor in 1984, and professor in 1991.

Professor Chang's teaching and research focused on the fields of information systems engineering, electronic commerce, and intelligent computing. An effective and popular teacher, he developed and taught several innovative graduate and undergraduate information systems courses. Professor Chang played an instrumental role in the development and implementation of the undergraduate information systems concentration and several Master of Science degree programs. Professor Chang was actively involved with UM-Dearborn community and generously shared his time and talents at the department and college levels.

The Regents now salute this distinguished faculty member by naming **Chia-hao Chang professor emeritus of industrial and manufacturing systems engineering.**

Requested by:



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