#### ANN ARBOR CAMPUS - Recommendations for approval

- 1. New appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure.
  - (1) Diemer, Matthew A., associate professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, effective January 1, 2015.
  - (2) Robinson, Leah, associate professor of kinesiology, with tenure, School of Kinesiology, effective January 1, 2015.
- 2. Reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Friedmann, Peretz P., François-Xavier Bagnoud Professor of Aerospace Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also professor of aerospace engineering, with tenure.)
  - (2) Ma, Peter X., Richard H. Kingery Endowed Collegiate Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, effective December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2019 (also professor of dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry, professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, professor of materials science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, and professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School.)
  - (3) Neuhoff, David L., Joseph E. and Anne P. Rowe Professor of Electrical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure.)
- 3. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Adams, William James, professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May31, 2017 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Shorey Peterson Professor of Industrial Organization and Corporate Finance, and professor of economics, without tenure.)
  - (2) Baker, Jr., James R., M.D., Ruth Dow Doan Professor of Biologic Nanotechnology, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015 (also professor emeritus of internal medicine.)

#### ANN ARBOR CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval

- 3. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (3) Bardwell, James, professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also Rowena G. Matthews Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, professor of molecular, cellular, and developmental biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of biological chemistry, without tenure, Medical School.)
  - (4) Blum, Joel D., professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, John D. MacArthur Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, and professor of Earth and environmental sciences, with tenure.)
  - (5) Buckanovich, Ronald J., M.D., Ph.D., Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professor, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate professor of internal medicine, with tenure, and associate professor of obstetrics and gynecology, without tenure.)
  - (6) Chang, Edward C., professor of social work, without tenure, School of Social Work, effective January 1, 2015 (also professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
  - (7) Chen, Yan, Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also professor of information, with tenure.)
  - (8) Chen, Yuqing Eugene, M.D., Ph.D., professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, and professor of pharmacology, without tenure, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 (also Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor of Cardiovascular Medicine, professor of internal medicine, with tenure, and professor of cardiac surgery, without tenure.)
  - (9) Chenevert, Thomas L., Ph.D., Collegiate Professor of Basic Radiological Sciences, Medical School, effective January 1, 2105 through August 31, 2019 (also professor of radiology, with tenure.)
  - (10) Cheng, Wei, associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2019 (also associate professor of pharmaceutical sciences, with tenure, College of Pharmacy.)

#### ANN ARBOR CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval

- 3. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (11) Day, Sharlene M., M.D., associate professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 (also associate professor of internal medicine, with tenure.)
  - (12) Deloria, Philip J., professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also Carroll Smith-Rosenberg Collegiate Professor of History and American Culture, associate dean for undergraduate education, professor of history, with tenure, and professor of American culture, with tenure.)
  - (13) Fierke, Carol A., professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also Jerome and Isabella Karle Distinguished University Professor of Chemistry, chair, Department of Chemistry, professor of chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of biological chemistry, without tenure, Medical School.)
  - (14) Harris, Craig, Ph.D., NSF International Department Chair of Environmental Health Sciences, and chair, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health, effective December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2017 (also professor of toxicology, with tenure.)
  - (15) Hedstrom, Margaret L., Robert M. Warner Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also professor of information, with tenure.)
  - (16) Hu, Shixin Jack, J. Reid and Polly Anderson Professor of Manufacturing, College of Engineering, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2016 (also interim vice president for research, Office of Research, professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure, and professor of industrial and operations engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)
  - (17) Kopelman, Raoul, professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also Richard Smalley Distinguished University Professor of Chemistry, Physics, and Applied Physics, and professor of chemistry, with tenure.)
  - (18) Lubensky, David K., associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also associate professor of physics, with tenure.)

#### **ANN ARBOR CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval**

- 3. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (19) McKay, Timothy A., professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, professor of physics, with tenure, professor of astronomy, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of education, without tenure, School of Education.)
  - (20) Parrish, Susan S., associate professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May31, 2017 (also associate professor of English language and literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and associate professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment.)
  - (21) Pecoraro, Vincent L., professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also John T. Groves Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, and professor of chemistry, with tenure.)
  - (22) Primus, Richard A., Theodore J. St. Antoine Collegiate Professor, Law School, effective November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2019 (also professor of law, with tenure.)
  - (23) Prins, Yopie, professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May31, 2017 (also professor of English language and literature, with tenure, and professor of comparative literature, with tenure.)
  - (24) Rae, James M., Ph.D., Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professor of Cancer Research, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate professor of internal medicine, with tenure, and associate professor of pharmacology, without tenure.)
  - (25) Resnick, Paul J., Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also professor of information, with tenure.)
  - (26) Sension, Roseanne J., professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure, and professor of physics, without tenure.)

#### ANN ARBOR CAMPUS - Recommendations for approval

- 3. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (27) Shea, Lonnie D., professor of chemical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015 (also William and Valerie Hall Department Chair of Biomedical Engineering, and professor of biomedical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School.)
  - (28) Wong, Sandra L., M.D., William W. Coon Collegiate Professor of Surgical Oncology, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019 (also associate professor of surgery, with tenure.)
- 4. Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic and administrative and positions.
  - (1) Naming of an existing Unendowed Collegiate Professorship as the Herman H. Goldstein Collegiate Professorship in Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective November 1, 2014.
  - (2) Establishment of an Endowed Professorship as the John F. Greden Professorship in Depression and Clinical Neuroscience, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014.
  - (3) Establishment of an Endowed Curatorship as the Helmut and Candis Stern Curatorship in African Art, University Museum of Art, effective November 1, 2014.
- 5. Other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Hackett, James, interim director of intercollegiate athletics, effective November 1, 2014.
  - (2) Kuhn, Laura, Norman Freehling Visiting Professor, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through April 30, 2015.
  - Ogilvie, Jennifer, transfer of tenure to associate professor of physics, with tenure, associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and associate professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015 (currently associate professor of physics, with tenure, associate professor of biophysics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and associate professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)

#### **ANN ARBOR CAMPUS - Recommendations for approval**

- 5. Other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (4) Correction to recommended titles for Railton, Peter A., to Gregory S. Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, John Stephenson Perrin Professor, and professor of philosophy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2014 (currently Gregory S. Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and professor of philosophy, with tenure.)
  - (5) Wang, Xueding, Ph.D., transfer of tenure to associate professor of radiology, without tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, with tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015 (currently associate professor of radiology, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering.)

#### **DEARBORN CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval**

- 6. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Miteza, Ilir, associate provost for graduate, international, and online learning, Office of the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017 (also professor of economics, with tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters.)
  - (2) Murphy, Troy A., chair, Department of Language, Culture, and Communication, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective October 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017 (also associate professor of communications, with tenure.)
  - (3) Redding, Lee S., chair, Department of Accounting and Finance, College of Business, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017 (also associate professor of business economics, with tenure.)

### FLINT CAMPUS - Recommendations for approval

- 7. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.
  - (1) Correction to appointment period to university year for Buckingham, Robert W., professor of public health, with tenure, School of Health Professions and Studies, effective September 1, 2014.

## **COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS**

**8.** Ann Arbor and Dearborn campuses.

## 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

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME:

Matthew A. Diemer

TITLE:

Associate Professor of Education, School of Education

TENURE STATUS:

With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2015

APPOINTMENT PERIOD:

University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Education, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Matthew A. Diemer as associate professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, effective January 1, 2015.

#### ACADEMIC DEGREES

Matthew Diemer completed his Bachelor of Science in psychology at Central Michigan University in 1996. He received his Master's of Science in educational psychology from the University of Utah in 1998 and his Doctorate in counseling psychology from Boston College in 2003.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Diemer joined the faculty at Michigan State University in 2004 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2010.

#### SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Diemer is an educational psychologist with particular interest in the measurement and impact of critical consciousness among historically marginalized youth (based on race/ethnicity, social class, gender, or other social categories). He studies how marginalized youth develop a consciousness of structural inequities and acquire the agency to participate in social and political action. In addition, he studies how marginalized youth engage with school, plan their future careers, and make post-secondary transitions along pathways to educational and occupational attainment. Another theme apparent in his work is the role of social class in shaping development, as well as how marginalized youths' critical consciousness around inequality may empower them to negotiate structural constraints. His research has included diverse youth populations (e.g., a range of racial/ethnic groups from lower income or under-resourced communities).

Professor Diemer draws on a variety of sophisticated methodological tools to study societal inequities, such as longitudinal structural equation modeling, growth modeling, instrument validation, and multilevel modeling. He routinely has been consulted by colleagues for his expertise regarding methodological design and analysis issues, including serving as the methodologist on research grant proposals and presenting lectures and workshops both in North America and abroad.

Professor Diemer has a strong publication record, including 32 peer-reviewed articles (of which he was first- or sole-author on 21) that appear in high-impact psychological and developmental journals (e.g., Child Development, Educational & Psychological Measurement, New Directions for Child and Adolescent Development, American Journal of Community Psychology, and Journal of Career Assessment). He also has numerous chapters in volumes focused on social class and youth career/vocational counseling.

Professor Diemer has distinguished himself as a teacher and mentor. He has taught a range of courses, including courses on culture, development, and learning; socio-emotional development; and counseling. Professor Diemer is praised by his students for his facilitation skills, openness to feedback, and efforts to make course topics meaningful to students. He is also actively engaged in the preparation and mentoring of doctoral students. Given his methodological expertise, he is frequently sought out by students, and he has a number of students who are coauthoring and presenting papers with him.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Diemer, M. A., Mistry, R., Wadsworth, M. E., Lopez, I., & Reimers, F. (2013). Best practices in conceptualizing and measuring social class in psychological research. *Analysis of Social Issues and Public Policy*, 13(1), 77-113.
- Wang, Q., Diemer, M.A., & Maier, K. S. (2013). Applying Bayesian Modeling and Receiver Operating Characteristic Methodologies for Test Utility Analysis. *Educational and Psychological Measurement*, 73(2), 275-282.
- Diemer, M. A. (2012). Fostering marginalized youths' political participation: Longitudinal roles of parent political socialization and youth sociopolitical development. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 50(1/2), 246-256.
- Diemer, M. A., & Li, C. (2012). Longitudinal roles of pre-college contexts in low-income youths' postsecondary persistence. *Developmental Psychology*, 48(6), 1686-1693.
- Duffy, R. D., Diemer, M. A., & Jadidian, A. (2012). The development and validation of the Work Volition Scale—student version. *The Counseling Psychologist*, 40(2), 291-319.
- Diemer, M. A., & Li, C. (2011). Critical consciousness: Current status and political engagement among marginalized youth. *Child Development*, 82(6), 1815-1893.

Diemer, M. A. (2009). Pathways to occupational attainment among poor youth of color: The role of sociopolitical development. *The Counseling Psychologist*, 37(1), 6-35.

#### EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

#### Reviewer (A)

"...the foundations for Dr. Diemer's interests in youth's critical consciousness grew out of practice — his interactions with young people in schools, career development programs, and counseling. He is a scholar who understands how to bridge practice and theory and is very aware of the implications of his work for interventions. The work is theoretically incisive and methodologically rigorous. He engages diverse populations in the research questions that he addresses. Furthermore, both undergraduate and graduate students from ethnic minority backgrounds have been drawn to his research projects."

#### Reviewer (B)

"I think Diemer's new work on the concept of wealth (or lack thereof) which takes into account assets and resources as well as education and income has the potential to significantly add to our understanding of the financial challenges that middle class as well as low income families face in today's uncertain economic times. Diemer's outstanding data analysis skills are also on display in the emerging work on family wealth."

#### Reviewer (C)

"In my opinion, Diemer is among the first to make a compelling case for the study of critical consciousness as an important construct for understanding poverty, class, and race in the United States.... Since reading one of Diemer's articles on the topic, I became convinced that critical consciousness, as a construct, can inform our understanding of development, and I've followed his work on this topic ever since. His is the best work being done on the topic, and Diemer's contributions are reshaping accounts of vocational and civic development in American youth."

#### Reviewer (D)

"[Professor Diemer] has developed a distinctive research agenda, maintained an exemplary pace of publications, and has done so with creativity and in a way that reflects the maturity of a midcareer scholar with tenure at a research intensive institution. It is rare to encounter scholars with demonstrated expertise in multiple methods. He is skilled in both qualitative and quantitative research methods, which is reflected in the breadth of his scholarship."

#### Reviewer (E)

"No other scholar I know of, at any level of experience, has done as much to illuminate the process of sociopolitical development and outcomes associated with critical consciousness than Dr. Matt Diemer. For instance, one of his most recent contributions, the development of the first measure of adolescent critical consciousness, is of exceptional utility to scholars in this area and I expect that it will generate increased interest in and research in this topic area."

#### Reviewer (F)

"I believe that his scholarship is important, meaningful, and in some respects, groundbreaking. He is a very serious scholar tackling important issues. His work on the sociopolitical

development of minorities is a first attempt to systematize and test hypotheses regarding the connection between social and political awareness of discrimination and their impact on academic and occupational outcomes...his measurement work on the subject is remarkable, going to great lengths to validate the tools and ascertain their usefulness across ethnic groups."

#### Reviewer (G)

"I don't know many other individuals trained in counseling and vocational psychology who have been as successful in publishing strong articles in highly reputed journals specializing in developmental psychology, community psychology, and methodologies of measurement or statistics. His work has not lost focus but has gained in depth from the attempts to see connections across subfields."

#### **SUMMARY**

Professor Diemer's scholarship focuses on important and timely topics to which he is bringing fresh conceptual and methodological insights. He would bring substantial strengths to our agenda in the School of Education. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Matthew A. Diemer as associate professor of education, with tenure, School of Education, effective January 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Leah Robinson

TITLE: Associate Professor of Kinesiology, School of Kinesiology

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2015

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the chairs of the Movement Science Program and Health and Fitness Program, and with the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Kinesiology, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Leah Robinson as associate professor of kinesiology, with tenure, School of Kinesiology, effective January 1, 2015.

#### ACADEMIC DEGREES

Leah Robinson received her Bachelor of Science from North Carolina Central University in 2000, her Master of Science from The Ohio State University in 2002, and her Doctorate from The Ohio State University in 2007.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Robinson joined the faculty at Auburn University as an assistant professor in 2007, and was promoted to associate professor in 2012.

### SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Robinson pursues a developmental approach in three complementary research areas: motor skill acquisition, physical activity, and physical health in children—particularly as it relates to health disparities. Much of her research has been conducted with young, high-risk populations. Her work is topical and important from scientific and societal perspectives as it addresses important challenges to the development, health, and well-being of a group of children who have been historically underserved. She employs developmental systems and social-ecological approaches to reveal insights about the constraints of motor and physical activity behaviors and then, significantly, she implements translational interventions to promote and assess behaviors that may affect motor development and physical activity and health.

Professor Robinson and her research and teaching expertise will add research, ethnic, and gender diversity to the School of Kinesiology. Childhood obesity is an acknowledged epidemic in this country and in many places around the world. Professor Robinson will expand the physical activity (motor development)-obesity related research expertise in the School of Kinesiology,

and she will be collaborating with researchers related to pediatric obesity (e.g., School of Public Health and Medical School). Professor Robinson has the potential to be an exceptional scholar and role model for our students and faculty, and we fully expect that she will be a catalyst in our drive toward diversity, equity, and inclusion for all.

#### PUBLICATIONS (\*denotes students/trainees)

Robinson, L. E., Suminski, R. R., \*Palmer, K. K., \*Irwin, J. & \*Perez, G., M. (in press). Accuracy of self-reported height and weight in low-income, rural African American children. *Journal of Child and Adolescent Behavior.* 

Webster, E. K., Wadsworth, D. D., & Robinson, L. E. (in press). Preschoolers' time on-task and physical activity during a classroom activity break. *Pediatric Exercise Science*.

\*Morera, M., Rudisill, M. E., Wadsworth, D. D., & Robinson, L. E. (in press). The Influence of time spent in outdoor play on daily and aerobic step count in Costa Rican children. *Journal of Outdoor Recreation, Education, and Leadership.* 

Robinson, L. E., \*Webster, E. K., & Alhassan, S. (in press). Are school-based obesity interventions effective in pre-adolescent and adolescent African-American youth? *Obesity Reviews*.

Robinson, L. E., Wadsworth, D.D., \*Webster, E.K., & Bassett Jr., D.R. (2014). The role of school and physical education policies on children's in-school physical activity behaviors in Alabama's Black Belt Region. *American Journal of Health Promotion*, 28(sp3), S72-S76, doi: <a href="http://dx.doi.org/10.4278/ajhp.130430-ARB-207">http://dx.doi.org/10.4278/ajhp.130430-ARB-207</a>.

Kerkez, F.I., & Robinson, L. E. (2013). The efficacy of motor skill interventions among Turkish preschoolers: A review of the Turkish literature and recommendations. *Middle-East Journal of Scientific Research*, 16, 769 – 774, doi: 10.5829/idosi.mejsr.2013.16.06.75159.

Goodway, J. D., \*Brian, A., \*Chang, S. H., \*Famelia, R., \*Tsuda, E., & Robinson, L. E. (2013). Promoting physical literacy in the early years through Project SKIP. *Journal of Sport Science and Physical Education*, 65, 122 – 130.

Robinson, L. E., \*Daly C. M., & Wadsworth, D. D. (2013). Body mass index and blood pressure in children from a rural, low socioeconomic community. *Health*, 5(8A3), 91 – 95, doi: 10.4236/health.2013.58A3013.

\*Palmer, K. K., Miller, M. W., & Robinson, L. E. (2013). Acute physical activity enhances preschoolers' ability to sustain attention. *Journal of Sport and Exercise Psychology*, 35, 433 – 437.

Robinson, L. E., Rudisill, M. E., & Goodway, J. D. (2009). Instructional climates in preschool children who are at-risk. Part II: Perceived physical competence. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 80, 543 – 551, doi: 10.1080/02701367.2009.10599592.

Robinson, L. E., & Goodway, J. D. (2009). Instructional climates in preschool children who are at-risk. Part I: Object control skill development. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 80, 533 – 542, doi: 10.1080/02701367.2009.10599591.

#### EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

#### Reviewer (A)

"Her specific areas of interest are considered to be novel and important areas of inquiry in the field of motor development (motor skill acquisition) and health and well-being in children. In particular, I think her plans to further study the links between motor skill, physical activity, and fitness, in relation to cognitive function in children holds particularly great promise."

### Reviewer (B)

"She has also begun to systematically examine some of the underlying mechanisms driving physical activity behaviors across developmental time. In addition to these scholarly contributions, Leah has the unique capacity to synthesize the findings of her work and apply these findings to practice and policy. All of Leah's work is theoretically grounded, conceptually sophisticated, and methodologically strong. This work has resulted in a significant body of scholarship in high quality journals. Her work is highly cited and scientifically valued by colleagues across the world."

#### Reviewer (C)

"Given the physical inactivity crisis plaguing children and youth in our country, the questions she is asking are important ones that have implications for improving the health of children. ... Her studies are solid in their design, and she is looking at important issues."

#### Reviewer (D)

"Dr. Robinson has established a track record in the assessment of, and physical activity interventions for, children at risk for developmental delay and educational set-backs. The current emphasis on childhood obesity and future health outcomes makes Dr. Robinson's work timely and important. Dr. Robinson's work has the potential to make a substantial impact in both basic research (documenting the link between physical and cognitive/educational performance) and applications (the effectiveness of school-based interventions). As her body of work grows, Dr. Robinson has become a leader in the development of educational policy to serve typically and atypically developing populations by providing evidence-based recommendations for curriculum."

#### Reviewer (E)

"[Professor Robinson will] ...make a significant contribution to the School of Kinesiology and broader University of Michigan academic community. She is one of the leading early-mid-career researchers in the world in the area of motor skills and physical activity in young children."

#### Reviewer (F)

"... Dr. Robinson's refereed research productivity is particularly impressive because her research has frequently involved collecting data in a school setting as opposed to the traditional laboratory

setting. ... To have published as much as she has in refereed journals at this point in her career reflects tremendous energy and commitment to scholarship. ..."

#### Reviewer (G)

"Dr. Robinson has demonstrated the intellectual capacity, skills, and desire to be a highly successful scholar in a research-intensive environment. One metric that demonstrates this idea is the fact that her scholarly productivity is advancing at an exponential rate."

#### Reviewer (H)

"...Dr. Robinson's teaching and professional service, these appear to be extensive and include an outreach program. She ... has done significant mentoring with student success in awards as well as publications."

#### **SUMMARY**

Professor Robinson is an excellent researcher and an innovative and gifted educator. She has the potential to significantly enhance, extend, and diversify our school's research, teaching, and societal mission. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Leah Robinson as associate professor of kinesiology, School of Kinesiology, with tenure, effective January 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Ronald F. Zernicke Professor and Dean School of Kinesiology

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Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

Matte E. Hillel

for Academic Affairs

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME:

Peretz P. Friedmann

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

François-Xavier Bagnoud Professor of Aerospace Engineering, and Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure, College of

Engineering

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

François-Xavier Bagnoud Professor of Aerospace Engineering,

College of Engineering

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES:

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Peretz P. Friedmann as the François-Xavier Bagnoud Professor of Aerospace Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

The François-Xavier Bagnoud Professorship in Aerospace Engineering was established by the Regents in July 1997 through a gift from the Association François-Xavier Bagnoud.

Professor Friedmann received his BS and MSc degrees from Technion-Israel Institute of Technology in 1961 and 1968, respectively. He received his DSc degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1972. He joined the faculty of the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department of the University of California, Los Angeles, as an assistant professor in 1972 and was promoted to associate professor in 1977 and to professor in 1980. Professor Friedmann joined the faculty at the University Michigan in January 1999.

Professor Friedmann has been engaged in research on rotary-wing and fixed wing aeroelasticity, active control of vibrations, hypersonic aeroelasticity and aerothermoelasticity, structural optimization with aeroelastic constraints, aeroelastic scaling as well as wind turbine and jet engine aeroelasticity. He has published extensively with over 300 journal and conference papers. Professor Friedmann is an excellent teacher at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. He has guided over thirty PhD dissertations and the fact that his students have achieved significant positions after graduation is strong evidence of his contributions as an educator. Professor Friedmann was elected a fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics in 1991.

Professor Friedmann's innovative contributions to his field, his professional standing and his reputation for gifted teaching fully support his reappointment. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Peretz P. Friedmann as the François-Xavier Bagnoud Professor of Aerospace Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHGIAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents November 20, 2014

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Collegiate

Professorship

NAME:

Peter X. Ma, MS, PhD

CURRENT TITLES:

Richard H. Kingery Endowed Collegiate Professor of Dentistry, Professor of Dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry, Professor of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, without tenure, and Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, and Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Richard H. Kingery Endowed Collegiate Professor of

Dentistry, School of Dentistry

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2019

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Dentistry are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Peter X. Ma, MS, PhD as the Richard H. Kingery Endowed Collegiate Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, for a five-year renewable term, effective December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2019.

The Richard H. Kingery Endowed Collegiate Professorship in Dentistry was established by the Regents in October 1998. Professor Kingery earned his Doctor of Dental Science degree from the University of Michigan in 1924. He became an instructor in dentistry (1925), assistant professor of dentistry (1928), associate professor of dentistry (1935), and professor of dentistry (1937) at the University of Michigan School of Dentistry. He was a distinguished alumnus and considered a leader in dentistry who played an active role in the formation of the Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry. He was the vice president and president of the American Board of Prosthetic Dentistry and played an essential role in the development of the School of Dentistry during his 39 years as a faculty member.

Professor Ma received his BS (1982) and MS (1985) in polymer chemistry and polymer materials from Tsinghua University in Beijing, and his PhD (1992) in polymer science and engineering from Rutgers University. In 1993, Professor Ma took a post-doctoral position at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Harvard Medical School. He began his career at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in 1996, and was promoted to associate professor (2002) and to professor, with tenure (2007). Professor Ma has a joint appointment in Macromolecular Science and Engineering (2007) and Materials Science and Engineering (2010) in the College of Engineering.

Professor Ma has published 239 articles in peer reviewed scientific journals, has 31 patents, 36 book chapters and has been an invited keynote speaker at 193 conference presentations at institutions world-wide. Professor Ma has been awarded the following, DuPont Young Professor award (2000), Fellow of the American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering (2006), Changjiang Scholarly Honorary Professor at Tsinghua University, Beijing, China (2008), Patent Application Award, NASA (2010), International Association for Dental Research (2013) and numerous other distinguished honors and awards throughout his career. He reviews grants for several national and international institutions and serves on numerous editorial advisory boards.

Professor Ma has demonstrated outstanding intellectual leadership that is nationally recognized through excellence in research, teaching and service. Therefore, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Peter X. Ma, MS, PhD as the Richard H. Kingery Endowed Collegiate Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry, for a five-year renewable term, effective December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2019.

Recommended by:

Laurie K. McCauley

Dean, School of Dentistry

David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

David C. IT Turan

College of Engineering

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME:

David L. Neuhoff

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Joseph E. and Anne P. Rowe Professor of Electrical Engineering, and Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Joseph E. and Anne P. Rowe Professor of Electrical

Engineering, College of Engineering

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the reappointment of David L. Neuhoff as the Joseph E. and Anne P. Rowe Professor of Electrical Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

The professorship was established in October 2004 by the Regents and by the Rowes, who received several degrees from and held significant faculty and administrative appointments in the college and university.

Professor Neuhoff received his BSE degree in electrical engineering from Cornell University in 1970 and his MS and PhD degrees in electrical engineering from Stanford University in 1972 and 1974, respectively. He joined the University of Michigan in 1974 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, and to professor. Professor Neuhoff's research interests are in communications, information theory, and signal processing, lossy and lossless source coding, quantization, image compression and processing. Professor Neuhoff has supervised 30 PhD theses and is the author of over 60 journal articles. He has received numerous honors and awards including the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Information Theory Society Service Award, the College of Engineering Excellence in Service Award, and the College of Engineering 1938E Distinguished Service Award. He was elected as a fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers in 1994.

Professor Neuhoff's distinguished academic career exemplifies the highest standards in all aspects of academic performance. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of David L. Neuhoff as the Joseph E. and Anne P. Rowe Professor of Electrical Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

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RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

William James Adams

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Shorey Peterson Professor of Industrial Organization and Corporate Finance, and Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES:

January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017

The executive committees of the Honors Program and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of William James Adams as professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017.

Professor Adams earned his Doctorate at Harvard University in 1973 and joined the faculty at Michigan as an assistant professor that same year. He was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1991. He has held visiting professorships at Harvard University, the University of Paris I, the University of Aix-Marseille II, the European University Institute in Florence, the University of Basel, and Paris Dauphine. Professor Adams has been affiliated with the Brookings Institute in Washington, the Chicago Council on Foreign Relations, and the Jean Monnet Foundation in Switzerland. He has advised the Federal Trade Commission, the U.S. Ambassador to France, and several U.S. foreign policy departments. In 2007, he delivered the Guido Carli Lecture at the Libera Universita Internationale degli Studi Sociali in Rome.

The LSA Honors Program is building a new core curriculum, which is a plan to provide innovative, rigorous introductory courses in each of the college divisions of natural sciences, social sciences, and humanities to strengthen the central requirements for LSA Honors students in their first two years. These courses are designed to be interdisciplinary as well as extra-disciplinary and will expose students to scholarship across the three divisions rather than focusing on a single discipline. To develop these courses, the Honors Program is building a team of faculty fellows to work together to create the whole curriculum as well as its individual parts. Professor Adams will develop and teach his own course, mentor Honors' students in the course and graduate student instructors teaching its sections, and will participate in fellows' activities to plan and carry out activities across the core curriculum.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of William James Adams as professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME:

James R. Baker, Jr., M.D.

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor Emeritus of Internal Medicine, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED:

Ruth Dow Doan Professor of Biologic Nanotechnology,

Medical School

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of James R. Baker, Jr., M.D., as the Ruth Dow Doan Professor of Biologic Nanotechnology, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

This professorship was established in June 2001 through an endowment funded by a generous gift from Mr. Herbert D. (Ted) Doan, the Herbert and Junia Doan Foundation, and the Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation. The gift is designated to support a combined professorship and directorship of the Center for Biologic Nanotechnology at the University of Michigan. Dr. Baker held this prestigious professorship from 2001-2012.

Dr. Baker has a special interest in dendritic polymers and their application to medical and biological science. He is highly respected for his expertise in the field of nanotechnology. He established the Center for Biologic Nanotechnology at the University of Michigan in 1998, and he facilitates this area of study. Dr. Baker held the title as director of the center from 1998-2005. He also served as the research director for the Michigan Bioterrorism and Health Preparedness Research and Training Center. He is a member of the Nanotechnology Technical Advisory Group for the Office of the United States President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology, and the United States Defense Information Agency Science and Technology Board. Dr. Baker's research is funded through the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, the National Institutes of Health, and the National Cancer Institute. He is currently the director of the Michigan Nanotechnology Institute for Medicine and the Biological Sciences. In 2012, he became professor emeritus at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Baker's success as a researcher is evident through many awards he has received, including the Distinguished University Innovator Award from the University of Michigan, the Damen Award for the Stritch School of Medicine, from Loyola University and his induction as a fellow in the American Association for the Advancement of Science. He serves on multiple institutional committees and is a consultant for the National Center for Design of Biomimetic Nanoconductors at the Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology.

Dr. Baker is a pioneer in the emerging field of nanomedicine; his long-standing research in immunology has helped define the basis of several autoimmune diseases. It is with pleasure, that I recommend the appointment of James R. Baker, Jr., M.D., as the Ruth Dow Doan Professor of Biologic Nanotechnology, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliseroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

James Bardwell

CURRENT TITLES:

Rowena G. Matthews Collegiate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Biological

Chemistry, without tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

With the approval of the executive committees of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology and the Medical School, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of James Bardwell as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

James Bardwell received his Doctorate from the University of Wisconsin in 1987. Following appointments as a Fogarty Fellow at the National Cancer Institute (1987-89), Helen Hay Whitney Fellow at Harvard Medical School (1989-93), and an Alexander von Humboldt Fellow at the University of Regensburg (1993-1995), Professor Bardwell was appointed as an assistant professor at Michigan in 2001. He was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2006.

Professor Bardwell's research interests focus on protein folding and heat shock proteins, and include expertise in nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) imaging. He has been a Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) investigator since 2005 and was recently renewed for a second term. In 2013, he was elected as a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and he received a large National Institutes of Health grant to support his work on acidactivated protein chaperones. He publishes in the top journals in his field and has been a plenary speaker and distinguished lecturer at several national and international meetings. Professor Bardwell has been affiliated with the Program in Biophysics for the past several years and has made significant contributions to mentoring graduate students, serving on committees, and collaborating with faculty. Since his research is consistent with the research in biophysics, he will continue to be a valuable asset to the program.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of James Bardwell as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Joel D. Blum

CURRENT TITLES:

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, John D. MacArthur Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, and Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, with tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, without tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Joel D. Blum as professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Joel Blum earned his Doctorate at the California Institute of Technology in 1990 and began his teaching career at Dartmouth College as an assistant professor that same year. He was promoted through the ranks to professor and joined our faculty as the John D. MacArthur Professor of Geological Sciences in 1999. He served as chair of the Department of Geological Sciences (2000-2005) and held an additional appointment in the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology (1999-2009).

Professor Blum is a highly accomplished biogeochemist – a critical field of study that investigates the cycling of chemical elements (e.g., carbon, nitrogen, etc.) among living and non-living reservoirs within natural ecosystems. He has received numerous awards and honors for his groundbreaking contributions, including the C.C. Patterson Award of the Geochemical Society (2013) and the Environmental Science and Technology Excellence in Review Award (2013), as well as being made a fellow of the American Geophysical Union (2012), the Geochemical Society (2010), and the American Association for the Advancement of Science (2010). Professor Blum's formal association with the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology (EEB) is important and beneficial for both parties, especially so for EEB's small cadre of biogeochemists. Over the past few years, Professor Blum has supervised several EEB undergraduate honors theses and he has a joint grant with a senior faculty member in EEB. Professor Blum also serves on the UM Biological Station Executive Committee.

The Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology values its association with Professor Blum. We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Joel D. Blum as professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

November 2014

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Ronald J. Buckanovich, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and

Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, without

tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professor, Medical School

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

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Ronald J. Buckanovich, M.D., Ph.D. as the Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professor, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professorship was established in July 2012 with funds derived from the Thomas H. Simpson Memorial endowment and from a gift from Christine MacDonald Simpson. It is intended to honor Thomas H. Simpson, whose goal was to establish a closer relationship between the research laboratory and the patient's bedside to find a cure for diseases.

Ronald Buckanovich received his Ph.D. from Rockefeller University in 1996, and his M.D. degree from Cornell University in 1998. Dr. Buckanovich completed an internship, residency, and a fellowship in hematology/oncology at the University of Pennsylvania. He was appointed as an instructor at that institution in 2004. Dr. Buckanovich joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor of internal medicine and obstetrics and gynecology in 2006. In 2013, he was promoted to associate professor, with tenure. Dr. Buckanovich was also appointed as the associate fellowship director of the Division of Hematology/Oncology in 2009. He also holds a clinical appointment at the Veteran's Administration Hospital.

Dr. Buckanovich's research is in the area of molecular oncology with a focus on characterizing the mechanisms that regulate tumor angiogenesis. He investigates potential targets of therapy for patients with ovarian cancer. Dr. Buckanovich is considered to be one of the forerunners in the field of tumor vasculature in ovarian cancer. He has been well funded for his research through the Department of Defense, the NIH and several foundations. Dr. Buckanovich has published 36 peer-reviewed articles in top-tier journals and holds two patents. His expertise in the field is evidenced by numerous invited presentations at national and international venues. Dr. Buckanovich is a member of the American Society of Clinical Investigators, of the editorial

review board for Cancer and The Journal of Translational Research and the Ovarian Cancer Research Fund's Scientific Advisory Board.

Dr. Buckanovich has mentored numerous undergraduate and graduate students, fellows and residents. Institutionally, he serves on several committees, including the Fellowship Education Committee and the Medical Scientist Training Program. He has closed the bench to bedside loop, with work from his laboratory leading directly to the development of novel approaches that are being tested in clinical trials.

Dr. Buckanovich is an outstanding physician-scientist in the field of translational cancer research whose commitment has made him a leader in this field. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Ronald J. Buckanovich, M.D., Ph.D., as the Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professor, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft/M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Edward C. Chang

**CURRENT TITLE:** 

Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Social Work, without tenure, School of Social Work

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2015

With the support of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, and the dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Edward C. Chang as professor of social work, without tenure, School of Social Work, effective January 1, 2015.

Edward C. Chang was awarded a Ph.D. in clinical psychology from Stony Brook University, State University of New York, in 1995, and a M.A. in psychology from Stony Brook University, State University of New York, in 1992, and a B.A. in psychology and philosophy from the University at Buffalo, State University of New York, in 1990. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1999 as an assistant professor of clinical psychology, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2005, and to professor, with tenure, in 2011.

Professor Chang is a widely renowned scholar whose work at the highest level is at the intersection of clinical, social and cognitive psychology. A common theme from his broad research program is the examination of the extent to which real-world sociocultural contexts are factors in and predictors of individuals' physical and mental health. He has published on topics such as gerontology, suicide, domestic violence, and coping, and has often done so focusing on minority populations and cross-cultural perspectives. These interests and emphases are congruent with those of social work faculty.

Professor Chang has been associated with the School of Social Work since 2009, serving as a mentor to and co-author with some of its doctoral students. In 2012, he demonstrated continued interest in interdisciplinary social work-psychology training by becoming a Joint Doctoral Program Affiliate. We look forward to a strengthened relationship with Edward C. Chang as professor of social work. The perspective that he will bring to the instructional and research agendas at the School of Social Work through his participation in its intellectual activities will be highly valued. Given his history of work on the well-being on underserved populations, the potential for collaborative, interdisciplinary research at the School of Social Work is high.

We are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Edward C. Chang as professor of social work, without tenure, School of Social Work, effective January 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Laura Lein

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

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Yan Chen

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professor of Information, School of

Information

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

The Dean of the School of Information is pleased to recommend the appointment of Yan Chen as the Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

The Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professorship in Information was established by the Regents in October 2014. Daniel Kahneman, a psychologist, was a visiting scientist at the University of Michigan from 1965-66. His contributions to understanding of human behavior are many, important, and consistently seminal. He is particularly known for his work on the psychology of judgment and decision-making, behavioral economics and hedonic psychology, for which he received the Nobel Memorial Prize in Economics in 2002. In 2011, he published a new major book, Thinking Fast and Slow, that presented many of his findings to non-specialist audiences, and which became a New York Times bestseller.

Professor Chen received her B.A. in English from Tsinghua University in 1988, and her Ph.D. in social science from the California Institute of Technology in 1995. She joined our faculty as an associate professor in 2002 and was promoted to professor, with tenure, in 2008. She is also a research professor in the Institute for Social Research. From 2005-12, Professor Chen was the associate director of the Smith Experimental Economics Research Center at Shanghai Jiaotong University.

Professor Chen's major research areas are experimental economics, mechanism design, and information economics. She has published 36 journal or conference articles and these have been widely cited. Professor Chen's early work focused on experimental examination of phenomena such as the role of group identity on social preferences and the efficiency of school choice mechanisms. Her current research looks at the design of incentives to encourage participation in online communities. In addition to being theoretically important, these studies also have practical significance. For example, Professor Chen and her colleagues have helped microfinance sites learn how to encourage lenders to make more loans. Microfinance sites are a critical source of capital for those entrepreneurs, such as women in developing economies, who often have no other source of funding.

Professor Chen is an accomplished instructor and received our Award for Excellence in Instruction in 2013. She teaches extensively in both the master's and doctoral programs and developed most of the core courses in incentive-centered design. Since joining the School of Information, Professor Chen has advised or co-advised seven doctoral students and she has served on fourteen doctoral committees.

Professor Chen has a distinguished record of service to the School of Information, the University of Michigan, and her professional community. Within the school, she has been elected to the Dean's Advisory Committee four times, she has chaired the faculty search committee, and she has been a member of the doctoral and curriculum committees. In addition, she directed our training grants from the National Science Foundation for doctoral and undergraduate students. At the university level, Professor Chen was on the International Council and on the Barbour Fellowship Committee. In terms of external service, Professor Chen is the president-elect of the Economic Science Association, the leading professional society for experimental and behavioral economists. She was also a member of the National Science Foundation Economics Review Panel, a past program co-chair of the ACM Conference on Electronic Commerce, and a member of the Executive Committee of the Economic Science Association.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Yan Chen as the Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Provost and Executive Vice President for

Martha E. Pollack

Jeffrey K. Mackie-Mason

Arthur-W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science, Professor of Economics and Public Policy, and Dean,

Academic Affairs

School of Information

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointments for a Faculty Member

NAME: Yuqing Eugene Chen, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Frederick G.L. Huetwell Professor of Cardiovascular Medicine,

Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and Professor of

Cardiac Surgery, without tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLES: Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, without tenure,

and Professor of Pharmacology, without tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 1, 2014

On the recommendation of Bishr Omary, M.D., Ph.D., H. Marvin Pollard Professor and Chair of the Department of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, and Lori L. Isom, Ph.D., Interim Chair of the Department of Pharmacology, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Yuqing Eugene Chen, M.D., Ph.D. as professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, and professor of pharmacology, without tenure, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014.

Dr. Chen received his medical degree from The Third Military Medical University in Chongqing, Peoples Republic of China in 1985 and his Ph.D. from the University of Western Ontario in 1995. After fellowship training, he was appointed as an instructor at Harvard Medical School from 1998-1999. From 1999-2003, he was appointed as an assistant professor of biochemistry at the Morehouse School of Medicine in Atlanta, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2005. Dr. Chen was appointed as an associate professor of internal medicine, with tenure, at the University of Michigan in 2005. He was promoted to professor in 2009, and in 2012, was given an additional appointment as professor of cardiac surgery.

Dr. Chen is a well-established and highly respected physician-scientist whose work focuses on elucidating the molecular basis of obesity/diabetes-induced cardiovascular diseases and on developing new drugs and technologies to study and treat diabetes and cardiovascular diseases. His experience and training in cardiovascular medicine, cell biology, diabetes, drug metabolism, and pharmacology would contribute greatly to the teaching and research missions of both the Department of Pharmacology and the Department of Molecular and Integrative Physiology. He already has research collaborations with faculty in both departments and it is anticipated that he will participate in formal classroom teaching as well as the mentoring of M.S. and Ph.D. students.

These appointments will formally recognize Dr. Chen's contributions to the fields of pharmacology and physiology, and will facilitate new collaborative efforts with faculty members and trainees. I enthusiastically recommend the additional appointment of Yuqing Eugene Chen, M.D., Ph.D., as professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, and professor of pharmacology, without tenure, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack, Provost

and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Thomas L. Chenevert, Ph.D.

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Collegiate Professor of Basic Radiological Sciences,

Medical School

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

On the recommendation of N. Reed Dunnick, M.D., the Fred Jenner Hodges Professor and Chair of the Department of Radiology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Thomas L. Chenevert, Ph.D. as the Collegiate Professor of Basic Radiological Sciences, Medical School, effective January 1, 2015 through August 31, 2019.

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

Thomas L. Chenevert received his Ph.D. in physics from the University of Colorado in 1983. He was appointed as an instructor at the University of Michigan in 1984, and rose through the ranks to a professor in 1999. Dr. Chenevert has focused his career as a medical imaging physicist on magnetic resonance, and is internationally recognized as a leader in the field. He has published 182 articles in high quality journals, and has been continuously funded by the NIH and the Department of the Army. Dr. Chenevert holds four patents and numerous inventions within the university.

A thorough understanding of the field and excellent communication skills has made Dr. Chenevert an outstanding educator. He is capable of distilling the most complex ideas into understandable explanations. Dr. Chenevert has been recognized for his teaching through receipt of the Outstanding Teacher Award from the International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Society, and by being named as the Distinguished Investigator of the Academy of Radiology Research in 2014. Dr. Chenevert has provided valuable service to the university though his role on numerous institutional committees and NIH study sections.

Dr. Chenevert was a protégé of Dr. Paul Carson when he was completing his Ph.D. program at the University of Michigan. It is fitting that he follows in Dr. Carson's footsteps by appointment to this prestigious professorship. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Thomas L. Chenevert, Ph.D., as the Collegiate Professor of Basic Radiological Sciences, Medical School, effective January 1, 2015 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James/O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Wei Cheng

**CURRENT TITLE:** 

Associate Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences, with tenure,

College of Pharmacy

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Associate Professor of Biophysics, without tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2019

The executive committees of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, with the endorsement of the College of Pharmacy, are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Wei Cheng as associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2019.

Wei Cheng received his Doctorate from Washington University School of Medicine in 2002. Following a six-year post-doctoral fellowship at the University of California-Berkeley, he joined the faculty at Michigan as an assistant professor in 2009 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2014.

Professor Cheng is an outstanding scientist who is viewed as a pioneer in his field, having established three innovative research programs in his laboratory while still an assistant professor. His doctoral training was in biophysics and his current research is keen to address basic biological questions using biophysical approaches. Professor Cheng's research lies at the crossroads of quantitative sciences within biology, the success of which requires training of graduate students in interdisciplinary fields including biophysics, engineering, and quantitative biology. His unique strengths in quantitative optical trapping and novel biophysical techniques will potentially add new arsenals to the Program in Biophysics. He has received significant funding from the March of Dimes and 3M, and his research is currently funded by two large grant awards from the National Science Foundation and the National Institutes of Health. His publications have appeared in high quality journals, including the *Journal of Molecular Biology* and *Science*.

Professor Cheng is a dedicated teacher who has established a rigorous laboratory training program through which he has mentored graduate students, post-doctoral trainees, and undergraduate students. He has also served on ten dissertation committees for doctoral students.

We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Wei Cheng as associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

James W. Dalton

Dean College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

#### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Sharlene M. Day, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE:

Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Associate Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, without

tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE:

November 1, 2014

On the recommendation of Bishr Omary, M.D., Ph.D., H. Marvin Pollard Professor and Chair of the Department of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Sharlene M. Day, M.D. as associate professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure. Medical School, effective November 1, 2014.

Dr. Day obtained a M.D. from New York University in 1995. After her residency and fellowships in cardiovascular medicine and physiology, she joined the faculty of the University of Michigan as a clinical lecturer in the Department of Internal Medicine in 2001. In 2005, she was appointed as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2013.

The Department of Molecular and Integrative Physiology has a considerable strength in cardiovascular physiology. Dr. Day's interest in cardiomyopathies will complement the existing strength in this area. She will have research collaborations with several of the physiology faculty members, including Drs. Dan Michele, Santiago Schnell and Anatoli Lopatin. Additionally, she will contribute to the mentoring of graduate students and participate in teaching physiology courses.

This appointment will strengthen communication between the clinical and basic science departments in further developing cardiovascular science at Michigan. I enthusiastically recommend the additional appointment of Sharlene M. Day, M.D., as associate professor of molecular and integrative physiology, without tenure, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M. Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack, Provost

and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

#### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Philip J. Deloria

CURRENT TITLES:

Carroll Smith-Rosenberg Collegiate Professor of History and American Culture, Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education, Professor of History, with tenure, and Professor of American Culture, with tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and

the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Program in the Environment and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Departments of History and American Culture, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Philip J. Deloria as professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Philip Deloria received his Doctorate in American studies from Yale University in 1994. Professor Deloria joined our faculty as an associate professor in 2001 and was promoted to professor in 2004. He served as the director of the Program in American Culture (2003-2007) and is currently serving as the associate dean for undergraduate education (2010-present). One of Professor Deloria's central teaching interests is in U. S. environmental history and he has offered the course as an upper division lecture and a first year seminar. This course and his "History and Literature of the Rocky Mountains" will be cross-listed with History and Program in the Environment.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Philip J. Deloria as professor of environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Marie Lynn Miranda, Ph.D.

Samuel A. Graham Dean

School of Natural Resources and Environment

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Carol A. Fierke

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Jerome and Isabella Karle Distinguished University Professor of

Chemistry, Chair, Department of Chemistry, Professor of Chemistry,

with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and

Professor of Biological Chemistry, without tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

With the approval of the executive committees of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Chemistry and the Medical School, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Carol A. Fierke as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Carol Fierke completed her Doctorate at Brandeis University in 1984. Following a three-year appointment as a post-doctoral associate at Pennsylvania State University, Professor Fierke began her teaching career as an assistant professor at Duke University in 1987. She was promoted to associate professor in 1994 and joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as professor in 1999. She has served as chair of the Department of Chemistry since 2005.

Professor Fierke has made significant and pioneering contributions to bio-inorganic chemistry and the development and use of biosensors. She has received numerous awards over the course of her career, including the Emil Thomas Kaiser Award (2014), fellow of the American Cancer Society (2014), and the Hollenshead Award for Promoting Equity and Social Change (2013). She is co-chair of the American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (2012-2015) and is a member of the Advisory Committee for the Biological Chemistry Division of the American Chemical Society (2014-2016).

Professor Fierke has been affiliated with the Program in Biophysics for the past several years and has made important contributions to the mentoring of undergraduate and graduate students by serving on committees, and participating in graduate student recruiting, poster sessions, and

symposia. Since her research is closely related to biophysics, she will continue to be a valuable asset to the program.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Carol A. Fierke as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

James D. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment to an Academic Administrative

Appointment and an Endowed Department Chair

NAME:

Craig Harris, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Toxicology, with tenure, Department of Environmental

Health Sciences, School of Public Health

**ADDITIONAL TITLES:** 

NSF International Department Chair of Environmental Health

Sciences, and Chair, Department of Environmental Health Sciences,

School of Public Health

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2017

The Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Public Health are pleased to recommend the appointment of Craig Harris, Ph.D. as chair, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, and as the NSF International Department Chair of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health, effective December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2017.

The NSF International Department Chair in Environmental Health Sciences was established by the Regents in October 2008 and is funded with securities provided by NSF International. This professorship will run concurrent with Professor Harris' term as department chair.

Professor Harris received his B.S and M.S. degrees in zoology in 1978 and 1980, respectively, from Brigham Young University. He received his Ph.D. in toxicology from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill in 1985. Following post-doctoral training at the University of Washington, he joined the School of Public Health faculty as an assistant professor in 1988, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1996, and to professor in 2003.

Professor Harris is a developmental toxicologist whose research interests include the role of oxidative stress and glutathione in mechanisms of developmental toxicology, redox-regulation of transcription factor activation, developmental gene expression, proliferation and differentiation, mechanisms of chemical toxicity in the developing limb and neural crest. He has a strong record of external funding for his work. He teaches courses in developmental toxicology and biochemical and molecular toxicology. Professor Harris is a dedicated teacher and his courses receive excellent evaluations. He is also a dedicated mentor to his students.

Professor Harris is a highly regarded faculty member, leader, and colleague who demonstrates excellence in all aspects of research, teaching, and service. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Craig Harris, Ph.D. as chair, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, and as the NSF International Department Chair of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health, effective December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Martin A. Philbert, Ph.D.

Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Margaret L. Hedstrom

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Robert M. Warner Collegiate Professor of Information, School

of Information

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

The Dean of the School of Information is pleased to recommend the appointment of Margaret L. Hedstrom as the Robert M. Warner Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

The Robert W. Warner Collegiate Professorship in Information was established by the Regents in October 2014. Robert Warner received his Ph.D. in American history in 1958 from the University of Michigan. He was the third director of the University of Michigan Bentley Historical Library (then the Michigan Historical Collections). He served as the sixth archivist of the United States from 1980 to 1985, during which time he led the successful effort to transform the archives into an independent agency. He then returned to the University of Michigan as a faculty member in the School of Information (then the School of Information and Library Studies) and the Department of History. He served as dean of the School of Information from 1985 to 1992, and was appointed as the university historian in 1992. During his career, he also served as the interim director of the University of Michigan Library, the president of the Society of American Archivists (SAA), the Historical Society of Michigan, and the Second European Conference on Archives, and on the boards of the SAA, the American Historical Association, and the American Library Association. Professor Warner was a Distinguished Fellow of the SAA.

Margaret Hedstrom received her B.A. from Grinnell College (1975), her M.A. in history (1979) and in library and information studies (1977), and her Ph. D. in history (1988), all from the University of Wisconsin, Madison. She joined our faculty in 1995 as an associate professor, was granted tenure in 2000, and was promoted to professor in 2010. Professor Hedstrom is also a faculty associate in the Institute for Social Research. Prior to joining the University of Michigan, Professor Hedstrom was with the New York State Archives and Records Administration as the director of the Special Media Records Project (1985-87) and as the chief of the State Records Advisory Service (1987-95).

Professor Hedstrom's major research focuses on the management and preservation of electronic records. She has published 20 journal and conference articles and these have been widely cited. In 1992, Professor Hedstrom was elected as a fellow of the Society of American Archivists. She also received the W. Kaye Lamb Prize in 1994 from the Association of Canadian Archivists. Professor Hedstrom's early work focused on guiding archivists in their transition from paper to electronic records. In particular, she was a leader in formulating frameworks to help archivists understand the social, historical, and technological context of electronic recordkeeping so that they could influence the design and deployment of subsequent electronic records systems. Professor Hedstrom was also instrumental during this period in

making the papers and records of the South African liberation movement available online. More recently, Professor Hedstrom has focused on the challenges of open data, or the policies and mechanisms that enable effective data sharing in the natural and social sciences. Specifically, she is the director of the National Science Foundation-funded Sustainable Environment through Actionable Data (SEAD) Project. SEAD aims to make it easier to capture, archive and federate data, even when collected across many heterogeneous projects.

Professor Hedstrom is a gifted instructor. She developed and teaches many of the core courses in archives and records management, and also developed and taught several of the core required courses for our master's degree. Since joining the School of Information, Professor Hedstrom has advised or coadvised eight doctoral students and she has served on twelve doctoral committees.

Professor Hedstrom has an exceptional record of service to the School of Information, the University of Michigan, and her professional community. Within the school, she was the associate dean for academic programs (2010-12), the director of the Master's of Science in Information Program (2012-14), a threetime elected member of the Dean's Advisory Committee, chair of the Curriculum Committee, and a member of the Doctoral and Master's committees. She is currently the chair of our Curriculum Revision Task Force. At the university level, Professor Hedstrom was the chair of the Situational Review Committee of ICPSR (2009), an elected member of the Rackham Executive Board (2005-08), a member of the School of Information Dean Search Advisory Committee (2006-07), a member of the ISR Director Search Advisory Committee (2004-05), and a member of the University Librarian Search Advisory Committee (1996-97). In terms of external service, Professor Hedstrom has a lengthy and distinguished list of appointments, of which highlights include membership on the President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology, Technical Advisory Group to Subcommittee on Networking and Information Technology (2006-07), membership on several study panels of the National Research Council, membership on the U.S. State Department Advisory Committee on Historical Diplomatic Documentation (2003-09), and membership on the American Council on Learned Societies Commission on Cyberinfrastructure for the Humanities and Social Sciences (2005-06). She has also been an advisor to foreign governments, including Sweden, the Netherlands, and the United Kingdom.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Margaret L. Hedstrom as the Robert M. Warner Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Jeffrey K. MacKie-Mason

Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science, Professor of Economics and Public Policy, and Dean, School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Shixin Jack Hu

CURRENT TITLES: J. Reid and Polly Anderson Professor of Manufacturing

Technology, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, and Interim Vice

President for Research, Office of Research

RECOMMENDED TITLES: J. Reid and Polly Anderson Professor of Manufacturing,

Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure,

Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, and Interim Vice President

for Research, Office of Research

EFFECTIVE DATES: November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2016

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Shixin Jack Hu as the J. Reid and Polly Anderson Professor of Manufacturing, College of Engineering, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2016.

The J. Reid and Polly Anderson Professorship was established in 1985 to assist a distinguished faculty member to further educational work and, in particular, contribute to the strength of the United States in new technologies and the ability to manufacture products resulting from them in this country. The professorship was renamed in October 2014.

Professor Hu received his B.S. degree in 1983 from the Tianjin University in China and his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1986 and 1990, respectively. Professor Hu was appointed as interim vice president for research in January 2014. Prior to his current appointment, he served as associate dean for academic affairs (2009-2013) and associate dean for research and graduate education (2007-2009), both in the College of Engineering.

Professor Hu's teaching and research interests include manufacturing systems design and operations, assembly modeling, and statistical quality methods. He is the recipient of various awards, including the SME Outstanding Young Manufacturing Engineer Award, National Science Foundation CAREER Award, ASME William T. Ennor Manufacturing Technology Award, the College of Engineering Research Excellence Award, and several best paper awards. He is a fellow of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and a fellow of the International Academy for Production Engineering. He served as the editor-in-chief of the *Journal of Manufacturing Systems* from 2008 to 2013.

Professor Hu'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. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Shixin Jack Hu as the J. Reid and Polly Anderson Professor of Manufacturing, College of Engineering, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

Matte E. Hellal

for Academic Affairs

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Raoul Kopelman

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Richard Smalley Distinguished University Professor of Chemistry,

Physics, and Applied Physics, and Professor of Chemistry, with

tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

With the approval of the executive committees of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Chemistry, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Raoul Kopelman as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Raoul Kopelman attended the Israel Institute of Technology where he earned a Bachelor of Science in 1955 and Master of Science in 1957. He received his Doctorate at Columbia University in 1960. Upon completion of a two-year post-doctoral appointment at Harvard University, Professor Kopelman began his teaching career as an instructor at the Israel Institute of Technology. He held an appointment as a senior research fellow at the California Institute of Technology (1964-1966) before joining the faculty at Michigan as an assistant professor in 1966. He was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1971 and appointed as a distinguished university professor in 2006.

Professor Kopelman's research focuses on photonics, laser and bioanalytical chemistry, chemical biology, and molecular and nano-materials, with recent work done on the nanofabrication of biocompatical opto-chemical sensors as well as biodegradable medical nano-actuators, and on their *in vitro* and *in vivo* applications. His current laboratory has over 15 active researchers in the areas of analytical chemistry, physical chemistry, biophysics, and applied physics.

Professor Kopelman has been associated with the Program in Biophysics for the last five years mentoring doctoral students. He has served on the Biophysics admissions committee and been involved with several seminars. As his research is closely related to biophysics, he will continue to be a great asset to that program.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Raoul Kopelman as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

David K. Lubensky

CURRENT TITLE:

Associate Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science,

and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Associate Professor of Biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

With the approval of the executive committees of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Physics, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of David K. Lubensky as associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

David Lubensky received his Doctorate from Harvard University in 2001 and completed three post-doctoral appointments before being appointed as the Norman M. Leff Assistant Professor at Michigan in 2006. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2013.

Professor Lubensky is a highly regarded theorist who focuses on the mechanisms of organization of spatial-temporal pattern formation in biological systems. His work is held in high esteem by his colleagues, who are impressed by the elegance and originality of his work. He engages closely with experimentalists and many leaders in his field expect him to have an important influence. His publications are of very high quality and they appear in the top journals in his field. Professor Lubensky received a National Science Foundation CAREER award in 2011 and the Mayent-Rothschild Fellowship at the Institut Curie, Paris in 2014. He has been associated with the Program in Biophysics for the last seven years mentoring undergraduate and graduate students as well as serving on a biophysics faculty search committee (2012-2013). As his research is closely related to biophysics, he will continue to be a great asset to that program.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of David K. Lubensky as associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

E. AN.

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

\*NAME:

Timothy A. McKay

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Professor of Physics, with tenure, Professor of Astronomy, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Education, without tenure,

School of Education

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017

The executive committees of the Honors Program and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, with the endorsement of the School of Education, are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Timothy A. McKay as professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017.

Timothy McKay received his Doctorate from the University of Chicago in 1992 and joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in the Department of Physics in 1995. He was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2007.

The LSA Honors Program is building a new core curriculum, which is a plan to provide innovative, rigorous introductory courses in each of the college divisions of natural sciences, social sciences, and humanities to strengthen the central requirements for LSA Honors students in their first two years. These courses are designed to be interdisciplinary as well as extra-disciplinary and will expose students to scholarship across the three divisions rather than focusing on a single discipline. To develop these courses, the Honors Program is building a team of faculty fellows to work together to create the whole curriculum as well as its individual parts.

As one of the Honors Program's core professors, Professor McKay will develop and teach his own course, mentor Honors' students in the course and graduate student instructors teaching its sections, and will participate in fellows' activities to plan and carry out activities across the core curriculum, such as symposia gathering all students in Core courses, guest speakers, panel discussions, or other forums.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Timothy A. McKay as professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

Deborah Loewenberg Ball

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,

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William H. Payne Collegiate Professor,

and Dean, School of Education

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Susan S. Parrish

CURRENT TITLES:

Associate Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Associate Professor of Environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and School of Natural Resources and

Environment

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Associate Professor in the Honors Program, without tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Honors Program and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of English Language and Literature, the Program in the Environment, and the School of Natural Resources and Environment, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Susan S. Parrish as associate professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017.

Susan Scott Parrish received her Doctorate from Stanford University in 1998, joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in 1998, and was promoted to associate professor in 2005.

The LSA Honors Program is building a new core curriculum, which is a plan to provide innovative, rigorous introductory courses in each of the college divisions of natural sciences, social sciences, and humanities to strengthen the central requirements for LSA Honors students in their first two years. These courses are designed to be interdisciplinary as well as extra-disciplinary and will expose students to scholarship across the three divisions rather than focusing on a single discipline. To develop these courses, the Honors Program is building a team of faculty fellows to work together to create the whole curriculum as well as its individual parts.

As one of the Honors Program's core professors, Professor Parrish will develop and teach her own course, mentor Honors' students in the course and graduate student instructors teaching its sections, and will participate in fellows' activities to plan and carry out activities across the core curriculum, such as symposia gathering all students in Core courses, guest speakers, panel discussions, or other forums.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Susan S. Parrish as associate professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack Provost and Execu

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

Marie Lynn Miranda, Ph.D. Samuel A. Graham Dean

School of Natural Resources and Environment

#### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Vincent L. Pecoraro

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

John T. Groves Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science,

and the Arts

TERM:

Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES:

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

With the approval of the executive committees of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Chemistry, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Vincent L. Pecoraro as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Vincent Pecoraro received his Doctorate from the University of California at Berkeley in 1981. Following a three-year appointment as a National Institutes of Health Post-doctoral Fellow at the University of Washington, Professor Bardwell joined our faculty as an assistant professor in 1984 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1992.

Professor Pecoraro's research program in bioinorganic chemistry remains at the forefront of the field. He currently focuses on synthetic models for the active site structure and chemical mechanism of manganese enzymes, biological chemistry of vanadium, development of the chemistry of metallacrowns, and De Novo metallopeptide design. His recent efforts on metallacrowns have involved catalysts which have been ground breaking. Professor Pecoraro has been associated with the Program in Biophysics since 2005 where he has made significant contributions to mentoring of undergraduate and graduate students, serving on committees, and teaching biophysics courses. As his research is closely related to biophysics, he will continue to be a great asset to that program.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Vincent L. Pecoraro as professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

Approved by the Regents November 20, 2014

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Richard A. Primus

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Theodore J. St. Antoine Collegiate Professor,

Law School

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

The Law School is pleased to recommend the appointment of Richard A. Primus as the Theodore J. St. Antoine Collegiate Professor, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2019.

The Theodore J. St. Antoine Collegiate Professorship was established in the Law School by the Regents in October 2014 and is named for a former dean, member of the Law School faculty, and Law School alumus who is one of the preeminent scholars in the field of labor and industrial relations. Professor St. Antoine has had a career of extraordinary service to the Law School, the profession, the state, and the nation.

Professor Primus has been a member of the Law School since 2001. He received his A.B. from Harvard College, his DPhil in politics at Oxford, and his J.D. from Yale Law School. Professor Primus clerked for the Hon. Guido Calabresi, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, and for U.S. Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg.

Professor Primus is a nationally renowned and prolific scholar of constitutional law on both the state and federal levels. He has helped state governmental agencies, nonprofit organizations, and private businesses solve practical problems involving state-level constitutional law. In 2008, he won the first-ever Guggenheim Fellowship in Constitutional Studies for his work on the relationship between history and constitutional interpretation.

Professor Primus also is known as one of the Law School's preeminent teachers. He was awarded the L. Hart Wright Prize for Outstanding Teaching by the Law School Student Senate in 2004, 2007, 2010, and 2011. In the words of students from the courses he most recently taught, "Professor Primus is a genius. The course was phenomenal," "Hands down the most interesting and engaging class I have taken," "This course motivated me to become a better scholar," and "Incredible. The best I've ever had."

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Richard A. Primus as the Theodore J. St. Antoine Collegiate Professor, Law School, for a five-year renewable term, effective November 1, 2014 through October 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Mark D. West

Dean, Law School

Nippon Life Professor of Law

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

Marte E. Helled

for Academic Affairs

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Yopie Prins

CURRENT TITLES:

Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, and Professor of Comparative Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and

the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES:

January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Honors Program and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Departments of English Language and Literature and Comparative Literature, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Yopie Prins as professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017.

Yopie Prins received her Doctorate from Princeton University in 1991 and was appointed as an assistant professor at Michigan in 1994. She was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2009.

The LSA Honors Program is building a new core curriculum, which is a plan to provide innovative, rigorous introductory courses in each of the college divisions of natural sciences, social sciences, and humanities to strengthen the central requirements for LSA Honors students in their first two years. These courses are designed to be interdisciplinary as well as extra-disciplinary and will expose students to scholarship across the three divisions rather than focusing on a single discipline. To develop these courses, the Honors Program is building a team of faculty fellows to work together to create the whole curriculum as well as its individual parts. As one of the Honors Program's core professors, Professor Prins will develop and teach her own course, mentor Honors' students in the course and graduate student instructors teaching its sections, and will participate in fellows' activities to plan and carry out activities across the core curriculum, such as symposia gathering all students in Core courses, guest speakers, panel discussions, or other forums.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Yopie Prins as professor in the Honors Program, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through May 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: James M. Rae, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and

Associate Professor of Pharmacology, without tenure,

Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professor of Cancer

Research, Medical School

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

On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the John G. Searle Professor and Chair of the Department of Internal Medicine, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of James M. Rae, Ph.D. as the Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professor of Cancer Research, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professorship in Cancer Research was established in October 2014 through funding derived from the Thomas H. Simpson Memorial endowment and from a gift from Christine MacDonald Simpson.

James M. Rae received his Ph.D. degree from Georgetown University in 2001. He was appointed as a research investigator in Internal Medicine at the University of Michigan in 2001, and was appointed as an adjunct assistant professor at Indiana University in 2004. Dr. Rae rose through the ranks to his current title of associate professor in Internal Medicine with a joint appointment in Pharmacology.

Dr. Rae's research focuses on translational oncology relating to drug metabolism, prediction of cancer treatment response, and the review of gene variants as predictors of response to and side effects of endocrine therapy in breast cancer patients. He has an impressive track record of extramural funding through the Breast Cancer Research Foundation and the NIH. Dr. Rae has published over 50 articles, and has been invited to present his research at 56 regional, national and international venues. In 2011, he was elected as the Southwest Oncology Group Executive Officer in charge of Translational Research. Dr. Rae's service is extensive. Internationally, he is a member of the Breast International Group and the International Breast Cancer Study Group. Nationally, Dr. Rae is co-chair of the Translational Research Expert Advisory Panel and is a member of numerous committees.

Dr. Rae has established a career as an outstanding physician scientist in the field of translational breast cancer research. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of James M. Rae, Ph.D., as the Thomas H. Simpson Collegiate Professor of Cancer Research, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Paul J. Resnick

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Information, with

tenure, School of Information

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

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

The Dean of the School of Information is pleased to recommend the appointment of Paul J. Resnick as the Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

The Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professorship in Information was established by the Regents in October 2014. Professor Cohen was one of the faculty members who launched the School of Information in 1996; in the 1970s he was one of the first faculty members in the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy (then the Institute of Public Policy Studies). He was a scholar of information flows, routines and organizations, with publications that have been cited nearly 20,000 times to date. He was a beloved teacher and mentor to decades of students and faculty. The School of Information named its faculty service award after Professor Cohen at the time of his retirement.

Paul Resnick received his B.S. in mathematics from the University of Michigan in 1985, his S.M. in computer science and his Ph.D. in computer science from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1988 and 1992, respectively. He joined our faculty as an associate professor in 1997, received tenure in 2000, and was promoted to professor in 2004. Prior to his appointment at the University of Michigan, Professor Resnick was a senior member of technical staff at Bell Labs and AT&T Laboratories (1995-97), an assistant professor at the MIT Sloan School of Management (1994-96), and a visiting assistant professor at MIT Sloan (1992-94).

Professor Resnick's research concerns socio-technical capital, or productive social relations that are enabled by the ongoing use of information and communication technology. He has published 46 journal and conference articles, and these have been cited more than 17,000 times. Professor Resnick's early work focused on collaborative or social filtering of information, where he was a pioneer in the development of recommender systems. His contributions in the 1990s to GroupLens, one of the world's first recommender systems, were recognized with the 2010 ACM Software Systems Award. Recommender systems are now ubiquitous elements of digital life, showing up in both social and commercial sites (e.g., Netflix). More recently, Professor Resnick's research has examined how technology might be used to nudge people toward more balanced news consumption. He has also been a leader in the design of smartphone applications to encourage change in health behaviors. In 2012, with his co-author Robert Kraut, Professor Resnick published *Building Successful Online Communities: Evidence-based Social Design* (MIT Press), an influential volume that uses theory and experience to explain why some online communities succeed (e.g., Facebook) while others fail (e.g., Friendster). There

is great potential benefit in the consistent creation of successful online communities, particularly in domains of civic engagement and social support.

Professor Resnick is an accomplished instructor. He has developed and taught several core courses in our masters and doctoral programs. He also developed and is currently teaching a required course in our new undergraduate degree. In addition, he was a key player in defining the new Master of Health Informatics degree, offered jointly between the School of Information and the School of Public Health. Since joining the School of Information, Professor Resnick has advised or co-advised seven doctoral students and he has served on nine doctoral committees. Among his five doctoral graduates, three have tenured faculty positions, including one at the University of Michigan.

Professor Resnick has a distinguished record of service to the School of Information, the University of Michigan, and his professional community. Within the school, he has been elected to the Dean's Advisory Committee several times, he has chaired the Faculty Search Committee, he has chaired the Curriculum Committee, and he chaired the Health Informatics Committee. In 2009, he received the school's award for exceptional service contributions (since named in honor of Michael D. Cohen). He is currently the doctoral program director. At the university level, Professor Resnick served on the School of Information Dean Search Advisory committee in 1998-99 and 2006-07, on the Associate Vice President for Research in the Natural Sciences and Professions Search Advisory Committee (2000), and on the faculty council of the Ginsberg Center (1999-2010). In terms of external service, Professor Resnick has held numerous important positions; among the highlights would be co-chair 2014 AAAI International Conference on Weblogs and Social Media (ICWSM), co-chair ICWSM 2013 Program Committee, co-chair 2010 ACM Conference on Recommender Systems Program Committee, and co-chair 2007 ACM Conference on Electronic Commerce Program Committee.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Paul J. Resnick as the Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Jeffrey K. MacKie-Mason

Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science, Professor of Economics and Public Policy, and Dean, School of Information Martin E. Pollad

Provost and Executive Vice President for

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Academic Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Roseanne J. Sension

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, and Professor of Physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019

On the recommendation of the executive committee of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Chemistry, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Roseanne J. Sension as professor of biophysics, without tenure. College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Roseanne Sension received her Doctorate from the University of California, Berkeley, in 1986. Following post-doctoral appointments at the University of Oregon (1986-1989) and the University of Pennsylvania (1989-1992), Professor Sension joined our faculty as an assistant professor in 1992 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2007. The Department of Physics gave her an additional appointment in 2003 and she has had an affiliation with Biophysics for several years.

Professor Sension has gained international recognition as a leader in the broad field of chemical physics with a research program that is at the leading edge of femtosecond spectroscopy. She is best known for her fundamental work on ultrafast laser spectroscopy of chemical reaction dynamics and relaxation in fluid environments. Professor Sension has made significant contributions by mentoring of undergraduate and graduate students in Biophysics in addition to serving on committees and teaching courses. As her research is closely related to biophysics, she will continue to be a great asset to that program.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Roseanne J. Sension as associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Lonnie D. Shea

CURRENT TITLES:

William and Valerie Hall Department Chair of Biomedical

Engineering, and Professor of Biomedical Engineering, with tenure,

College of Engineering and Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Professor of Chemical Engineering, without tenure, College of

Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2015

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Lonnie D. Shea as professor of chemical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015.

Professor Shea received his B.S. and M.S. degrees in chemical engineering from Case Western Reserve University in 1992 and 1993, respectively. He received his Ph.D. in chemical engineering and scientific computing from the University of Michigan in 1997. Following graduation, Professor Shea remained at Michigan to complete a post-doctoral research fellowship between 1997 and 1999. He was appointed as an assistant professor at Northwestern University in 1999 and was promoted through the ranks to professor, with tenure, in 2008. Professor Shea joined the University of Michigan as chair of the Department of Biomedical Engineering and professor of biomedical engineering in September 2014.

Professor Shea's achievements are significant in research, teaching and service. He is an internationally recognized researcher at the interface of regenerative medicine, drug and gene delivery, and immune tolerance, whose focus is controlling the local microenvironment for directing tissue growth or regeneration.

With this additional appointment, Professor Shea is ideally suited to assist the Department of Chemical Engineering by his active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Lonnie D. Shea as professor of chemical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Provost and Executive Vice President

Martha E. Pollack

for Academic Affairs

David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

and C. Muson In

College of Engineering

James O. Woolliscroft M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Approved by the Regents November 20, 2014

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Sandra L. Wong, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Surgery, with tenure,

Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: William W. Coon Collegiate Professor of Surgical

Oncology, Medical School

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

On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Coller 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 appointment of Sandra L. Wong, M.D. as the William W. Coon Collegiate Professor of Surgical Oncology, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

The William W. Coon Collegiate Professorship in Surgical Oncology was established in October 2014 through a generous gift from Mrs. Jane Coon, and through gifts from friends and colleagues of Dr. Coon. Dr. Coon was chair of the Medical School Institutional Review Board for 25 years, and was a faculty member at the University of Michigan for over 40 years.

Dr. Wong received her M.D. degree from Northwestern University in 1997. She completed a residency in surgery at the University of Louisville, and a fellowship in surgical oncology at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center. In 2005, Dr. Wong was appointed as an assistant professor of surgery at the University of Michigan. In 2012, she was promoted to an associate professor, with tenure. Dr. Wong has served as the surgical oncology fellowship director from 2007-2009, and was appointed as the associate chair for clinical affairs in 2012.

Dr. Wong's clinical expertise is in soft tissue sarcomas, melanoma, Merkel Cell carcinoma and gastrointestinal cancers. She has an active research program at the University of Michigan Center for Healthcare Outcomes and Policy, and receives funding from the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality and the American Cancer Society. Dr. Wong studies prognostic modeling for melanoma, socioeconomic disparities, and factors related to the quality of cancer care. She has a national presence through her role as associate editor of the *Journal of Oncology Practice* and *BMC Cancer*, and serves on the editorial board of several journals. Dr. Wong also serves on numerous national committees, and is a member of several prestigious professional societies, including the American College of Surgeons and the American Society of Clinical Oncology. She has published over 80 articles, and has been invited to present her work nationally and internationally.

Dr. Wong has made significant contributions to health policy. She also excels at teaching, which has resulted in numerous awards. She is nationally renowned for her research in cancer care improvement. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Sandra L. Wong, M.D., as the William W. Coon Collegiate Professor of Surgical Oncology, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014 through August 31, 2019.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic and administrative positions.

Approved by the Regents November 20, 2014

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval to Name an Existing Unendowed Collegiate

Professorship

PROPOSED NAME:

Herman H. Goldstine Collegiate Professorship in Mathematics,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE:

November 1, 2014

The College of Literature, Science, and the Arts seeks to name an existing collegiate professorship for Herman H. Goldstine, who was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1939 until he resigned in 1948.

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

Herman Goldstine was born in Chicago, Illinois in 1913 and attended the University of Chicago where he received his Doctorate in mathematics in 1936. Professor Goldstine began his scientific career as a mathematician and had a life-long interest in the interaction of mathematical ideas and technology. He was appointed as a research assistant (1936-1937) and an instructor (1937-1939) at the University of Chicago before joining the faculty at the University of Michigan as an instructor (1939-1946). He was promoted to assistant professor in 1946 and resigned from Michigan in 1948.

For much of his time at Michigan, Professor Goldstine was on leave serving in the U.S. Army as a lieutenant and stationed at the Ballistic Research Laboratory (BRL, 1941-1946) where he worked on the ENIAC (Electronic Numerical Integrator And Computer) Project along with John von Neumann. He left the Army in 1945 and became a member of the Institute for Advanced Study (IAS, 1946-1957) at Princeton. He and John von Neumann built a computer referred to as the IAS machine. They also collaborated on a series of scientific papers on subjects related to their work on the institute's computer. Professor Goldstine was appointed as an assistant director of the project and director after 1954. The IAS machine influenced the design of IBM's early computer through von Neumann who was a consultant to IBM.

In 1958 Professor Goldstine joined IBM Corporation as a member of the research planning staff where one of his most significant roles was in fostering relations between IBM researchers and the academic community. He was a consultant to the director of research (1967-1969) and appointed as an IBM fellow in 1969, which was the company's most prestigious technical honor. As a fellow, Professor Goldstine developed an interest in the history of computing and mathematical sciences and wrote three books on the topic, including his book on the history of computing, The Computer from Pascal to von Neumann (Princeton University Press, 1972; paperback, 1980). As the title implies, Professor Goldstine leaves little doubt that in his opinion

von Neumann played a critical role in developing modern theories of computing. Professor Goldstine claimed that he introduced John von Neumann to the existence of the ENIAC in a chance meeting which took place on the railroad station platform in Philadelphia in the summer of 1944, although as a member of the Scientific Advisory Committee of the BRL, von Neumann probably should have known of the contract with the University of Pennsylvania. He remained highly supportive of the claims attributed to von Neumann of the invention of the "stored program concept."

Professor Goldstine received numerous awards over the course of his career, including the IEEE Computer Society Pioneer Award (1980), National Medal of Science (1983), and Benjamin Franklin Medal for Distinguished Achievement in the Sciences from the American Philosophical Society (1997), among others. He was a member of the National Academy of Sciences, American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and the American Philosophical Society. Professor Goldstine passed away at his home in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania in 2004.

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

Recommended by:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

E. Holes

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Establishment of an Endowed Professorship

PROPOSED NAME:

John F. Greden Professorship in Depression and

Clinical Neuroscience, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE:

November 1, 2014

On the recommendation of Gregory W. Dalack, M.D., Associate Professor and Chair of the Department of Psychiatry, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the John F. Greden Professorship in Depression and Clinical Neuroscience, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014.

This professorship is being established through a generous gift from Mary Upjohn Meader. It is intended to promote research, teaching and clinical care in the field of depression, bipolar disorders, and mood disorders more broadly, in order to advance the understanding and treatment of these psychiatric illnesses and help affected individuals achieve their fullest potential in their lives. The holder will be a member of the University of Michigan Comprehensive Depression Center and Depression Program within the Department of Psychiatry. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Dr. Greden received his M.D. degree from the University of Minnesota, completed an internship at the University of California, Los Angeles, and a residency at the University of Minnesota and Water Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, D.C. He has published more than 400 articles, refereed abstracts, books, book chapters, and has presented over 300 invited lectures. Dr. Greden joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1974, and served as chair of the Department of Psychiatry from 1985-2007, when he stepped down to focus on directing the Depression Center and developing the National Network of Depression Centers. He is the founding chair; currently the NNDC includes 21 member universities.

Dr. Greden's rank is as a professor in the Department of Psychiatry, a research professor in the Molecular and Behavioral Neuroscience Institute, and as the Rachel Upjohn Professor of Psychiatry and Clinical Neurosciences at the University of Michigan. To address the huge health burdens, disabilities and costs associated with clinical depression, bipolar disorder, and related conditions, he proposed establishment of the country's inaugural Comprehensive Depression Center at the University of Michigan. The center integrates research, clinical, educational and public policy efforts of more than 200 members from eight university schools and 34 university departments, centers or institutes. Dr. Greden led efforts to establish similar centers throughout the country and integrate them into a national network of depression centers patterned after the National Cancer Center Network.

Dr. Greden's service has been extensive, and includes his role as past-president of the Society of Biological Psychiatry, the Psychiatric Research Society, the American Association of Chairs of Departments of Psychiatry, and the Academic Psychiatry Consortium. He is clearly a well-respected expert in the field of depression and psychiatric illnesses. This professorship, which is named in his honor, will continue to advance the vital work he has accomplished thus far. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the John F. Greden Professorship in Depression and Clinical Neuroscience, Medical School, effective November 1, 2014.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M/D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

#### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Establishment of an Endowed Curatorship

PROPOSED NAME:

Helmut and Candis Stern Curatorship in African Art,

University of Michigan Museum of Art

EFFECTIVE DATE:

November 1, 2014

We are pleased to recommend the establishment of the Helmut and Candis Stern Curatorship in African Art, University of Michigan Museum of Art, effective November 1, 2014.

The University of Michigan Museum of Art (UMMA) has been the recipient of a generous gift of \$1,500,000 from Helmut and Candis Stern to establish the Helmut and Candis Stern Curatorship in African Art at UMMA. The curatorship will be used to attract an outstanding candidate to the University of Michigan.

The director of UMMA will make appointments to the Helmut and Candis Stern Curatorship. Appointments will be made as a regular appointment with no end date.

In recognition of this significant gift from Helmut and Candis Stern, we are pleased to recommend the establishment of the Helmut and Candis Stern Curatorship in African Art, University of Michigan Museum of Art, effective November 1, 2014.

Recommended by:

Joseph Rosa

Director, University of Michigan

Museum of Art

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice

President for Academic Affairs

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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

### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of an Administrative Appointment

NAME:

James Hackett

RECOMMENDED TITLE:

Interim Director of Intercollegiate Athletics

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

November 1, 2014

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of James Hackett as interim director of intercollegiate athletics, effective November 1, 2014.

Jim Hackett is vice chair of the Board of Directors of Steelcase Inc., having recently retired from the position of chief executive officer for Steelcase in February 2014. As chief executive officer Mr. Hackett oversaw all domestic and international operations for Steelcase, a Fortune 500 company.

Mr. Hackett's career with Steelcase spanned almost a third of its history, 31 years, and he spent nearly two decades in his role as chief executive officer. During that time, he led the company through a transformation from traditional manufacturer to industry innovator, known as much for the insights behind its furniture as for the products themselves.

Mr. Hackett is currently a member of the board of directors for Ford Motor Company in Detroit, Michigan, and Fifth Third Bancorp in Cincinnati, Ohio. He also serves on the board of trustees for Northwestern Mutual Life in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He is a member of the executive committee of the board of directors for the National Center for Arts and Technology, as well as the boards of advisors to the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy and the Life Sciences Institute at the University of Michigan. Additionally, he is a past president of the Institute of Design Board of Overseers at the Illinois Institute of Technology.

Mr. Hackett earned his Bachelor of General Studies from UM's College of Literature, Science, and the Arts in 1977. While a student, he also was a member of the football team playing for Coach Bo Schembechler.

Mr. Hackett's proven leadership skills, depth of experience, and dedication to the University of Michigan make him ideally suited to lead the university's Department of Intercollegiate Athletics during this transitional time. It is with great enthusiasm and much appreciation that I recommend the appointment of James Hackett as interim director of intercollegiate athletics, effective November 1, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark S. Schlissel

President

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Appointment to an Endowed Visiting Professorship

NAME:

Laura Kuhn

RECOMMENDED TITLE:

Norman Freehling Visiting Professor, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through April 30, 2015

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

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

Laura Kuhn received her Doctorate from the University of California, Los Angeles in 1992 and is currently appointed as the John Cage Professor of Performance Arts at Bard College (2007-present). She is cofounder and executive director of the John Cage Trust (1993-present) in New York City. She is also affiliated with the Merce Cunningham Trust in New York and numerous other museums and professional associations. Professor Kuhn participated in the 2010 Penny W. Stamps Speaker Series at the School of Music, Theatre & Dance in 2011. During her term as a visiting professor, she will join Michigan faculty and graduate student fellows for their weekly seminars, teach courses on the topic of "Cage, Creativity, and Change," and present a public lecture.

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

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

## THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Transfer of Tenure for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Jennifer Ogilvie

CURRENT TITLES:

Associate Professor of Physics, with tenure, Associate Professor of Biophysics, with tenure, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts, and Associate Professor of

Macromolecular Science and Engineering, without tenure,

College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Associate Professor of Physics, with tenure, Associate

Professor of Biophysics, without tenure. College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts, and Associate Professor of

Macromolecular Science and Engineering, without tenure,

College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2015

On the recommendation of the executive committees of the Department of Physics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Program in Biophysics and the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the transfer of tenure for Jennifer Ogilvie from associate professor of physics, with tenure, associate professor of biophysics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and associate professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, to associate professor of physics, with tenure, associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and associate professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015.

Jennifer Ogilvie received her Doctorate from the University of Toronto in 2003. Following a two-year post-doctoral fellowship at the Laboratoire d'Optique et Biosciences, Ecole Polytechnique, Professor Ogilvie began her academic career as an assistant professor at Michigan in 2005 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2012. She was also appointed as an assistant research scientist in the Biophysics Research Division (2005-2007) and recently as an associate professor, without tenure, in the College of Engineering (2013-present).

Professor Ogilvie's research emphasis has begun to focus more on the fundamental physics associated with energy transfer and charge separation. She is developing new collaborations with groups in the Departments of Physics and Chemistry, as well as in the College of Engineering, while her collaborations with groups in the Program in Biophysics and the Medical School are winding down. Furthermore, Professor Ogilvie's graduate students are largely from the Physics and Applied Physics programs: of the seven graduate students who have completed their Ph.D.'s under her supervision, only one came from the biophysics program. Equally

important is that Professor Ogilvie's teaching skills and interests lie in the Department of Physics. In addition to introductory classes, she is well prepared to contribute to the teaching of undergraduate and graduate courses in optics, quantum mechanics, and mathematical methods.

Professor Ogilvie feels that focusing on a single appointment will enable her to perform her research, teaching, and service duties at a higher level. We are pleased to recommend the transfer of tenure for Jennifer Ogilvie from associate professor of physics, with tenure, associate professor of biophysics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and associate professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, to associate professor of physics, with tenure, associate professor of biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and associate professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Andrew D. Martin

Dean, and Professor of Political Science College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

for Academic Affairs

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

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

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College of Engineering

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Correction to Recommended Titles

NAME:

Peter A. Railton

In the July 2014 Regents Communication requesting Peter A. Railton's appointment as the Gregory S. Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy, his recommended titles were incorrectly noted. The correction follows:

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Gregory S. Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, John Stephenson Perrin Professor, and Professor of Philosophy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

We respectfully request approval to correct the recommended titles for Peter A. Railton, effective September 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Janet A. Weiss

Dean, Rackham Graduate School, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs and Chair, Advisory Committee on Distinguished University Professorships Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Transfer of Tenure for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Xueding Wang, Ph.D.

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Associate Professor of Radiology, with tenure, Medical School, and Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, Medical

School and College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Associate Professor of Radiology, without tenure, Medical School, and Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering, with tenure, Medical

School and College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2015

With the concurrence of the Executive Committees of the Medical School and the endorsement of the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the transfer of tenure for Xueding Wang, Ph.D. from associate professor of radiology, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, to associate professor of radiology, without tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, with tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015.

Dr. Wang received his Ph.D. degree from Texas A & M University in 2004. He then came to the University of Michigan as a post-doctoral research associate in the Department of Radiology. He was appointed as a research investigator in 2005 and promoted to a research assistant professor in 2007. In 2008, he was appointed as an assistant professor in the Department of Radiology and was given an additional appointment as assistant professor in the Department of Biomedical Engineering in 2009. In 2012, he was promoted to associate professor of radiology, with tenure, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure.

Dr. Wang is an outstanding researcher who is a recognized leader in optical imaging. His research activities are closely aligned with the field of biomedical engineering and he is involved in teaching core courses for the Department of Biomedical We believe that his expanded activities in the Department of Engineering. Biomedical Engineering warrant this recommendation

for a transfer of tenure. We are therefore pleased to recommend the transfer of tenure for Xueding Wang, Ph.D., from associate professor of radiology, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, to associate professor of radiology, without tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of biomedical engineering, with tenure, Medical School and College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2015.

Recommended by:

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Dean, Medical School

Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Recommendation endorsed by:

Michael M.E. Johns, M.D.

Interim Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Martha E. Pollack

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

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#### **UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN**

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

ACTION REQUEST:

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Ilir Miteza

**CURRENT TITLES:** 

Associate Dean, and Professor of Economics, with tenure, College

of Arts, Sciences, and Letters

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Associate Provost for Graduate, International, and Online Learning, Office of the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, and Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Arts, Sciences,

and Letters

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** 

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017

On the recommendation of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Ilir Miteza as associate provost for graduate, international, and online learning, Office of the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017.

Professor Miteza received his B.A. in economics in 1991 from the University of Tirana-Albania. He received his M.A. in 1997 and his Ph.D. in 2001 in economics from the University of Wisconsin. Prior to coming to UM-Dearborn, Professor Miteza held a position as a senior economist at the Central Bank of Albania's monetary policy department and issue and treasure department. In 2001, Professor Miteza joined the University of Michigan-Dearborn as an assistant professor in the Department of Social Sciences and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2007 and to professor in 2013.

Professor Miteza has served on the Faculty Senate, Senate Council, and has initiated and contributed in the creation of the first accelerated graduate programs/tracks in CASL. He has taught economics at the Women's Huron Valley Correctional Facility in Ypsilanti as a volunteer and is a current member of the Board, Detroit Association for Business Economics.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Ilir Miteza as associate provost for graduate, international, and online learning, Office of the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017.

Recommended by:

Daniel Little, Chancellor

University of Michigan-Dearborn

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Troy A. Murphy

**CURRENT TITLE:** 

Associate Professor of Communications, with tenure, College of Arts,

Sciences, and Letters

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Chair, Department of Language, Culture, and Communication,

College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters

EFFECTIVE DATES:

October 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017

On the recommendation of the Department of Language, Culture, and Communication, the dean of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, and the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Troy A. Murphy as chair, Department of Language, Culture, and Communication, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective October 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Professor Murphy received his B.A. from Mankato State University in 1990, his M.A. in 1992 from the University of Alabama, and his Ph.D. from the University of Pittsburgh in 1998. He was a teaching fellow at the University of Pittsburgh in the Department of Communication and Rhetoric from 1994 to 1998. In 1998, he was appointed as an assistant professor of communication at the University of Michigan-Dearborn and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2004.

Professor Murphy has a solid record of research at top-tier journals and his research shows a high degree of coherence, centering on the theme of rhetoric and communication in democratic and civil societies. His most recent article, "The War on Poverty and the rhetoric of disciplined citizenship," is currently under review at *Rhetoric and Public Affairs*. He has redesigned and modified a number of his courses for both on campus and online instruction, and developed a new course, "Twentieth Century Public Argument." He has served as the faculty director of the Civic Engagement Project, associate chair of Humanities, member of the Department Executive Committee and interim chair of Language, Culture, and Communication, the Vision 2020 Reaccreditation Committee, and is currently the acting department chair.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Troy A. Murphy as chair, Department of Language, Culture, and Communication, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective October 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017.

Recommended by:

Daniel Little, Chancellor

University of Michigan-Dearborn

**ACTION REQUEST:** 

Approval of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Lee S. Redding

**CURRENT TITLE:** 

Associate Professor of Business Economics, with tenure, College

of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Chair, Department of Accounting and Finance, College of

**Business** 

EFFECTIVE DATES:

January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017

On the recommendation of the dean of the College of Business, and the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Lee S. Redding as chair, Department of Accounting and Finance, College of Business, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017.

Professor Redding received his Bachelor of Science degree in computer science, mathematics and economics from the University of Michigan in 1986, a Master of Arts in economics from Princeton University in 1990, and a Ph.D. in economics from Princeton University in 1994. Professor Redding joined the faculty of the College of Business (then School of Management) in 2001.

Professor Redding is an active faculty member at the College of Business. He served as the associate dean from 2008 to 2011, and as interim dean from 2012 to 2013. He has also served on the college's curriculum committee, promotion and tenure committee, and two strategic planning subcommittees. At the university level, he has served as faculty senate chair and as chair of the committee on the economic status of the faculty.

Professor Redding has published in top-tier journals including the Journal of Policy Reform, Journal of Economics and Management Strategy, Economics Letters and the Journal of Financial Intermediation. He is an experienced teacher, having taught a wide variety of undergraduate and graduate level courses in Business Economics and Finance.

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Lee Redding as chair, Department of Accounting and Finance, College of Business, effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Daniel Little, Chancellor

University of Michigan-Dearborn

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### **UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT**

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

# THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Correction to Appointment Period

NAME: Robert W. Buckingham

In the July 2014 Regents Communication requesting that Robert W. Buckingham be appointed as professor of public health, School of Health Professions and Studies, the appointment period was incorrectly entered as 12 month rather than university year. The correction follows:

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

Please accept this correction to Robert W. Buckingham's appointment information.

RECOMMENDED BY:

David Gordon, Dean

School of Health Professions and Studies

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Gerard Voland, Provost and

Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Susan E. Borrego, Chancel On University of Michigan-Flint