

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN**

*Regents Communication*

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

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents  
November 17, 2006

**ACTION REQUEST:** Faculty Appointment Approval  
**NAME:** Cheong-Hee Chang, Ph.D.  
**TITLE:** Professor of Microbiology and Immunology  
**TENURE STATUS:** With Tenure  
**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 1, 2007  
**TERM:** 12 Months

On the recommendation of Harry L.T. Mobley, Ph.D., the Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor and Chair of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Cheong-Hee Chang, Ph.D., as Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, with tenure, effective January 1, 2007.

Dr. Chang received the Ph.D. degree from the University of Virginia in 1990 and pursued her postdoctoral studies at the Howard Hughes Medical Institute at Yale University during 1990-94. From 1994-96, she was an Associate Research Scientist in the Section of Immunobiology at that institution. In 1996, Dr. Chang joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as Assistant Professor of Microbiology and Immunology. She held this appointment until 2001 when she was recruited to Indiana University as Associate Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, with tenure, where she currently is on the faculty.

Dr. Chang's area of research interest is immunology, and she is recognized as a leader in her field. Since the beginning of her research program, she has focused her studies nearly exclusively on CIITA, a MHC-associated molecule. This work has resulted in the receipt of two RO1 grants funded by the National Institutes of Health. She also is a project PI on a Program Project grant. Dr. Chang's bibliography reflects 41 papers, published or in press. Her expertise is recognized by an associate editorship of the *Journal of Immunology* during 1999-2003, as well as ad hoc reviewer assignments for numerous journals. Dr. Chang also has been a grant reviewer for the National Institutes of Health and the American Heart Association and serves on a focus group for the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases.

### Recent and Significant Publications

Zhao Q, Wang X, Nelin LD, Yao Y, Matta R, Manson ME, Baliga RS, Meng X, Smith CV, Bauer JA, Chang C-H, Liu Y: MAP kinase phosphatase 1 controls innate immune responses and suppresses endotoxic shock. *J Exp Med* 203(1):131-140, 2006.

Li W, Kim M-G, Gourley TS, McCarthy BP, Sant'Angelo DB, Chang C-H: An alternate pathway for CD4 T cell development: Thymocyte-expressed MHC class II selects a distinct T cell population. *Immunity* 23:375-386, 2005.

Yao Y, Li W, Kaplan MH, Chang C-H: Interleukin (IL)-4 inhibits IL-10 to promote IL-12 production by dendritic cells. *J Exp Med* 201(12):1899-1903, 2005.

Yee CSK, Yao Y, Li P, Klemsz MJ, Blum JS, Chang C-H: Cathepsin E: A novel target for regulation by class II transactivator. *J Immunol* 172:5528-5534, 2004.

Gourley TS, Patel DR, Nickerson K, Hong S-C, Chang C-H: Aberrant expression of fas ligand in mice deficient for the MHC class II transactivator. *J Immunol* 168:4414-4419, 2002.

Dr. Chang's previous faculty appointment at the University of Michigan provided her with the opportunity to develop a significant teaching portfolio. At that time, she taught medical, graduate, and undergraduate students and, in particular, received high ratings from the first-year medical students. While at Michigan, she was the recipient of the Excellence in Teaching Award in 1999. She received a similar teaching award at Indiana University in 2005. It is expected that she will be involved in all aspects of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology's teaching program. Dr. Chang is well regarded for her scientific contributions and receives several invitations each year to lecture at professional meetings, research centers, and academic institutions.

External Review: Brief excerpts from external reviewers are provided below:

Reviewer A: "Dr. Chang's contributions in the area of scholarship are documented by a solid publication record in high quality journals, a substantial track record of NIH funding, as well as invited presentations and service on NIH grant review panels. Overall, I would rank her contributions in the area of scholarship to be outstanding, and there is every reason to believe that she will continue to maintain a strong and productive research program."

Reviewer B: "Dr. Chang has a very strong national and international reputation in the immunology arena. She is an extremely thoughtful and painstaking scientist, and I have a great respect for her careful approach to scientific problems."

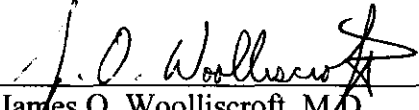
Reviewer C: I think Dr. Chang exhibits the scholarly and creative ability required of a Professor with tenure. Her performance is comparable to others with that rank at major universities. She has made, and continues to make, consistent and significant contributions to the field of immunology. She has made new discoveries during her period as an associate professor and her current work, particularly in the areas of T cell development and dendritic cell biology, is exciting and timely. She has served on national committees, such as the Executive Council of the Autumn Immunology Conference, that reflect her colleagues' respect for her as a scientist and as a leader."

Reviewer D: "I have the highest degree of respect for Dr. Chang as a person and scientist. Her attitudes towards faculty, students, and staff are highly interactive and always friendly. She has been a great colleague and collaborator. She is the total academic package and will continue to be productive and successful."


Reviewer E: "Dr. Chang is clearly an independent investigator by any criteria used to judge successful academic scientists. She has over 40 peer-reviewed articles, a variety of invited presentations, as well as serving as the Principal Investigator on a number of extramural, peer-reviewed research grants, which generates a significant amount of research funds. This is all in addition to her committee work, peer-review efforts (both at the editorial and study section levels), didactic activities and supervisory role as a mentor for students and postdoctoral fellows."


Dr. Chang enjoys a national and international reputation for her research contributions in the field of immunology. She is an outstanding investigator and an exemplary teacher, mentor, and role model. We are very excited with the prospect of her returning to the University of Michigan faculty. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Cheong-Hee Chang, Ph.D., as Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, with tenure.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

  
Robert P. Kelech, M.D.  
Executive Vice President for  
Medical Affairs

  
Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost  
and Executive Vice President for  
Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval  
NAME: June Manning Thomas  
TITLE: Professor of Urban Planning, A. Alfred Taubman  
College of Architecture and Urban Planning  
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure  
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2007  
APPOINTMENT PERIOD University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of June Manning Thomas as professor of urban planning, with tenure, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, effective September 1, 2007.

#### ACADEMIC DEGREES

June Manning Thomas received a B.A. in Sociology from Michigan State University in 1970 and a Ph.D. in Urban and Regional Planning from the University of Michigan in 1977.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Since 1977, Dr. Thomas has been a faculty member at Michigan State University. She was initially jointly appointed in Urban and Metropolitan Studies and in Urban Planning (1977-1981), became associate professor in urban planning and in the Urban Affairs Program (1982-1995) and is now professor in the Urban and Regional Planning Program with a joint appointment in MSU's Extension Service (the major institution that fulfills the university's land grant mission). She served as director of MSU's Urban and Regional Planning Program (1996-2000). She was director (1999-2001) and now is co-director of their Urban Collaborators Program and of Urban Planning Partnerships, an outreach program (2001-present).

#### SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

June Manning Thomas is arguably the leading scholar in this nation in understanding how urban planning has dealt with racial issues and social justice. Planning is, at its core, a field that links knowledge to action, and Thomas makes this link in all of her work. Her research shows the need for planners to confront racial prejudice and institutionalized racism and to work on behalf of disadvantaged and minority residents in our cities. How can planning education be reformed to produce more of such planners? Thomas laid out her prescriptions in "Planning Education: Unified Diversity of Social Action," published in the *Journal of Planning Education and Research* (a top journal in the field of planning) and reprinted elsewhere. "Teaching Planning History as a Path to Social Justice" (in the November 2006 issue of the *Journal of Planning History*) details ways to use history to foster social consciousness in planning students. Her

articles have become a guide for those aspiring to greater diversity and multiculturalism in many urban planning programs, including our own. Her book, *Redevelopment and Race*, won the Paul Davidoff award from the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, a prize awarded to the book that best examines issues of social justice and equity in planning. In 2003, Thomas was named a Fellow of the American Institute of Certified Planners, one of the highest honors accorded by that organization, for excellence in professional practice, teaching and mentoring, research, public/community service, and leadership.

In her teaching, she structures her courses in ways that enable students to carry out projects that advance community organizations' planning agendas. Her lectures and conference presentations are eloquent and highly respected. She displays a genuine interest in her students' work, a trait that, combined with her speaking skills and wealth of insights, makes her a fine instructor.

She has served nationally on program accreditation teams, is a member of the editorial boards of several leading journals, and has served on numerous award committees in urban planning and planning history. She recently led a national discussion on the importance of keeping concerns about social equity central to the accreditation of planning programs when the national accreditation board proposed changes to weaken these criteria.

#### EXCERPTS:

Reviewers had very high praise for Thomas. "The corpus of her research and the many books, chapters and articles she has written make a coherent intellectual statement about planning, teaching and learning in impoverished communities that represents a long term, disciplined examination of a set of critical questions," wrote Reviewer C. Reviewer A summed up his assessment by saying, "She'd be equal to the top [full professors] in this department. We'd consider it a coup to have her here, markedly enhancing our standing and our effectiveness as a unit."

#### Reviewer (A)

Her "serious track record as a professional planner...is a decided advantage in a faculty member in a university planning department..."

#### Reviewer (B)

"Since promotion to professor at MSU, Professor Thomas has continued to demonstrate the scholarly leadership and contributions one expects of a tenured professor at UM. ... Finally, it is clear from Professor Thomas's current research agenda that she will continue to be a productive and effective scholar. She has a lot of work underway that sounds like it will add well to the contributions she has already made."

#### Reviewer (C)

"There is every promise of continued commitment to intellectual excellence and leadership in her field of study,"

#### Reviewer (D)

"Dr. Thomas is the consummate planner-academician, an acknowledged leader in our field."

Reviewer (E)

“June’s records of scholarship, teaching, and service to the community, state, and profession are impressive. She would most assuredly merit the rank of Professor at the [reviewer’s institution]. Her appointment will be a major accomplishment for the College and for the University of Michigan.”

Reviewer (F)

“Our urban planning program could use someone with Thomas’s interests and intellectual scope. I am sure that your students will benefit enormously from courses with Thomas, should she join your faculty. In sum, June Manning Thomas would bring a great deal – in terms of scholarship and teaching – to the University of Michigan.

PUBLICATIONS

“Oral History and Neighborhood Planning.” Journal of Planning History 3, No. 1 (February 2004): 50-70.

Thomas and Hwang, Hee-Yun. “Redevelopment and Social Equity: U.S.A. and South Korea.” Journal of Planning Education and Research 23, No. 1 (Fall 2003): 8-23.

Thomas and Marsha Ritzdorf, editors: Urban Planning and the African American Community: In the Shadows. Thousand Oaks: Sage Publications, 1997.

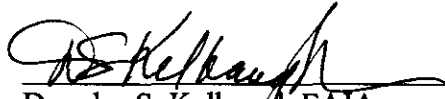
Redevelopment and Race: Planning a Finer City in Postwar Detroit. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 1997.

Joe Darden, Richard C. Hill, June M. Thomas, and Richard W. Thomas, Detroit: Race and Uneven Development. Philadelphia: Temple University Press, 1987.


SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION

Professor Thomas is a highly productive researcher, writer, and a dedicated, effective and well-regarded teacher. She has strong leadership abilities and her appointment will be an invaluable and long-sought asset to the Urban and Regional Planning Program, particularly in the areas of race, diversity, social equity, and community development. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of June Manning Thomas as a professor of urban planning, with tenure, effective September 1, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

  
Douglas S. Kelbaugh FAIA  
Dean, A. Alfred Taubman College of  
Architecture and Urban Planning

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

  
Teresa A. Sullivan  
Provost and Executive Vice President  
for Academic Affairs

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



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ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Christopher Monroe

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science,  
without tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering and with the endorsements of the Department of Physics and the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, I am pleased to recommend that Christopher Monroe be appointed as professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

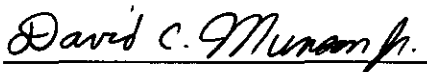
Christopher Monroe received his S.B. in Physics from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1987. He earned his Ph.D. in Physics from the University of Colorado in 1992. From 1992 to 1994, Dr. Monroe worked at the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) as a postdoctoral researcher. He stayed at NIST working as a Staff Physicist until 2000. Additionally, Dr. Monroe served as a lecturer at the University of Colorado from 1995 to 2000. In 2000, Dr. Monroe joined the University of Michigan as associate professor in the Department of Physics. He was promoted to professor in 2003.

Dr. Monroe's research group focuses on the electromagnetic manipulation of individual atoms and photons for fundamental studies of quantum mechanics and applications in quantum information science. A long-term goal of this research is the fabrication of a large-scale quantum computer network, where complex entangled states of multiple atoms and photons store and process information in a way that could eclipse the performance of any conventional computer. The main research tools employed are the radiofrequency ion trap and the laser, providing quantum control of the world's most pristine source of qubits. There is no doubt in the international community that Dr. Monroe's group and the group with his former collaborator (David Wineland, NIST) are leading the world in quantum computing.

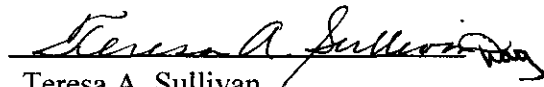
With this additional appointment, Dr. Monroe is ideally suited to assist the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science by his active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Christopher Monroe as professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2009.

Recommended by:

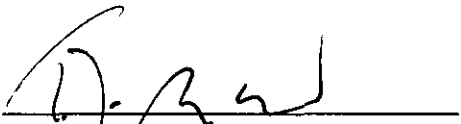
Recommendation endorsed by:



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



Teresa A. Sullivan  
Provost and Executive Vice President  
for Academic Affairs



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

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Establishing and renaming professorships and selected  
academic administrative positions.

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**ACTION REQUEST:** Establishment of an Endowed Professorship  
**PROPOSED NAME:** Holtom-Garrett Family Professorship in Neurology  
**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 17, 2006

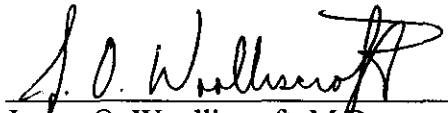
On the recommendation of David J. Fink, M.D., the Robert Brear Professor and Chair of the Department of Neurology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Holtom-Garrett Family Professorship in Neurology, effective November 17, 2006.

This professorship is being established through a generous gift agreement from Mr. Richard T. Garrett and is intended to advance the understanding of multiple sclerosis, to improve the care of those who suffer from it, and to hasten the day when it is possible to prevent or cure this dreaded disease. The professorship will be held by a faculty member who is designated to serve as a leader of multiple sclerosis research, education and clinical care initiatives at the University of Michigan Medical School. The initial appointment period for the Holtom-Garrett Family Professor will be five years, and the appointment may be renewed.

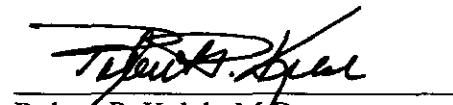
Three generations of Holtom and Garrett families have been enriched by a University of Michigan education. Marilyn Holtom Garrett's father, Benjamin G. Holtom, M.D., an otolaryngologist who practiced medicine in Battle Creek, Michigan, received both the B.S. and M.D. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1917. Marilyn's mother, Adele Westbrook Holtom, was awarded an A.B. degree by the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts in 1916. Marilyn completed her studies for an A.B. degree from LS&A, received a certificate from the School of Education in 1947, and then worked as a speech therapist in Battle Creek. She later married Richard T. Garrett, who earned a B.S. degree in civil engineering from the College of Engineering in 1948, just as his father, Thomas C. Garrett, had done before him in 1919. After obtaining this degree, Richard T. Garrett joined his grandfather to carry on the work of Garrett and Associates, Inc., a Cleveland, Ohio, civil engineering and land-survey firm that was founded by his grandfather in 1890. Richard took over the firm in 1950 and has operated it to the present day. Marilyn and Richard Garrett's daughter, Marcia Garrett Mootz, received the B.S. degree in pharmacy from the University of Michigan in 1979.

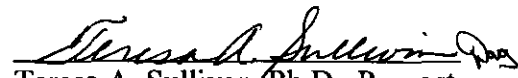
This professorship will support research, education, and clinical efforts in the area of multiple sclerosis. It also will celebrate the close ties of the Holtom and Garrett families to the University of Michigan and the desire of the donor, Mr. Richard T. Garrett, his current wife, and his children to express their appreciation for the profound influence the University has had on the lives and careers of many family members. I am, therefore, very pleased to recommend the establishment of the Holtom-Garrett Family Professorship in Neurology.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

  
Robert P. Kelch, M.D.  
Executive Vice President for  
Medical Affairs

  
Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost  
and Executive Vice President for  
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**ACTION REQUEST:** Establishment of an Endowed Professorship  
**PROPOSED NAME:** Tom Lantos Professorship in Business Administration  
**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 1, 2006

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the establishment of the Tom Lantos Professorship in Business Administration, effective November 1, 2006.

The Stephen M. Ross School of Business has received a gift of \$2 million from the William Davidson Institute to establish the Tom Lantos Endowed Professorship. Candidates for this professorship will be known as the Tom Lantos Professor of Business Administration and 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.

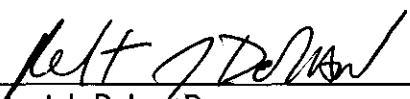
The professorship honors Congressman Thomas (Tom) P. Lantos (CA) for his long-term service as a member of the board of directors of the William Davidson Institute. Congressman Lantos has greatly assisted the William Davidson Institute with his experience and guidance, and has influenced the Institute's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

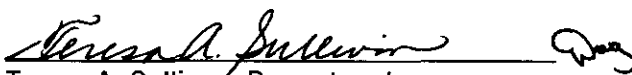
Congressman Lantos was born in Budapest, Hungary on February 1, 1928. His native country came under Nazi occupation when he was sixteen years old. As a teenager he was placed in a forced labor camp. He eventually escaped and arrived in the United States on an academic scholarship in 1947. He attended the University of Washington where he received a B.A in 1949 and a M.A in 1950. In 1953 he received his Ph.D. from University of California, Berkeley.

In recognition of Congressman Lantos' ongoing contributions to the William Davidson Institute, we recommend honoring him with the establishment of the Tom Lantos Professorship in Business Administration, effective November 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

  
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Robert J. Dolan, Dean  
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

  
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Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and  
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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ACTION REQUESTED: Establishment of an Endowed Professorship  
PROPOSED NAME: Charles R. Walgreen III Professorship in Pharmacy Administration  
EFFECTIVE DATE: December 1, 2006

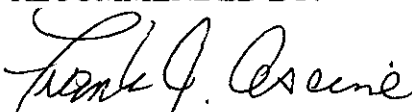
With the approval of the Executive Committee of the College of Pharmacy, we are pleased to recommend the establishment of the Charles R. Walgreen III Professorship in Pharmacy Administration in the College of Pharmacy, effective December 1, 2006.

The \$2 million endowed professorship is being established by a generous gift from Charles R. Walgreen III, a 1958 graduate of the College. The purpose of the professorship is to focus greater academic research effort on the socio-economics of health care, health care policy and regulation, and professional ethics. The professorship reflects Mr. Walgreen's personal belief that in addition to knowing about a vast and ever-increasing array of drug products, modern pharmacists must also have an in-depth understanding of the economic, social, and political forces that affect medication use.

Appointments to the Professorship will be made upon the recommendation of the dean and Executive Committee of the College of Pharmacy to the Regents. Appointments may be made for any length of time in accordance with the policies of the College and may be renewable.

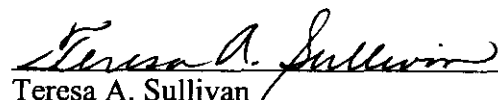
This professorship continues the long-standing relationship between the Walgreen family and the College of Pharmacy. The Charles R. Walgreen III Professorship in Pharmacy Administration will serve to better prepare our pharmacy students regarding the administrative aspects of pharmacy and is a perfect tribute to one of the College's most distinguished supporters, whose dedication to the College and profession of pharmacy are deeply appreciated. Therefore, we recommend that the Regents formally establish the Charles R. Walgreen III Professorship in Pharmacy Administration, effective December 1, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:



Frank J. Ascione  
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan  
Provost and Executive Vice President for  
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Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions  
for regular instructional staff and selected  
academic administrative staff



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ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Donna L. Algase

CURRENT TITLES: Josephine Sana Collegiate Professor of Nursing, and Professor of Nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Josephine Sana Collegiate Professor of Nursing, and Professor of Nursing, with tenure, School of Nursing

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2011

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Nursing, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donna L. Algase as the Josephine Sana Collegiate Professor of Nursing, effective November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2011, with the possibility of renewal.

The Josephine Sana Collegiate Professorship in Nursing was established by the Regents in October 2001. The School of Nursing will fund this stipend with School resources. Given on behalf of those who benefit from excellence in nursing, the stipend will support a scholar whose teaching and research focus in areas that will have a major impact in advancing geriatric nursing research and education.

Dr. Algase received a B.S.N. (cum laude) in 1976 at The University of Toledo, a M.S.N. in 1983 from the Medical College of Ohio at Toledo, and Ph.D. in Nursing in 1988 at Case Western Reserve University.

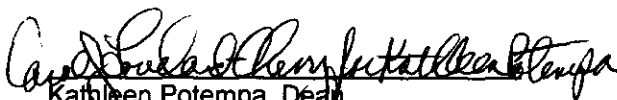
Dr. Algase is a recognized national and international scholar with a focus on care of older persons with wandering behavior as a consequence of dementia. Funded by several NIH Institutes, Dr. Algase is acknowledged as one of the foremost scientists in the field of wandering behavior and care of the frail elderly. Her students evaluate her teaching, which heavily integrates her research interest, as outstanding. She is currently building a new specialty program in care of the frail elder and their family while also offering a new interdisciplinary course for undergraduates, "The Art and Science of Healthy Aging." As an international scholar, Dr. Algase has provided workshops and conducted studies with international colleagues such as in China with faculty at Peking Union University.

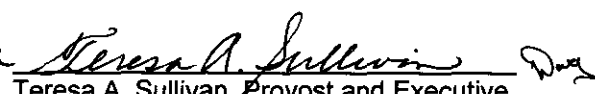
Dr. Algase has sustained an unequivocal record of excellence in teaching, and a sustained growing record of scholarly eminence in nursing and geriatrics that advances the frontier of knowledge in aging health. She enjoys an outstanding reputation among peers in the U.S. and abroad, and a reputation for scholarly leadership.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Donna L. Algase as the Josephine Sana Collegiate Professor of Nursing, effective November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2011.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

  
Kathleen Potempa, Dean  
School of Nursing

  
Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and Executive  
Vice President for Academic Affairs

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**ACTION REQUEST:** Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

**NAME:** Charles A. Cain

**CURRENT TITLES:** Richard A. Auhl Professor of Engineering, Professor of Biomedical Engineering, with tenure, and Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, without tenure

**TITLE BEING RENEWED:** Richard A. Auhl Professor of Engineering

**TERM:** Five Years, renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering request that the Regents reappoint Charles A. Cain as the Richard A. Auhl Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

This endowed chair was established by the Regents in 2001. It was funded by Richard A. Auhl to support a faculty chair in his name and recognize the teaching and scholarship of a distinguished faculty member in the College.

Professor Cain received his BS in Electrical Engineering from the University of Florida in 1965, his MS in Electrical Engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1967 and his PhD in Electrical Engineering from the University of Michigan in 1972. He began his academic career as an assistant professor of electrical engineering and computer science and of bioengineering at the University of Illinois in 1972. He was promoted to associate professor in 1978 and then to professor and chair of the bioengineering faculty in 1983. In 1989, Professor Cain joined the University of Michigan faculty as professor of electrical engineering and computer science and director of the Bioengineering Program. In 1996, he was appointed professor of biomedical engineering and founding chair of the Department of Biomedical Engineering.

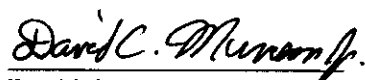
Charles Cain leads a very strong research program in the area of noninvasive surgery and image guided sonotherapies. He has over 150 publications in the areas of biomedical ultrasound and bioelectromagnetics and holds 15 patents related to biomedical ultrasound. He has received numerous academic honors and awards and is a Fellow of IEEE and AIMBE.

Professor Cain's distinguished career exemplifies the highest standards in all aspects of academic performance. His research and teaching will continue to contribute significantly to the excellent reputation of the College and University.

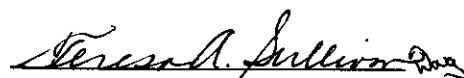
I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Charles A. Cain as the Richard A. Auhl Professor of Engineering, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

Recommended By:

Recommendation Endorsed By:



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



Teresa A. Sullivan  
Provost and Executive Vice  
President for Academic Affairs

November 2006

Approved by the Regents  
November 17, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

**NAME:** Paul N. Courant

**CURRENT TITLES:** Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Professor of Economics and Public Policy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor of Public Policy, with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, and Professor of Information, without tenure, School of Information

**RECOMMENDED TITLES:** Harold T. Shapiro Collegiate Professor of Public Policy, Professor of Public Policy, with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Professor of Economics and Public Policy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Information, without tenure, School of Information

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2011

On the recommendation of the Dean and chaired faculty of the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Paul N. Courant as the Harold T. Shapiro Collegiate Professor of Public Policy in the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2011, with the possibility of renewal.

Harold T. Shapiro was the University of Michigan's president from 1980 to 1988, when he left to assume the presidency of Princeton University. Shapiro has had over his career a strong interest in the application of scientific knowledge to public policy issues, and more recently has been quite involved in bioethics and the public policy of science. He received his Bachelor's degree from McGill University where he won the prestigious Lieutenant Governor's Medal. He received his Ph.D. from Princeton University in 1964 and immediately joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in the Department of Economics. In 1977 Shapiro was named vice president for academic affairs and chairman of the Committee on Budget Administration. During his faculty tenure Shapiro taught at the Institute for Public Policy Studies, which is now the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy. As the vice president for academic affairs, Shapiro was a great supporter of the Institute.

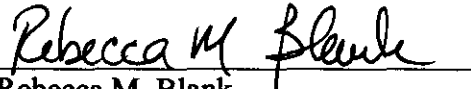
Paul Courant received a B.A. in history from Swarthmore College (1968); an M.A. in economics from Princeton University (1973); and a Ph.D. in economics from Princeton University (1974). He is currently the director of the Center for Local, State and Urban Policy within the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy. From 2002-2005 he served as provost and executive vice president for academic affairs, the chief academic officer and the chief budget officer of the University, positions that were also held by Harold Shapiro. Courant has also served as the

associate provost for academic and budgetary affairs, chair of the Department of Economics and director of the Institute of Public Policy Studies (which is now the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy). In 1979 and 1980 he was a senior staff economist at the Council of Economic Advisers. Harold Shapiro and Paul Courant share an interest in university administration and the application of economics to public policy generally. Each also led Michigan's budget process in difficult times.

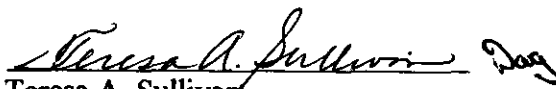
Courant has authored half a dozen books and over seventy papers covering a broad range of topics in economics and public policy, including tax policy, state and local economic development, gender differences in pay, housing, radon and public health, relationships between economic growth and environmental policy, and university budgeting systems. More recently, he is studying the economics of universities, the economics of libraries and archives, and the changes in the system of scholarly communication that derive from new information technologies.


We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Paul N. Courant as the Harold T. Shapiro Collegiate Professor of Public Policy in the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, effective September 1, 2006 through May 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:

  
Rebecca M. Blank  
Joan and Sanford Weill Dean of Public Policy  
Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

  
Teresa A. Sullivan,  
Provost and Executive Vice President for  
Academic Affairs

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

  
C. Olivia Frost  
Interim Dean, School of Information

November 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of a Professional Administrative Appointment

NAME: Brian Dowling

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Assistant Vice President for Development

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 11, 2006

It is with great pleasure that I recommend the appointment of Brian Dowling as assistant vice president for development, effective December 11, 2006.

As a member of the senior management team for the Office of University Development, Mr. Dowling will direct the development services division of our office. In this role Mr. Dowling will be responsible for the strategic development, alignment and management of technical systems, gift processing, biographical maintenance and other administrative processes that facilitate the overall fundraising goals and mission of the Office of University Development, the Development Community and the University community. Mr. Dowling will serve as the Office of University Development's principal liaison with other senior financial and IT professionals throughout the university.

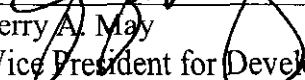
Mr. Dowling received a C.G.A. certification from Certified General Accounts of Ontario in 1986 and an M.B.A. from Simon Fraser University in 1991.

Mr. Dowling is currently the divisional controller for the University of Toronto. In this position, he oversees technology operations, gift processing and receipting, accounting and financial reporting for the Division of University Advancement. From 1998 – 2002, Mr. Dowling was associate vice president for marketing and advancement services at Colorado School of Mines, where he oversaw advancement services, and also managed the database conversion and improvement of data integrity. From 1995 – 1998, Mr. Dowling was director of advancement services for California State University, Fresno. In this role Mr. Dowling successfully managed the university's conversion from a mainframe to a client server platform.

Previously, Mr. Dowling served as director of advancement services at Colorado School of Mines, and as manager of information services at The University of British Columbia.

I am please to recommend your approval of the appointment of Brian Dowling as assistant vice president for development, effective December 11, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

  
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Jerry A. May  
Vice President for Development

November 2006

Approved by the Regents  
November 17, 2006

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of a Professional Administrative Appointment  
NAME: Shari Fox  
RECOMMENDED TITLE: Assistant Vice President for Development  
EFFECTIVE DATE: December 4, 2006

It is with great pleasure that I recommend the appointment of Shari Fox as assistant vice president for development, effective December 4, 2006.

As a member of the senior management team for the Office of University Development, Ms. Fox will direct the gift planning fundraising efforts of our office. In this role she will be responsible for the strategy setting, oversight, marketing and management of the gift planning office and will act as a liaison to various schools, colleges and units to assist in campaign strategy and overall fundraising efforts. Ms. Fox will also manage a portfolio of principal/lead gift prospects.

Ms. Fox received a B.S. in business administration from Miami University in 1985 and an M.B.A. from Xavier University in 1989.

Ms. Fox is currently the director of gift planning for the University of Cincinnati Foundation. In this position, she directs a comprehensive gift planning program, which includes promoting planned gifts among various university constituencies and the identification and cultivation of planned gift prospects. From 2000 - 2003, Ms. Fox was president of the Beech Acres Foundation in Cincinnati, where she provided strategic direction to all fundraising, public relations, communications and fiscal programs. Prior to this she served as vice president of the foundation from 1997 - 2003.

Previously, Ms. Fox served as an endowment specialist for the Jewish Federation of Cincinnati, where she was responsible for coordinating all development efforts for the Federation's Endowment Fund, and as the assistant vice president and senior trust officer in the foundation and endowment services area of Fifth Third Bank.

I am please to recommend your approval of the appointment of Shari Fox as assistant vice president for development, effective December 4, 2006.

RECOMMENDED BY:

  
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Jerry A. May  
Vice President for Development

November 2006

Approved by the Regents

November 17, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

**ACTION REQUEST:** Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

**NAME:** Joel D. Howell, M.D., Ph.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Victor Vaughan Collegiate Professor in the History of Medicine, Medical School, Professor of Health Management and Policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, and Professor of History, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

**TITLE BEING RENEWED:** Victor Vaughan Collegiate Professor in the History of Medicine, Medical School

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** September 22, 2006 through August 31, 2011

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Joel D. Howell, M.D., Ph.D., as the Victor Vaughan Collegiate Professor in the History of Medicine, effective September 22, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

This professorship was established in 2001 through Medical School resources to serve as a memorial to Dr. Vaughan who was Dean of the University of Michigan Medical School from 1891-1921.

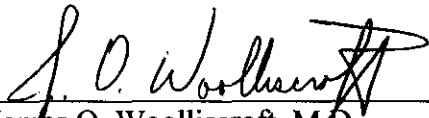
Dr. Howell received the M.D. degree from the University of Chicago in 1979, and the Ph.D. degree in history and sociology of science from the University of Pennsylvania in 1987. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1984, and advanced through the academic ranks to achieve his present title of Professor of Internal Medicine in 1997. He was promoted to Professor of Health Management and Policy and Professor of History in 1998. Dr. Howell is Co-Director of the University of Michigan Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Program and Director of the University of Michigan Program in Society and Medicine.

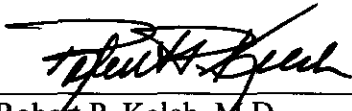
Dr. Howell has developed an internationally recognized research program in the history of medical technology and has established a reputation as a preeminent medical historian. He is an excellent teacher and mentor, who also has made valuable clinical and

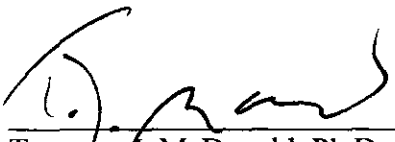
administrative contributions to the Medical School and the University of Michigan. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Joel D. Howell, M.D., Ph.D., as the Victor Vaughan Collegiate Professor in the History of Medicine.

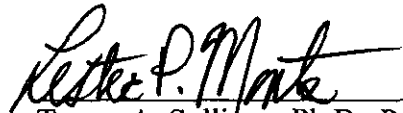
Recommended by


Recommendation endorsed by

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

  
Robert P. Kelch, M.D.  
Executive Vice President for  
Medical Affairs

  
Terrence J. McDonald, Ph.D.  
Dean, College of Literature,  
Science, and the Arts

 for  
Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost  
and Executive Vice President for  
Academic Affairs

  
Kenneth E. Warner, Ph.D.  
Dean, School of Public Health

October 2006



Approved by the Regents  
November 17, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

**ACTION REQUEST:** Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

**NAME:** Marc E. Lippman, M.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** Chair, Department of Internal Medicine, John G. Searle Professor of Internal Medicine, Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Professor of Pharmacology, without tenure

**TITLE BEING RENEWED:** John G. Searle Professor of Internal Medicine

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** January 8, 2006 through August 31, 2012

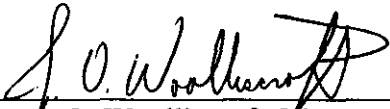
With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Marc E. Lippman, M.D., as the John G. Searle Professor of Internal Medicine, effective January 8, 2006 through August 31, 2012.

Dr. Lippman joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2001 as Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine. He also was named the John G. Searle Professor of Internal Medicine at that time. In 2005, Dr. Lippman received a secondary appointment in the Medical School as Professor of Pharmacology to recognize his teaching and research contributions to the cancer pharmacology program in the Department of Pharmacology.

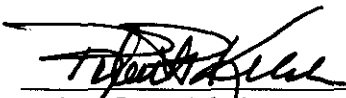
Dr. Lippman is a recognized world leader in the biology and therapy of breast cancer with a focus on molecular targets. He has an impressive bibliography with over 400 articles in peer-reviewed publications, as well as numerous review articles, letters, and editorials. He is an editor of a major textbook on breast disease and breast cancer, and he has served on numerous editorial boards for prominent journals of the specialty. He is well recognized for his contributions institutionally, nationally, and internationally, and the many invitations he receives to lecture at national and international venues further acknowledge his stature in the field.


Dr. Lippman has a distinguished record as a physician-scientist in the field of oncology. He has provided important leadership as Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine. He is an exceptional investigator, clinician, and educator, and I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Marc E. Lippman, M.D., as the John G. Searle Professor of Internal Medicine.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

  
Robert P. Kelch, M.D.  
Executive Vice President for  
Medical Affairs

  
Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost  
and Executive Vice President for  
Academic Affairs

November 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents  
November 17, 2006

**ACTION REQUEST:** Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

**NAME:** Roderick J.A. Little

**CURRENT TITLES:** Professor of Biostatistics, with tenure, and Richard D. Remington Collegiate Professor of Biostatistics, Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, and Professor of Statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science and the Arts

**RECOMMENDED TITLES:** Chair, Department of Biostatistics, Professor of Biostatistics, with tenure, and Richard D. Remington Collegiate Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, and Professor of Statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science and the Arts

**TERM:** Three Years

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2009

The Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Public Health recommend the appointment of Roderick J.A. Little as chair of the Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2009.

Professor Little was educated at Cambridge University (B.A. with honors, 1971) and at London University (M.Sc., 1972; Ph.D., 1974). He served on the faculty at the University of California, Los Angeles School of Medicine from 1983-1993. Professor Little joined the University of Michigan as professor in 1993 and served as chair of the Department of Biostatistics from 1993-2001.

Professor Little is in every way an outstanding faculty member, leader, and colleague who demonstrates excellence in all aspects of research, teaching, and service. Throughout his career, he has been extraordinarily productive and has a well established national and international reputation. He has made outstanding and influential contributions to the theory and applications of statistics. As a founder of the missing data field, his work has made a fundamental impact on statistical analysis and practice in handling missing data. Professor Little has an outstanding publication record, and his book "Statistical Analysis with Missing Data" (joint with Don Rubin) is the standard text in the field. He has received the recognition of his peers in numerous awards and honors by professional societies and organizations including election as fellow of the American Statistical Association and as a member of the International Statistical Institute. Dr. Little also has an extensive service record to the School, the University, and to a wide array of institutions both locally and nationally.

Professor Little's leadership is recognized by his colleagues in the department who nominated him for appointment, and the Dean and the Executive Committee endorse with enthusiasm the proposal that Roderick J.A. Little be appointed as chair of the Department of Biostatistics, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2009.

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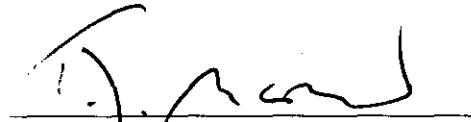


Kenneth E. Warner, Dean  
School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:



Teresa A. Sullivan  
Provost and Executive Vice President for  
Academic Affairs



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

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
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ACTION REQUEST:           Correction to Faculty Appointment Information

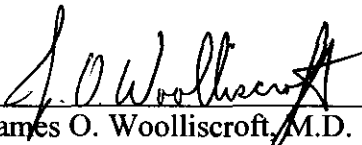
NAME:                       Howard Markel, M.D., Ph.D.

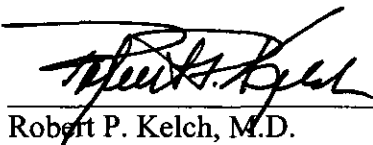
This action is intended to correct for the record a Regents' Communication previously approved in August 2006 regarding the reappointment of Howard Markel, M.D., Ph.D., as the George E. Wantz, M.D. Distinguished Professor in the History of Medicine, for the period October 1, 2005, through August 31, 2011.

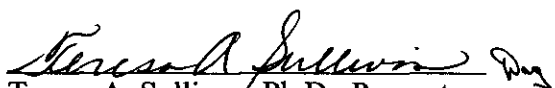
In the previous Regents' Communication, the Center for the History of Medicine was misidentified as the Historical Center for the Health Sciences, which was founded in 1990. This unit received a name change to the Center for the History of Medicine in 2000.

Recommended by

Recommendation endorsed by

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

  
Robert P. Kelch, M.D.  
Executive Vice President for  
Medical Affairs

  
Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost  
and Executive Vice President for  
Academic Affairs

November 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship  
NAME: Trevor N. Mudge  
CURRENT TITLE: Bredt Family Professor of Engineering and Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure  
TITLE BEING RENEWED: Bredt Family Professor of Engineering  
TERM: Five Years, renewable  
EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering request that the Regents reappoint Trevor N. Mudge as the Bredt Family Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

This endowed chair was established by the Regents in 2001. It was funded by Thomas and Polly Bredt to support a faculty chair in their family's name and recognize the teaching and scholarship of a distinguished faculty member in the College.


Professor Mudge received his BSc in Cybernetics from the University of Reading in England in 1969. Both his MS and PhD degrees in Computer Science were awarded by the University of Illinois in 1973 and 1977 respectively. He began his academic career as an assistant professor of electrical engineering and computer science at the University of Michigan in 1977 and was promoted to associate professor in 1984. Professor Mudge was promoted to professor in 1991.

Trevor Mudge is a computer engineer in the most complete sense and his research interests are in the areas of computer architecture, computer-aided design and computer technology. He has chaired the doctoral committees of 30 PhD students since 1984 and in the same period has published extensively in refereed journals and been a PI or Co-PI on more than 40 externally-funded research projects. Professor Mudge serves as an advisor to many international companies such as the National Semiconductor Corp., is a Fellow of IEEE and has won many awards for both his teaching and scholarship.

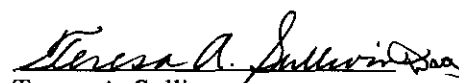
Professor Mudge's distinguished career exemplifies the highest standards in all aspects of academic performance. His research and teaching will continue to contribute significantly to the excellent reputation of the College and University.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Trevor N. Mudge as the Bredt Family Professor of Engineering, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

Recommended By:

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

Recommendation Endorsed By:

  
Teresa A. Sullivan  
Provost and Executive Vice  
President for Academic Affairs

November 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

**ACTION REQUEST:** Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

**NAME:** Gabriel Nuñez, M.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** Professor of Pathology, with tenure, and  
Paul de Kruif Professor of Academic Pathology

**TITLE BEING RENEWED:** Paul de Kruif Professor of Academic Pathology

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011

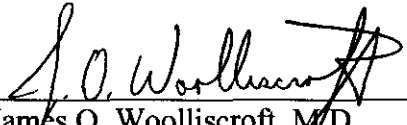
On the recommendation of Jay L. Hess, M.D., Ph.D., the Carl V. Weller Professor and Chair of the Department of Pathology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Gabriel Nuñez, M.D., as the Paul de Kruif Professor of Academic Pathology, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

This endowed professorship in academic pathology was established in 1997 to recognize outstanding academic achievement by a faculty member in the Department of Pathology. In 2001, the name of the professorship was changed as a memorial to Dr. Paul de Kruif who received both the B.S. (1912) and Ph.D. (1916) degrees from the University of Michigan. Dr. de Kruif was one of America's most recognized science writers of his time.


Dr. Nuñez is internationally known for his work on programmed cell death. More recently, he has been widely recognized for his co-discovery of NOD family mutations in Crohn's disease. His research program has entered a particularly exciting phase as his laboratory is exploring the role of NOD and other effectors of innate immunity in the pathogenesis of colon cancer. Dr. Nuñez continues to maintain an outstanding research program which includes six NIH grants of which he is principal investigator, as well as serving as co-director of the cell biology program for the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center, as a member of the Biomedical Research Council, and Biomedical research Core Facilities. In addition to his successful research program, Dr. Nuñez is active in the Graduate Program in Pathology and the Cancer Biology Training Program. He also is a mentor to a number of graduate students and postdoctoral fellows.

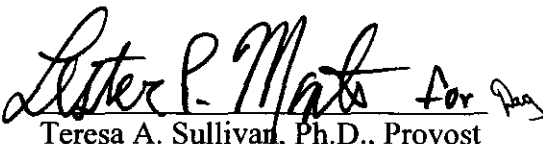
The continued success of Dr. Nuñez' research and academic programs makes it appropriate for his reappointment to this prestigious professorship. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Gabriel Nuñez, M.D., as the Paul de Kruif Professor of Academic Pathology.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

  
Robert P. Kelch, M.D.  
Executive Vice President for  
Medical Affairs

  
Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost  
and Executive Vice President for  
Academic Affairs

November 2006



**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS' COMMUNICATION**

Approved by the Regents  
November 17, 2006

**ACTION REQUEST:** Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

**NAME:** Mark B. Orringer, M.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** Professor of Surgery, with tenure, and John Alexander Distinguished Professor of Thoracic Surgery

**TITLE BEING RENEWED:** John Alexander Distinguished Professor of Thoracic Surgery

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** October 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011


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 Mark B. Orringer, M.D., as the John Alexander Distinguished Professor of Thoracic Surgery, effective October 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

This endowed professorship was established in 1996 as a memorial to Dr. John Alexander, long regarded as the father of American thoracic surgery. Dr. Alexander initiated the first thoracic surgery residency training program in the United States at the University of Michigan in 1928.


As one of the country's most recognized leaders in the field of general thoracic surgery, Dr. Orringer has focused much of his academic and professional career on the diagnosis and treatment of benign and malignant esophageal disease. He has developed two leading esophageal operations: the combined Collis-Nissen hiatal hernia repair and transhiatal esophagectomy without thoracotomy. Dr. Orringer's bibliography includes more than 200 journal articles and 110 book chapters. His commitment to residency education is recognized nationally by his involvement with the Thoracic Surgery Directors Association, of which he is past president, and the American Board of Thoracic Surgery on which he served as a director from 1988-95. He has held a number of leadership positions with the Society of Thoracic Surgeons and the International Society for Diseases of the Esophagus and currently serves on the Board of Governors for the American College of Surgeons.

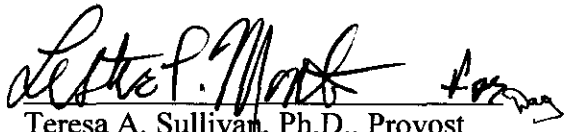
Dr. Orringer has established an impressive record of academic and professional accomplishments. He is recognized as an excellent clinician, teacher, and investigator, and he provides important leadership as Head of General Thoracic Surgery at this institution. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Mark B. Orringer, M.D., as the John Alexander Distinguished Professor of Thoracic Surgery.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

  
Robert P. Kelch, M.D.  
Executive Vice President for  
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Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost  
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November 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

**ACTION REQUEST:** Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

**NAME:** Mark D. Pearlman, M.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, with tenure, Associate Professor of Surgery, without tenure, and S. Jan Behrman Collegiate Professor of Reproductive Medicine

**TITLE BEING RENEWED:** S. Jan Behrman Collegiate Professor of Reproductive Medicine

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** July 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011

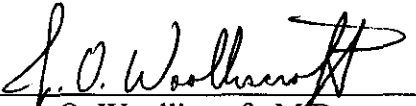
On the recommendation of Timothy R.B. Johnson, M.D., the Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, the Bates Professor of Diseases of Women and Children, and Chair of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark D. Pearlman, M.D., as the S. Jan Behrman Collegiate Professor of Reproductive Medicine, effective July 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

This collegiate professorship was established in 1999 through a departmental fund-raising effort and a generous gift and pledge from Dr. James H. Poppy, who trained in obstetrics and gynecology under the guidance of Dr. Behrman.

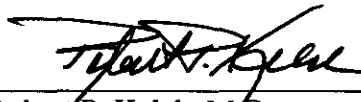
Dr. Pearlman has acquired a national reputation for excellence in women's health. Since his initial appointment as the Behrman Collegiate Professor in 2001, his academic and scholarly productivity has continued to flourish. His bibliography reflects approximately 50 peer-reviewed publications, as well as numerous chapters in books and abstracts. He is invited to lecture at professional and academic venues, and his departmental and institutional contributions to medical education are highly regarded. Administratively, he serves as Vice Chair and Service Chief of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology. His clinical expertise in areas of gynecologic infectious diseases and trauma in pregnancy is reflected through his designation in Best Doctors in America for 2003, 2004, and 2005.


Dr. Pearlman is an outstanding clinician, teacher, mentor, and role model. As a former trainee of Dr. Behrman, it is most appropriate that Dr. Pearlman continue to hold this distinguished title. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of Mark D. Pearlman, M.D., as the S. Jan Behrman Collegiate Professor of Reproductive Medicine.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

  
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
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**ACTION REQUEST:** Correction to the Establishment of a Collegiate Professorship

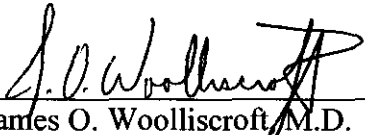
**NAME:** Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professorship in the History of Medicine

This action is intended to correct for the record a Regents' Communication previously approved in August 2006 regarding the establishment of the Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professorship in the History of Medicine.

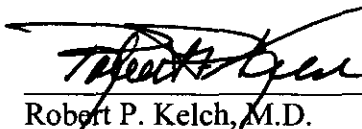
This collegiate professorship was established to support research in the history of medicine and to further the Center for the History of Medicine's mission to preserve the history of the University of Michigan Medical School. The recipient of this professorship will be the Associate Director (not Associate Dean as stated in the previous Communication) of the Center for the History of Medicine.

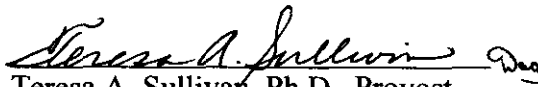
The mission of the Center for the History of Medicine is to conduct original research on the history of medicine, to promote dialogue on issues related to health and society in university, medical, and lay communities, and to preserve and make accessible materials related to the history of medicine, biomedical research, public health, nursing, and medical and hospital administration. The Associate Director, along with the Director of the Center, provides valuable leadership in this regard, and the Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professorship will recognize the contributions of the Associate Director.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

  
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
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Approved by the Regents  
November 17, 2006

**ACTION REQUEST:** Faculty Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

**NAME:** Alexandra Minna Stern, Ph.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, with tenure, Medical School, and Associate Professor of American Culture, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

**RECOMMENDED TITLES:** Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professor in the History of Medicine, Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, with tenure, Medical School, and Associate Professor of American Culture, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 17, 2006

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Alexandra Minna Stern, Ph.D., as the Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professor in the History of Medicine, Medical School, effective November 17, 2006.

This collegiate professorship was established in August 2006 and intended to support research in the history of medicine and the activities of the Associate Director of the Center for the History of Medicine.

Dr. Stern received the Ph.D. degree in history from the University of Chicago in 1999. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, with a joint appointment as Assistant Professor of American Culture. She was promoted to her current rank of Associate Professor in 2006. During 1999-2000, Dr. Stern serves as Interim Director and was named Associate Director of the Center for the History of Medicine in 2002.

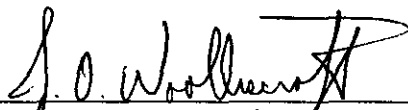
Dr. Stern is a dynamic and devoted teacher on issues of the history of medicine and science, reproduction, gender, ethics, and society in America. She teaches a course on reproductive health ethics for the third-year medical student rotation in Obstetrics and Gynecology and has delivered many lectures to medical student audiences. Dr. Stern developed a new first-year seminar in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, "Medicine, Health, and the Body in Modern America," which she taught as American Culture 102.

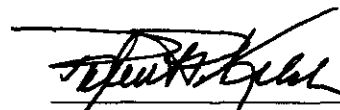
Dr. Stern is recognized as a national expert on the history of eugenics. Her studies culminated in a much praised book, "Eugenic Nation: Faults and Frontiers of Better Breeding in Modern America," describing the State of California's leadership role in the closely-linked eugenics and early conservation movements. She is an exceptionally productive scholar who has published numerous articles and delivered dozens of lectures at home and abroad. Dr. Stern also co-edited the well-received anthology, "Formative Years: Children's Health in the United States, 1880-2000," published by the University of Michigan Press in 2002. This book has been lauded as one of the most significant books ever to be published on the history of American pediatrics and children's health. Dr. Stern's next major project will focus on the history of genetic counseling and human genetics in the post-World War II period. She has received a National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship and a National Institutes of Health/National Library of Medicine Publication Grant to support this research. Dr. Stern has won awards for her work including the prestigious Berkshire Conference on Women Historians Article Prize in 2000.


Dr. Stern is a creative, innovative and scholarly historian who has achieved national and international recognition. She has made important contributions to the history of medicine, particularly eugenics and reproductive health issues. As Associate Director of the Center for the History of Medicine, it is appropriate that she also holds this prestigious title. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Alexandra Minna Stern, Ph.D., as the Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professor in the History of Medicine.

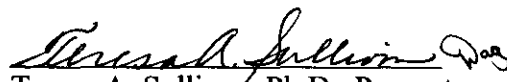
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**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
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Approved by the Regents  
November 17, 2006

**ACTION REQUEST:** Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

**NAME:** Galen B. Toews, M.D.

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

**ADDITIONAL TITLE:** Interim Associate Dean for Research, Medical School

**EFFECTIVES DATES:** October 23, 2006 through October 22, 2008

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Galen B. Toews, M.D., as Interim Associate Dean for Research, effective October 23, 2006 through October 22, 2008.

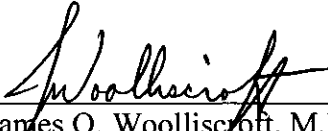
With the recent departure of Dr. Raymond Ruddon as Senior Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies, a reevaluation of the leadership structure of the School's research office is being conducted. With the ever-increasing need for research expertise, it has been deemed advantageous at this time to separate the administration of the Medical School's basic research and clinical research programs and have them directed by two individuals rather than one senior-level officer. Dr. Toews, as Interim Associate Dean for Research, will oversee the clinical research programs of the Medical School. A second Interim Associate Dean for Research, to be named at a future date, will oversee the Medical School's basic science research efforts.

Dr. Toews joined the Medical School faculty in 1987 as Associate Professor of Internal Medicine and was promoted to his current rank of Professor in 1991. Since 1987, he has capably served as Chief of the Division of Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine in the Department of Internal Medicine. Dr. Toews research interests include pulmonary host mechanisms and pulmonary cellular immunology and the regulation of pulmonary immune responses and fibroproliferative responses. His bibliography reflects 170 peer-reviewed publications, with numerous chapters in books, abstracts communications, and reviews. His work is supported by grants from the National Institutes of Health/National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute and the Veterans Affairs Merit Review Program.

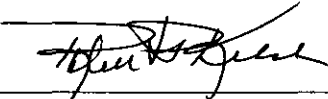


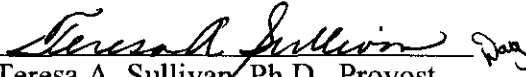
Dr. Toews has compiled a most distinguished record of clinical service, research, education, and administration at the University of Michigan. It is the judgment of the Executive Committee that he is most qualified to serve in this administrative capacity. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Galen B. Toews, M.D., as Interim Associate Dean for Research.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

  
Robert P. Kelch, M.D.  
Executive Vice President for  
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**UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN**

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

Approved by the Regents  
November 17, 2006

**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member  
NAME: Karen Strandholm  
CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Strategic Management, with tenure,  
School of Management  
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean, School of Management  
EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009

The Dean of the School of Management, and the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, recommend the appointment of Karen Strandholm as Associate Dean, School of Management from September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009.

Professor Strandholm earned a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in accounting from the University of Michigan-Dearborn in 1978, a Juris Doctorate from the University of Michigan in 1983 and Ph.D. in strategic management from Indiana University in 1996. She joined the School of Management in 1997 and is currently an associate professor of strategic management. Her professional honors include the Graduate School of Business Dissertation Research Grant and the Doctoral Student Grant-in-Aid of Research at Indiana University. In 1981, she was the recipient of the American Judicature Society Award.

Professor Strandholm is a scholar who has consistently excelled in her research activities. She has published in top-tier journals including the Journal of Business Research and Entrepreneurship, Theory and Practice.

Professor Strandholm will provide strong and effective leadership for the School of Management in her expanded role. Her background in accounting, law, and strategy makes her an ideal candidate for this position. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Karen Strandholm as Associate Dean, School of Management effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:



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Daniel Little, Chancellor  
University of Michigan-Dearborn

November 2006