

**SUMMARY OF PERSONNEL ACTIONS
REGENTS AGENDA
October 2011**

ANN ARBOR CAMPUS

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

- (1) Adar, Sara Dubowsky, John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, School of Public Health, effective November 1, 2011 through October 31, 2014 (also assistant professor of epidemiology.)
- (2) Beddor, Patrice Speeter, John C. Catford Collegiate Professor of Linguistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016 (also professor of linguistics, with tenure.)
- (3) Bierbaum, Rosina M., professor of environmental health sciences, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2011 (also professor of natural resources and environment, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment.)
- (4) Campbell, Scott W., Constance F. and Arnold C. Pohs Endowed Professor of Telecommunications, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016 (also associate professor of communication studies, with tenure.)
- (5) Chang, Andrew C., M.D., John Alexander Distinguished Professor of Thoracic Surgery, Medical School, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016 (also associate professor of surgery, with tenure.)
- (6) Freedman, Jonathan E., Marvin Felheim Collegiate Professor of English, American Studies, and Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016 (also professor of English language and literature, with tenure, professor of American studies, with tenure, and professor of Judaic studies, without tenure.)³
- (7) Griess, Jr., Robert L., Richard D. Brauer Collegiate Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016 (also professor of mathematics, with tenure.)
- (8) Kitayama, Shinobu, Robert B. Zajonc Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016 (also professor of psychology, with tenure.)
- (9) Lee, Jonathan, G. Lawton and Louise G. Johnson Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016 (also professor of industrial operations and engineering, with tenure.)

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

- (10) McCracken, Peggy S., professor of comparative literature, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016 (also professor of French, with tenure, and professor of women's studies, with tenure.)
- (11) Miles, Tiya A., professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016 (also director, Department of Afroamerican and African Studies, professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, professor of American culture, with tenure, and professor of history, with tenure.)
- (12) Puff, Helmut, professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016 (also associate professor of Germanic languages and literatures, with tenure, and associate professor of history, with tenure.)
- (13) Sellers, Robert M., Charles D. Moody Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016 (also professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of education, without tenure, School of Education.)
- (14) Siegfried, Susan L., Denise Riley Collegiate Professor of the History of Art and Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016 (also professor of the history of art, with tenure, and professor of women's studies, with tenure.)

2. Establishing, naming and renaming professorships and selected academic administrative positions.

- (1) Correction to title of a Collegiate Professorship as the Rosemary Grant Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 (currently Rosemary Grant Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and Environmental Biology.)
- (2) Approval to establish a Collegiate Professorship as the Cameron Haight Collegiate Professorship in Thoracic Surgery, Medical School, effective October 1, 2011.

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

- (1) Correction to tenure status and effective date for Babayan, Kathryn to associate professor of history, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2011 (currently associate professor of history, without tenure, effective January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2015.)
- (2) Bryant, Allana, chair, Army Officer Education Program, effective October 3, 2011 through June 30, 2014.
- (3) Castillo, Paul, chief financial officer, University of Michigan Health System, effective November 7, 2011.
- (4) Cesarani, David, Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012.
- (5) Meadows, Guy A., transfer of tenure to professor of physical oceanography, without tenure, Department of Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, and professor of physical oceanography, with tenure, Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2012 (currently professor of physical oceanography, with tenure, Department of Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, and professor of physical oceanography, without tenure, Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences.)
- (6) Trede, Melanie, Toyota Visiting Professor of Japanese Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through April 30, 2012.

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

- (1) Turner, Stephen W., chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering and Physics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2014 (also associate professor of computer science, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences.)

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
October 13, 2011

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Sara Dubowsky Adar

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

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

TERM: Three Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2011 through October 31, 2014

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Sara Dubowsky Adar as the John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, School of Public Health, effective November 1, 2011 through October 31, 2014.

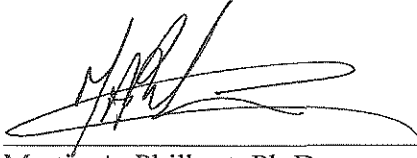
The John G. Searle Assistant Professorship in Epidemiology was established by the Regents in September 2008. Securities to support this professorship were contributed to the University by John G. Searle, then Chairman of the Board of G. D. Searle & Co. This award is for three years and is renewable.

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. She then worked as a senior fellow on the Multi-Ethnic Study of Atherosclerosis and Air Pollution at the University of Washington in Seattle. She continued her work on this project, as well as others, as an assistant professor in the Department of Epidemiology and the Department of Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences at the University of Washington. She joined the Michigan faculty in 2010 as a research assistant professor of epidemiology and was appointed as an assistant professor in September 2011.

Professor Adar's research is focused on characterizing human exposures to environmental pollutants and assessing their associated health effects, with a particular emphasis on pollution 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. As standard exposure assessment techniques are often unable to isolate impacts of a particular source of pollution, her work has instead exploited state-of-the art exposure science and epidemiological study designs to isolate the effects of traffic.

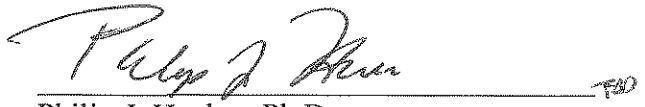
It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of Professor Sara Adar as the John G. Searle Assistant Professor of Epidemiology, School of Public Health, effective November 1, 2011 through October 31, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D.
Provost and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

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October 13, 2011

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Patrice Speeter Beddor

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: John C. Catford Collegiate Professor of Linguistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Patrice Speeter Beddor as the John C. Catford Collegiate Professor of Linguistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

John C. Catford was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1962 until his retirement in 1986. The John C. Catford Collegiate Professorship in Linguistics was established in August 2011. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Patrice Speeter Beddor attended the University of Minnesota where she received her Bachelor of Arts in 1974, Master of Arts in 1976, and Doctorate in 1982. After a two-year appointment as a postdoctoral fellow at Haskins Laboratories, Professor Beddor taught at Yale University before joining our faculty as an assistant professor in 1987. She was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2001. She was the chair of the Department of Linguistics from 2004 to 2010 and is a former editor of the *Journal of Phonetics*.

Professor Beddor's research specialty is phonetics, the branch of linguistics that studies the physical/acoustic properties of speech sounds as well as how sounds are produced by human speech organs and how they are perceived by human perceptual organs. Her program is unusual and extremely valuable because of the connection it establishes to other branches of linguistics. Her research program has received major grants from the National Science Foundation (NSF) and several smaller grants from external and internal sources. Among her numerous publications are articles in the major phonetics journals as well as two articles in *Language*, the world's most prestigious general linguistics journal. She also co-edited a book entitled *Experimental Approaches to Phonology* (2007) illustrating her rare ability to branch out from phonetics into other subfields of linguistics.

Other signs of Professor Beddor's standing in the field are her election as fellow of the Acoustical Society of America (1996), her appointment as editor of the *Journal of Phonetics* (1995-1997), her membership on several editorial boards, and her invited service on two national review panels – the NSF Linguistics panel (1998-2001) and the National Institutes of Health

panel (2005). She has often been invited to speak at universities and conferences both in the U.S. and abroad.

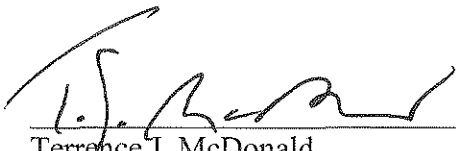
Professor Beddor had a very impressive teaching record. She is a hugely popular instructor of both graduate and undergraduate courses. Students consistently give her very strong ratings, even for extremely technical courses that are required at the graduate level. She was awarded a College Excellence in Education Award (1991) and a Rackham School of Graduate Studies John D'Arms Award for Graduate Mentoring in the Humanities (2002). She also advises undergraduates on honors theses and is a mentor to an enthusiastic group of graduate students. Her students have been successful on the job market and in publishing and giving conference presentations prior to completion of their Ph.D.

Lastly, Professor Beddor's service to the University of Michigan has been outstanding. She recently completed two terms as chair of the Department of Linguistics. Under her leadership the department has made excellent hires and has provided dedicated and helpful mentoring to junior faculty. The Department recently submitted a Long Range Plan that was received enthusiastically by the College Executive Committee. Although not entirely her responsibility, the plan reflected her good ideas and good sense, as well as her effective leadership.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Patrice Speeter Beddor as the John C. Catford Collegiate Professor of Linguistics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Rosina M. Bierbaum

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Environmental Health Sciences, without tenure, School
of Public Health

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2011

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, and with the endorsement of the School of Natural Resources and Environment, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Rosina M. Bierbaum, Ph.D. as professor of environmental health sciences, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2011.

Professor Bierbaum received both a B.S. in biology and a B.A. in English from Boston College in 1974. In 1985 she received her Ph.D. in ecology and evolution from the State of University of New York. Prior to coming to the University of Michigan, Professor Bierbaum served as assistant director, acting associate director, and then associate director for environment of the Office of Science and Technology Policy. She served as the administration's senior scientific advisor on environmental research and development, with responsibilities for scientific input and guidance on a wide range of national and international environmental issues. These included global change, air and water quality, biodiversity, ecosystem management, environmental monitoring, and energy research and development. She joined the School of Natural Resources and Environment in 2001 as a professor and dean of the School.

Professor Bierbaum has written many articles published in technical and popular journals, and has testified before both House and Senate Committees on environmental issues. She is the co-author of the report "Confronting Climate Change: Avoiding the Unmanageable and Managing the Unavoidable" prepared at the request of the Commission on Sustainable Development (2007). She has lectured widely on research needs to better manage natural resources, on the effects of multiple stresses on ecosystems, and on the science and impacts of global climate change. She is a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, a member of the President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology, and serves as a member of the International Advisory Board for the journal *Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment*.

The joint appointment will facilitate closer collaboration with our faculty and mentoring of our students. Given Professor Bierbaum's expertise and leadership in climate change policy, she will provide unique perspectives to students working in this area. We are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Rosina M. Bierbaum, Ph.D. as professor of environmental health sciences, without tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D.
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs



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

October 2011

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Scott W. Campbell

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Constance F. and Arnold C. Pohs Endowed Professor of
Telecommunications, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the appointment of Scott W. Campbell as the Constance F. and Arnold C. Pohs Endowed Professor of Telecommunications, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

The Constance F. and Arnold C. Pohs Endowed Professorship in Telecommunications was established by the Regents in September 2001 as a result of a generous gift from Constance F. and Arnold C. Pohs.

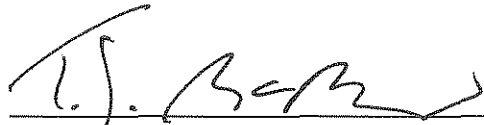
Scott W. Campbell received his Bachelor of Journalism from the University of Nebraska in 1992, Master of Arts from the University of Missouri in 1999, and Doctorate from the University of Kansas in 2002. Professor Campbell began his teaching career as an assistant professor at Hawaii Pacific University in 2002 and was appointed as an assistant professor at Michigan in 2005. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2011.

Professor Campbell is a pioneering scholar who is at the top of his cohort. He has played a central role in establishing a new field of study in his discipline, namely the analysis of the uses and effects of mobile communications. His work is especially notable for developing analytical categories through which we can see our everyday use of cell phones as a manifestation of much broader interpersonal, social, and political change in the 21st century. When the Pew Research Center and its Internet and American Life Project sought to conduct a nationwide study of how teens were using mobile phones, there was only one American scholar they approached to collaborate with them: Professor Campbell. His productivity and contributions to the field are exemplary and provide ample evidence of a research agenda that is innovative and robust.

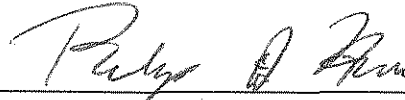
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Scott W. Campbell as the Constance F. and Arnold C. Pohns Endowed Professor of Telecommunications, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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October 13, 2011

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Andrew C. Chang, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Surgery, with tenure,
Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: John Alexander Distinguished Professor of Thoracic
Surgery, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016

On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Collier Distinguished Professor of Surgery 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 appointment of Andrew C. Chang, M.D. as the John Alexander Distinguished Professor of Thoracic Surgery, Medical School, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

The John Alexander Distinguished Professor of Thoracic Surgery was established in 1996 as a memorial to Dr. John Alexander, long regarded as the father of American thoracic surgery. He served as the first head of the Section of Thoracic Surgery at the University of Michigan from 1928 until his death in 1954. Dr. Alexander initiated the first thoracic surgery residency training program in the United States at the University of Michigan in 1928. This professorship is intended to be awarded to the section head of Thoracic Surgery.


Dr. Chang received his M.D. from Johns Hopkins Hospital in 1993. He completed a surgical residency in 2000 from Vanderbilt University and a thoracic surgery residency from the University of Michigan in 2002. Dr. Chang completed a fellowship at that institution in congenital heart surgery and thoracic surgery in 2003. He was appointed as a lecturer at the University of Michigan in 2003, and rose through the ranks to his current title of associate professor and section head of Thoracic Surgery in 2011.

Dr. Chang is recognized for his work with lung and esophageal disease. His clinical interests encompass all aspects of general thoracic surgery including thoracic oncology, pulmonary transplantation, minimally-invasive surgery and interventional endoscopy. His research focuses on thoracic oncology; specifically the tumorigenesis of esophageal cancer. Dr. Chang has been the surgical director of the Pulmonary Transplant Program at the University of Michigan since 2004. He holds one patent, has published over 40 articles, and has presented his research locally,


nationally and internationally. Dr. Chang is associate editor of *Diseases of Esophagus* and an ad hoc reviewer for numerous journals.

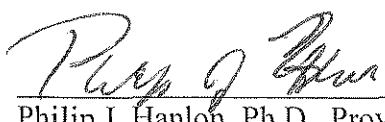
Dr. Chang is an outstanding teacher, clinician and successful researcher, and is deserving of the honor of this professorship. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend Andrew C. Chang, M.D. as the John Alexander Distinguished Professor of Thoracic Surgery, Medical School, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Recommended by:


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

Recommendation endorsed by:


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


Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

October 2011

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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Jonathan E. Freedman

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, Professor of American Studies, with tenure, Program in American Culture, and Professor of Judaic Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Marvin Felheim Collegiate Professor of English, American Studies, and Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jonathan E. Freedman as the Marvin Felheim Collegiate Professor of English, American Studies, and Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Marvin L. Felheim was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1948 to 1962. The Marvin L. Felheim Collegiate Professorship in English, American Studies, and Judaic Studies was established in August 2011. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Jonathan Freedman received his Bachelor of Arts from Northwestern University in 1977. He attended Yale University where he completed his Master of Philosophy in 1980 and Doctorate in 1985. Professor Freedman began his teaching career as an assistant professor at Yale University in 1985 and was promoted to associate professor, without tenure, in 1989. He joined our faculty as an associate professor, with tenure, in 1991 and was promoted to professor in 1999.

Professor Freedman is a scholar of representations of Jews in the literature and culture in England and the United States. He is the author of three path-breaking monographs, the most recent being *Klezmer America: Jewishness, Ethnicity, Modernity* (Columbia, 2008), which argues for the centrality of Jewish modes of cultural performance in interpretation of otherness. His previous publications include *The Temple of Culture: Assimilation, Aggression, and the Making of Literary Anglo-America* (Oxford University Press, 2000) and *Professions of Taste: Henry James, British Aestheticism, and Commodity Culture* (Stanford University Press, 1990). He has also edited four signal collections of essays. His current research unites concerns present in his first two books with his more recent interest in media. In this project, *Henry James and the Mediascapes of Modernity*, Professor Freedman proposes to analyse the work of James through the surprising lens of contemporary media theory.

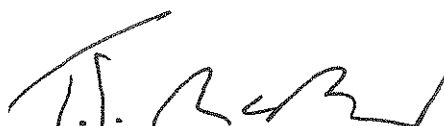
Professor Freedman is a wide-ranging and accomplished teacher. He regularly teaches in English, screen arts, Judaic studies, and American culture, across an unprecedented range of periods, genres, and media, and he does so with great success. He engages students in deep analysis of familiar and unfamiliar materials, and he continues to develop pedagogical techniques that allow his courses to expand. Course evaluations are consistently high, especially in English. He has served on or chaired nearly 30 dissertation committees.


Professor Freedman's service record is also impressive. He has served for four years with great energy and distinction as associate chair of the Department of English. He is currently the editor of the *Michigan Quarterly Review*, a position that demands a combination of diplomatic management, scholarly judgment, and interdisciplinary writing. He wrote the introductions to two of three issues published in 2009-2010. The first of these, "On Bookishness," was a special issue that was conceived as an intellectually thrilling one-day mini-conference he organized. He is currently working with University of Michigan Press on the possibility of developing this special issue, which has received a lot of attention, into a book.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Jonathan E. Freedman as the Marvin Felheim Collegiate Professor of English, American Studies, and Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:


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


Philip J. Hanlon, 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: Robert L. Griess, Jr.

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Richard D. Brauer Collegiate Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert L. Griess, Jr. as the Richard D. Brauer Collegiate Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Richard D. Brauer was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1948 to 1952. The Richard D. Brauer Collegiate Professorship in Mathematics was established in August 2011. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Robert Griess attended the University of Chicago where he completed his Bachelor of Science in 1967, Master of Science in 1968, and Doctorate in 1971. Following a two-year appointment as a T. H. Hildebrandt Research Professor at Michigan, Professor Griess joined our faculty as an associate professor in 1973 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1981.

Professor Griess has had an enormous impact on the field of mathematics. He is best known for his discovery of the largest sporadic simple group, known as the Monster. The number of elements in this group is a 54 digit number. Finite simple groups are the building blocks from which all finite groups are built. The Monster group turned out to be one of the basic symmetries of the Universe underlying and linking together conformal field theory, modular functions, string theory, number theory, geometry, and many others. This is only a small part of Professor Griess' research but it is one of the most famous achievements of any mathematician in the world at any time. In recognition of his outstanding work, he has received a Guggenheim fellowship (1981-1982), invited speaker at the International Congress of Mathematicians (1983), Maître de Recherche (CNRS) at the École Normale Supérieure (1986-1987), Dozer Visiting Fellow at Ben-Gurion university (1999), membership in the American Academy of Arts and Sciences (2007), and was awarded the Steele Prize for Seminal Contribution to Research from the American Mathematical Society (2010). This last is a signal honor, one of the highest the Society bestows.

Professor Griess is a meticulously careful instructor who expects and asks for a great deal from his students. He challenges them and takes his teaching responsibilities very seriously. He also

plays a very large role in the Department of Mathematics. He is extraordinarily committed to diversity. For nearly two decades he ran the King-Chavez-Parks program that brought underrepresented minority students from middle schools to Michigan putting enormous effort into recruiting department members to work with visiting students in this program. This year he helped involve math faculty in two new UM-associated outreach programs – Gear-Up which invited high school students to campus last fall and Wolverine Express which took a busload of UM research and teaching staff to high schools in a variety of Michigan cities.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert L. Griess, Jr. as the Richard D. Brauer Collegiate Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

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Recommendation endorsed by:



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ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Shinobu Kitayama

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Robert B. Zajonc Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Shinobu Kitayama as the Robert B. Zajonc Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Robert B. Zajonc was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1955 until his retirement in 1994. The Robert B. Zajonc Collegiate Professorship in Psychology was established in September 1997. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Shinobu Kitayama attended Kyoto University where he earned his Bachelor of Arts in 1979 and Master of Arts in 1981. He completed his Doctorate at the University of Michigan in 1987. Professor Kitayama began his teaching career as an assistant professor at the University of Oregon in 1988 and was promoted to associate professor in 1993. He was then appointed as an associate professor at Kyoto University in 1993 before joining the faculty at Michigan in 2003.

Professor Kitayama is viewed as one of the top cultural psychologists and his scholarship on emotion and social relationships within different cultural groups has played a key role in the development of the modern field of cultural psychology. His current research focuses on examining the brain mechanisms underlying cultural differences. Overall, he has published 60 peer-reviewed manuscripts, 36 book chapters, three edited books, and two books. His work has been continuously funded through the National Institutes of Health and the National Science Foundation. Professor Kitayama has twice been a fellow at the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (CASBS, 1995-1996 and 2008-2009), visiting associate professor at the University of Chicago (2000), visiting professor at the University of Chicago (2001-2002), and visiting scholar at the Russell Sage Foundation (2002-2003), and a John Simon Guggenheim Fellow (2010), among others.

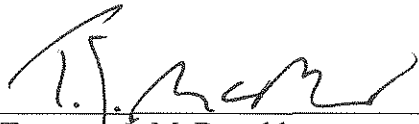
Professor Kitayama is also a fine teacher. He has taught a mixture of first year seminars, upper level undergraduate seminars, and graduate courses. Students admire the breadth and depth of his lectures, his approachability and willingness to respond to students, and his well-organized

and effective lectures. The teaching evaluations he receives are quite respectable. Undergraduate and graduate students alike are enthusiastic about his mentoring and the opportunities they have in his laboratory.

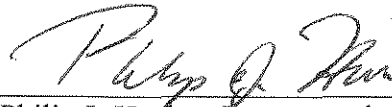
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Shinobu Kitayama as the Robert B. Zajonc Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
October 13, 2011

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Jonathan Lee

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Industrial Operations and Engineering, with tenure,
College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: G. Lawton and Louise G. Johnson Professor of Engineering,
College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jonathan Lee as the G. Lawton and Louise G. Johnson Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

This endowed chair was established in 1993 by a trust from Louise G. Johnson to support a distinguished faculty member in the College of Engineering who will foster relationships between the engineering and business disciplines.

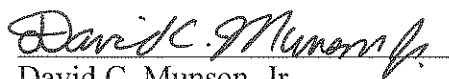
Jonathan Lee received his BS (1981), MS (1984) and PhD (1986) degrees from the School of Operations Research and Industrial Engineering at Cornell University with a major concentration in mathematical programming and a minor concentration in statistics and computer science.

His academic career began at Yale University as an assistant professor in 1985; he was promoted to associate professor at Yale in 1989. Professor Lee entered the University of Kentucky as an associate professor, with tenure, in 1993 and was promoted to professor in 1999. In 2000 he joined the Thomas J. Watson Research Center of the IBM Corporation. Professor Lee joined the University of Michigan, College of Engineering, in September 2011 as a professor in the Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering.

Professor Lee's major research focus is in the field of mathematical optimization and he is considered a star in the field of combinatorial optimization and non-linear integer programming.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jonathan Lee as the G. Lawton and Louise G. Johnson Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Philip J. Hanlon
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Peggy S. McCracken

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of French, with tenure, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, and Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

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

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016


On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Comparative Literature and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Departments of Romance Languages and Literatures and Women's Studies, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Peggy S. McCracken as professor of comparative literature, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016.

Peggy McCracken earned her Bachelor of Arts at the University of North Carolina in 1981 and completed her Doctorate at Yale University in 1989. She began her teaching career as an instructor at Northern Illinois University in 1988. She was appointed at the University of Illinois, Chicago as a visiting assistant professor (1992-1993) and an assistant professor (1992-1999) before joining our faculty as an associate professor in 1999. She was promoted to professor in 2003. She also held an appointment as associate dean for academic programs and initiatives in the Rackham Graduate School (2006-2011).


Professor McCracken wishes to join more fully in the intellectual and pedagogical community of comparative literature. She has worked with several comparative literature students having co-directed a dissertation and is currently directing another. Faculty in the Department of Comparative Literature voted in support of her request based on her active mentoring of students and her ongoing involvement with the academic mission of the Department of Comparative Literature.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Peggy S. McCracken as professor of comparative literature, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:


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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


Philip J. Hanlon
Provost and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

October 2011

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

NAME: Tiya A. Miles

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, with tenure, Director, Department of Afroamerican and African Studies, Professor of American Culture, with tenure, and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016


On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Women's Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsements of the Department of Afroamerican and African Studies, the Program in American Culture, and the Department of History, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Tiya A. Miles as professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016.


Professor Miles' scholarship lies in African American and Native American literature. She is an award-winning author who recently received the 2010 A. Elizabeth Taylor Prize for the best article in southern women's history given by the Southern Association for Women Historians, the National Council on Public History Book Award (2011), the Native American and Indigenous Studies Association Ten Most Influential Books of the First Decade of the 21st Century Prize (2011), and the Georgia Historical Society Lilla M. Hawes Book Award (2011). Professor Miles has taught several courses that have attracted Women's Studies students, including "Women of Color: History and Myth" and "Native American Women's History." She also teaches a first year seminar entitled "Images of African American Women." She is currently on the dissertation committees of two joint English/women's studies Ph.D. students.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Tiya A. Miles as professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


Philip J. Hanlon
Provost and Executive Vice President for
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October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Helmut Puff

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures, with tenure, and Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Women's Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Departments of Germanic Languages and Literatures and History, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Helmut Puff as professor of women's studies, without tenure, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016.

Professor Puff received his Undergraduate Studies degree at the University of Tübingen in 1983, his Staatsexamen (equivalent to a Master of Arts) at the University of Hamburg in 1988, and his Doctorate at the University of Basel in 1992. He held a variety of research assistant/fellow positions in Switzerland and Germany (1982-1995) before being appointed as a visiting assistant professor in the Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures (1995-1996) and as an assistant professor in 1996. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2002.

Professor Puff is a world-renowned researcher in the histories of sexuality and gender. He has taught a cross-listed course entitled "The History of Sexuality" and served as a guest lecturer on several occasions for "The Introduction to GLBT Studies" course. He has worked with graduate students, some of them in the joint History/Women's Studies Ph.D. program, and served as History's liaison to select the next cohort of graduate students for this joint program.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Helmut Puff as professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

October 2011

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

NAME: Robert M. Sellers

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Charles D. Moody Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and the endorsement of the School of Education, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert M. Sellers as the Charles D. Moody Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Charles D. Moody was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1970 until his retirement in 1996. The Charles D. Moody Collegiate Professorship in Psychology was established in August 2011. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Robert Sellers received his Bachelor of Science from Howard University and Doctorate from the University of Michigan. Professor Sellers began his teaching career as an assistant professor at the University of Virginia in 1990 and was promoted to associate professor in 1997. He joined our faculty as an associate professor in 1997 and was promoted to professor in 2002. He has held an appointment as a faculty associate in the Research Center for Group Dynamics since 1997 and as a professor in the School of Education since 2009.

Professor Sellers' research has had a major impact on the field of the psychology of racial identity. He has focused primarily on identity processes of African Americans and how these processes influence health, well-being, and educational outcomes. Early in his career he developed a conceptual framework for understanding African American racial identity called the Multidimensional Measure of Racial Identity (MMRI). With funding from the National Science Foundation, he next developed a reliable and valid measure of the MMRI called the Multidimensional Inventory of Black Identity (MIBI) to measure three dimensions of the model – centrality, regard, and ideology. As his work progressed, Professor Sellers continued to take a person-centered approach to operationalizing individuals' racial identity attitudes. His research has evolved to include a team of scholars at Michigan who have successfully garnered several multi-disciplinary grants over the last decade. These funds have permitted them to gather data from African American school children, college students, and adults of all ages. In spite of the


time-consuming nature of this research, Professor Sellers has published 58 peer-reviewed manuscripts in top general and specialty journals as well as book chapters. With over 3,000 citations, it is not surprising that he has been elected to fellow status of several divisions of the American Psychological Association (APA), the Association for Psychological Science (APS), and the Society for Experimental and Social Psychology (SESP). He was recently awarded the prestigious Theodore Millon Mid-Career Award in Personality Psychology from the American Psychological Foundation.

Professor Sellers demonstrated an incredible service commitment to increasing the diversity of Michigan graduate students and faculty since his own days as a graduate student here. He is currently the chair of Psychology's Diversity Committee that works with a variety of student groups representing underrepresented minorities. He also serves as associate chair of a new Diversity Committee created to reach minority students still in high school. This program is reaping great benefits. This year nearly half of the graduate admissions in Psychology went to under-represented minorities with more than 30% accepting these offers.


Professor Sellers is an excellent teacher and student ratings clearly attest to his success in the classroom. He has mentored numerous students of diverse backgrounds across his career. He supports several students each year through the Summer Research Opportunity Program (SROP) and has a busy laboratory with many active undergraduate and graduate students.

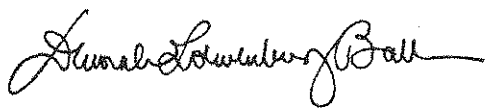
We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert M. Sellers as the Charles D. Moody Collegiate Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Recommended by:


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

Recommendation endorsed by:


Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs


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

October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Susan L. Siegfried

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of the History of Art, with tenure, and Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Denise Riley Collegiate Professor of the History of Art and Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016

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 L. Siegfried as the Denise Riley Collegiate Professor of the History of Art and Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Denise Riley was a visiting faculty member at the University of Michigan during winter term 2004. The Denise Riley Collegiate Professorship in the History of Art and Women's Studies was established in August 2011. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Susan Siegfried earned her Bachelor of Arts at Wellesley College in 1971. She attended Harvard University where she received her Master of Arts in 1976 and Doctorate in 1980. Professor Siegfried began her teaching career as an assistant professor at Northwestern University in 1980. She was appointed as a Rhodes Visiting Fellow at the University of Oxford (1982-1985) and then recruited by the J. Paul Getty Trust as a research projects manager of the Getty Art History Information Program (1985-1995). She was appointed professor at the University of Leeds in 1996 and joined our faculty as a professor in 2002.

Professor Siegfried is an important and influential scholar in the field of modern art history who specializes in French painting of the Revolutionary and Napoleonic Periods. Like the best modern art historians working in this area, her scholarship is at once methodologically innovative and historically grounded. Rich in themes and in dialogue with multiple fields, Professor Siegfried's writing is notable for its lucidity and balance. Her first book, *The Art of Louis-Léopold Boilly: Modern Life in Napoleonic France* (Yale University Press, 1995), was published in conjunction with an exhibition of 44 works by Boilly that she curated. Her book is a comprehensive study of a genre-painter whose professional career spanned the late eighteenth and early twentieth centuries. Her more recent focus has been on the enigmatic painter Jean Auguste Dominique Ingres about whom she has written a series of path breaking studies, including articles, a co-edited volume entitled *Fingering Ingres* (Wiley-Blackwell, 2001), and two books, *Staging Empire: Napoleon, Ingres, and David* (Pennsylvania State University Press, 2006) and her magnum opus *Ingres: Painting Reimagined* (Yale University Press, 2009).

Although there has been a wealth of writing on Ingres, Professor Siegfried's sophistication and originality has distinguished her in this crowded field. She is perhaps the most important Ingres scholar working today.

Professor Siegfried contributes to the curriculum in both units in which she is appointed, offering courses that draw on her expertise in eighteenth- and nineteenth-century European art and gender analysis. Students give her top scores in nearly every course she teaches. She is also extremely active in graduate student mentoring and undergraduate foreign study.

Professor Siegfried has a consistent record of important leadership in both of her units. She served as acting director of the Women's Studies Program (2006-2007), director of graduate studies in the Department of the History of Art (2003-2005), on the Executive Committees of both units (History of Art, 2003-2005, 2007; Women's Studies, 2004-2005), and on numerous review committees in both units. On the national and international level, she is a regular reviewer for a number of top scholarly journals and presses such as *Art History* (the top British art history journal), *Art Bulletin* (the top art history journal in the United States), and Yale University Press. She has served on an international advisory board for *Art History* for many years and edited a special journal on Ingres.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Susan L. Siegfried as the Denise Riley Collegiate Professor of the History of Art and Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through August 31, 2016.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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Establishing and renaming professorships and selected
academic administrative positions.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

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October 13, 2011

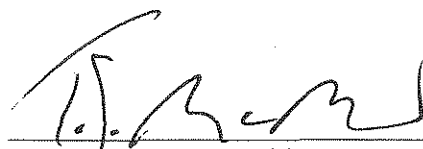
ACTION REQUEST: Correction to Title

In the December 2008 Regents Communication we requested that a collegiate title be named as the Rosemary Grant Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and Environmental Biology. However, this title contained an error. The correction follows:

PROPOSED NAME: Rosemary Grant Collegiate Professorship in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology.

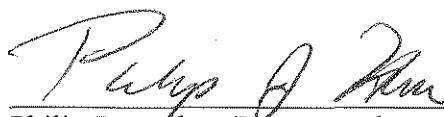
Please accept this correction.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
October 13, 2011

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Cameron Haight Collegiate Professorship in Thoracic Surgery, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 1, 2011

On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Collier Distinguished Professor of Surgery 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 establishment of the Cameron Haight Collegiate Professorship in Thoracic Surgery, Medical School, effective October 1, 2011.

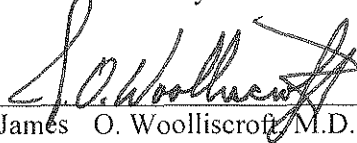
This collegiate professorship is being established through the generosity of alumni and friends of Thoracic Surgery with a gift fund which resides within the section of Thoracic Surgery. It is intended to support the clinical efforts of a tenured member of the section of Thoracic Surgery within the Department of Surgery. The appointment period may be up to five years, and the appointment may be renewed.

Dr. Cameron Haight was born on September 2, 1901 in San Francisco. He received his M.D. from Harvard Medical School in 1926. He served as a surgical intern at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston from 1926-1928, and held the position of assistant in surgery at Yale University Medical School from 1928-1931. Dr. Haight joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1931 as a lecturer, and rose through the ranks to professor in 1950. He was appointed as surgeon-in-charge of the Section of Thoracic Surgery in 1954-1970. Dr. Haight performed the first complete pneumonectomy in the United States in 1932. He was the first surgeon to correct congenital tracheoesophageal fistula with closure of the fistula and primary anastomosis of the esophagus in 1941.


Dr. Haight was president of the American Association of Thoracic Surgery in 1957. He was one of the founding members of the American Board of Thoracic Surgery, where he served as vice president from 1948-1952 and chairman from 1952-1954. He was appointed to the editorial board of the *Journal of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery* in 1954. Dr. Haight died in 1970.


Dr. Haight's contributions to the Department of Surgery were groundbreaking. He was a meticulous surgeon, and led the Section of Thoracic Surgery into the new era of cardiac surgery. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the establishment of the Cameron Haight Collegiate Professorship in Thoracic Surgery, Medical School, effective October 1, 2011.

Recommended by:


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

Recommendation endorsed by:


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


Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D., Provost
and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

October 2011

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

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Correction to Tenure Status and Effective Dates of Additional Appointment

NAME: Kathryn Babayan

In the November 2010 Regents communication, we requested that Kathryn Babayan be appointed as associate professor of history, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year term, effective January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2015. However, the appointment should have been with tenure and not term-limited. The correction follows.

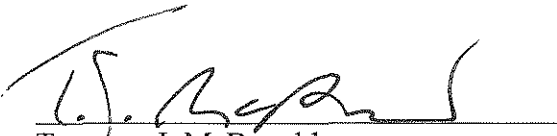
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts


EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2011

Please accept this correction to Kathryn Babayan's additional appointment request.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:


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


Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
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ACTON REQUEST: Approval of Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Lieutenant Colonel Allana Bryant

TITLE: Chair, Army Officer Education Program

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 3, 2011 through June 30, 2014

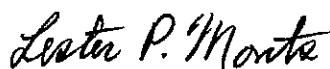
I am pleased to recommend the appointment of LTC. Allana Bryant as chair, Army Officer Education Program, for a three-year term, effective October 3, 2011 through June 30, 2014. The United States Army will pay her salary.

LTC. Bryant received a Baccalaureate degree in science from West Point Military Academy in 1993 and a Master of Science degree in personal financial planning from the College of Financial Planning in 2009.

She has held many diverse positions within the Army, and is currently the director, Human Capital Coordination Cell at Army Headquarters in Fort Monroe, Virginia where she is responsible for the coordination of the efforts within the U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command to lead initiatives and transform the Human Capital processes throughout the Army. In her previous position as the director of the 52nd Theater Gateway in 2009, she was responsible for preparing her team to deploy and training them to conduct personnel and accountability services for hundreds of thousands of soldiers while deployed. While in this position her leadership skills were recognized at the Brigade level and she was selected to become Deputy Brigade Commander in 2010.

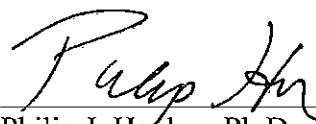
LTC. Bryant's diverse experiences make her an ideal candidate for the position of chair of the Army Officer Education Program. The Military Officer Education Program Committee enthusiastically supports this recommendation.

Recommended By:



Lester P. Monts, Ph.D.
Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs

Recommendation Endorsed By:



Philip J. Hanlon, Ph.D.
Provost and Executive Vice
President for Academic Affairs

October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of a Professional Administrative Appointment

NAME: Paul Castillo

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Chief Financial Officer, University of Michigan Health System

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 7, 2011

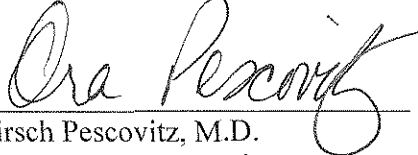
I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Paul Castillo as chief financial officer, University of Michigan Health System, effective November 7, 2011.

As chief financial officer, UMHS, Mr. Castillo will have responsibility for the management of the UMHS financial services division. The financial services division includes strategic and enterprise analysis, managerial reporting and analysis, enterprise budget and forecasting, enterprise financial reporting, financial decision support, rate setting, patient accounts, facility and professional fee billing and collection services, reimbursement, business services, system contracting, outpatient registration and insurance verification, utilization review, and financial services training, education and communication. The chief financial officer reports to the executive vice president for medical affairs.

Mr. Castillo earned his B.A. degree in accounting from Michigan State University. After eleven years with Arthur Anderson & Co. as a senior auditor and financial consulting manager, he was appointed as vice president, finance at St. Vincent Health System in Pennsylvania. For the past fifteen years, he has held various positions of increasing size, scope and responsibility within the UPMC including top financial posts in the UPMC Community Medicine physician group, UPMC Corporate Services, and UPMC McKeesport Hospital. Since 2005, he has been the chief financial officer and vice president, finance for UPMC Presbyterian Shadyside which is the flagship entity for UPMC.

It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of Paul Castillo as chief financial officer, University of Michigan Health System, effective November 7, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:


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

October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Appointment to an Endowed Visiting Professorship

NAME: David Cesarani

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies,
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012

On the recommendations of the director of the Jean and Samuel Frankel Center for Judaic Studies and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of David Cesarani as the Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for fall term 2012, effective September 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012.

As a result of a generous gift from Stuart and Barbara Padnos and the Louis and Helen Padnos Foundation, the Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professorship in Judaic Studies was established in September 1988. This professorship enables the Center for Judaic Studies to invite distinguished scholars to the Ann Arbor campus each year.

David Cesarani received his Doctorate from Oxford University in 1986. Professor Cesarani began his research and teaching career as the Barrett Shine Senior Research Fellow and as a lecturer at Queen Mary College (1986-1989). He was director of studies and educational activities (1989-1992) and director (1992-2000) at the Institute of Contemporary History and the Wiener Library. His next appointments were at Southampton University where he was the Parkes-Weiner Professor of 29th Century European Jewish History and Culture (1996-2000) and then as professor of Jewish history and director of the AHRB Parkes Centre for the Study of Jewish/non-Jewish Relations (2000-2004). He has been a research professor in history at the University of London since 2004.

Professor Cesarani is an internationally known historian whose scholarship covers the Holocaust and British Jewish history. He is the author of six books and the editor of fourteen additional volumes. His recent biography of Adolf Eichmann (2004; published in the U.S. as *Becoming Eichmann*) won a National Jewish Book Award in History. This book challenges previous interpretations of Eichmann. He argues that Eichmann's anti-Semitism was integral to his political and personal life, and it fueled his ambitions to become a leading figure in the Nazi state. Professor Cesarani is also a popular historian who possesses the ability to engage a general audience. He participates widely in international conferences and has served as a leading figure in discussions on anti-Semitism in the modern world.

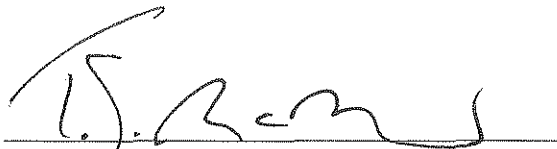
Professor Cesarani is also an effective and gifted teacher. As the Padnos Visiting Professor, he will teach two courses for the Department of History and the Frankel Center for Judaic Studies.

Once course will be on the history of the Holocaust and the second on modern Jewish history – both will be at the undergraduate level giving them an opportunity to study with a distinguished British historian.


We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of David Cesarani as the Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for fall term 2012, effective September 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Philip J. Hanlon
Provost and Executive Vice President for
for Academic Affairs

October 2011

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
October 13, 2011

ACTION REQUEST: Transfer of Tenure of a Faculty Member

NAME: Guy A. Meadows

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Physical Oceanography, with tenure, Department of Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, and Professor of Physical Oceanography, without tenure, Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Physical Oceanography, without tenure, Department of Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, and Professor of Physical Oceanography, with tenure, Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2012

On the recommendation of the chair of the Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, and with the endorsement of the chair of the Department of Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, we are pleased to recommend a transfer of tenure for Guy A. Meadows from the Department of Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, to the Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic, and Space Sciences, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2012.

Guy Meadows earned a Bachelor of Science and Engineering at Michigan State University in 1972, and a Master of Science and Engineering from the same institution in 1974. He attended Purdue University where he received his Doctorate in 1977. He began his teaching career as an assistant professor at the University of Michigan in 1977, was promoted to associate professor in 1983 and to professor in 1999. He has held an appointment as a faculty associate in the Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences since 1985.


Professor Meadows is a marine engineer who has a broad set of interests. His primary goal has been to blend scientific understanding and technological advancements into environmentally sound engineering solutions for the marine environment. He has published papers on geophysical fluid dynamics with emphasis on environmental forecasting and full-scale Great Lakes and coastal ocean experimental hydrodynamics. His work has influenced policy and explored societal impacts of environmental forecasting for coastal management, recreational health and safety, and regional climate change. He is a leading expert in this area. His research interests are closely aligned with the Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences.

Professor Meadows also is an extraordinary teacher. His lectures are very effective and he has received numerous awards for outstanding teaching. He is currently the academic director of the Michigan-Science Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (M-STEM) Academy. Professor Meadows has served as chair or co-chair of 16 dissertation committees. In addition, his teaching reaches beyond the University setting to less formal environments, and includes five nationally televised documentaries for the History and Discovery channels. His dedication to teaching reflects his commitment to the concept that research and teaching cannot stop at the campus boundary, but must be delivered into the hands of those who make decisions that affect our global society.

We are very pleased to recommend a transfer of tenure for Guy A. Meadows from the Department of Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, College of Engineering, to the Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Space Sciences, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2012.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



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



Philip J. Hanlon
Provost and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs

October 2011

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October 13, 2011

ACTION REQUEST: Appointment to an Endowed Visiting Professorship

NAME: Melanie Trede

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Toyota Visiting Professor of Japanese Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2011 through April 30, 2012

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Center for Japanese Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Melanie Trede as the Toyota Visiting Professor of Japanese Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through April 30, 2012.

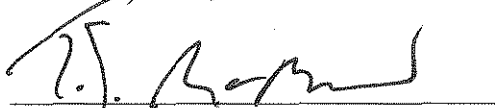
The Toyota Visiting Professorship in Japanese Studies was created by a generous gift from the Toyota Motor Corporation in 1988 to bring distinguished scholars and/or "public figures" to the University to teach and conduct research on Japan.

Melanie Trede received her Bachelor of Arts from the Free University Berlin (1988). She attended Heidelberg University where she completed her Master of Arts (1994) and Doctorate (1999). Professor Trede began her teaching career as an assistant professor at Heidelberg University (1996-1999) and at New York University (1999-2004). She is currently appointed as a professor in the Institute of East Asian Art History at Heidelberg University (2004-present).

Professor Trede has done extensive work on the art of the early modern cult of Fujiwara Kamatari (Taishōkan; 614-669), the first man to receive the surname Fujiwara from the emperor. Her research includes topics as diverse as woodblock prints, gender in art, and modernity in East Asia. Her most recent monograph is *Hiroshige. One Hundred Famous Views of Edo* (with L. Bichler, Taschen, 2007). While at Michigan, Professor Trede will teach a course on Japanese illustrated hand scrolls in the fall term. She will also conduct research on the political and visual manipulation of myths in Japanese pictorial narratives and serve on a panel at a conference titled "The Early Modern 'Medieval': Reconstructing Japanese Pasts" in October 2011.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Melanie Trede as the Toyota Visiting Professor of Japanese Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective October 1, 2011 through April 30, 2012.

Recommended by:



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

Recommendation endorsed by:



Philip J. Hanlon, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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

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

NAME: Stephen W. Turner

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Computer Science, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering and Physics, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2014

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences, with the endorsement of the Department of Computer Science, Engineering and Physics, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephen W. Turner as chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering and Physics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2014.

Professor Turner received his B.S. degree from Western Michigan University in 1987 and his M.S. and Ph.D. from Michigan State University in 1989 and 1995, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint as an assistant professor in 2000 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2006.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Turner has served on the Ad Hoc Committee for the Murchie Science Building Renovation Project, Chancellors Advisory Committee for Budget and Strategic Planning, and interim director of the Masters of Computer Information Systems Program.

Professor Turner will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Stephen W. Turner as chair, Department of Computer Science, Engineering and Physics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Gerard Voland, Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs



Ruth J. Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

October 2011