ANN ARBOR CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval

1. New appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure.

   (1) Liu, Zhongming, associate professor of biomedical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School, and associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020.

   (2) Shanks, Trina R., promotion to professor of social work, with tenure, School of Social Work, effective January 1, 2020 (currently associate professor of social work, with tenure.)

   *(3) Shureiqi, Imad, M.D., professor of internal medicine, with tenure, Medical School, effective November 1, 2019.

   (4) Siegel, Jordan, promotion to professor of strategy, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective January 1, 2020 (currently associate professor of strategy, with tenure).

2. Reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.

   (1) Boulton, Matthew L., M.D., senior associate dean for global public health, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022 (also professor of epidemiology, with tenure, professor of preventive medicine, without tenure, professor of health management and policy, with tenure, School of Public Health, and professor of internal medicine, without tenure, Medical School).

   (2) Caldwell, Cleopatra H., chair, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2020 through August 31, 2020 (also professor of health behavior and health education, with tenure).

   (3) Chen, Yan, Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024 (also professor of information, with tenure).

   (4) Daskin, Mark S., Clyde W. Johnson Collegiate Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024 (also professor of industrial and operations engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, and professor of operations and management science, without tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business.)
ANN ARBOR CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval

2. Reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.

(5) Friedmann, Peretz P., François-Xavier Bagnoud Professor of Aerospace Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024 (also professor of aerospace engineering, with tenure).

(6) Hedstrom, Margaret L., Robert M. Warner Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, effective January 1, 2020 through May 31, 2021 (also professor of information, with tenure).

(7) Hegarty, Kevin P., executive vice president and chief financial officer, effective April 1, 2020.

(8) Papalambros, Panos Y., Donald C. Graham Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024 (also James B. Angell Distinguished University Professor of Engineering, professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, professor of architecture, without tenure, A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning, and professor of art, without tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design).

(9) Resnick, Paul J., Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024 (also associate dean for research and faculty affairs, and professor of information, with tenure).

(10) Toyama, Kentaro, W. K. Kellogg Professor of Community Information, School of Information, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024 (also professor of information, with tenure).

3. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.

(1) Bernstein, Dennis S., James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024 (also professor of aerospace engineering, with tenure).

*(2) Dittmar, Amy K., acting vice provost and executive vice president for academic affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, effective November 13, 2019 (also professor of finance, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and professor of economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts).

* Interim Approval Granted
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) Eastin, Ivan, acting associate dean for research and engagement, School for Environment and Sustainability, effective January 1, 2020 through July 31, 2020 (also research professor).

(4) Goldsmith, Bryan R., Dow Corning Assistant Professor of Chemical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022 (also assistant professor of chemical engineering).

(5) Gutierrez, Lorraine M., associate dean for educational programs, School of Social Work, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, professor of social work, with tenure, School of Social Work, and professor of psychology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts).

(6) Kiedrowski, Brian C., Charles and Elizabeth Schrock Faculty Development Professor, College of Engineering, effective December 1, 2019 through November 30, 2022 (also assistant professor of nuclear engineering and radiological sciences).

(7) Koutra, Danai, Morris Wellman Faculty Development Assistant Professor of Computer Science and Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021 (also assistant professor of electrical engineering and computer science).

(8) Lewis, Earl, professor of public policy, with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, effective September 1, 2019 (also Thomas C. Holt Distinguished University Professor of History, Afroamerican and African Studies and Public Policy, professor of history, with tenure, professor of Afroamerican and African studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts).

(9) Marsh, Erica E., M.D., S. Jan Behrman Collegiate Professor of Reproductive Medicine, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024 (also associate professor of obstetrics and gynecology, with tenure, Medical School, and associate professor of women’s studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts).

(10) Mashour, George A., M.D., Ph.D., chair, Department of Anesthesiology, effective December 1, 2019, and Robert B. Sweet Professor of Anesthesiology, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024 (also professor of anesthesiology, with tenure, and professor of neurosurgery, 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.

(11) Mueller, Bruce A., senior associate dean, College of Pharmacy, effective February 1, 2020 through January 31, 2023 (also professor of pharmacy, with tenure).

(12) Pearlman, Mark D., M.D., Robert K. Ferguson and Virginia A. Ferguson Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024 (also professor of obstetrics and gynecology, with tenure, and professor of surgery, without tenure).

4. Leaves of absence for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff.

(1) Baveja, Satinder S., extension of personal leave of absence, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020 (Toyota Professor of Artificial Intelligence, and professor of electrical engineering and computer science, with tenure, College of Engineering).

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

(1) Naming of an existing unendowed collegiate professorship as the Robert H. Bartlett, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019.

(2) Establishment of a research professorship as the S. Matthew Berge, M.D. Research Professorship, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019.

(3) Naming of an existing unendowed collegiate professorship as the J. Maxwell Chamberlain, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019.

6. Other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.

(1) Authorization for the president or the provost and executive vice president for academic affairs to approve necessary appointments, effective December 6, 2019 through February 19, 2020.
ANN ARBOR CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval

6. Other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.

   (2) Wittkopp, Patricia J., correction of tenure status to professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, and professor of molecular, cellular, and developmental biology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective December 1, 2019 (currently professor of ecology and evolutionary biology, with tenure, and professor of molecular, cellular, and developmental biology, with tenure, also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor and Sally L. Allen Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology).

DEARBORN CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval

7. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.

   (1) Alcock, Susan E., provost and executive vice chancellor for academic affairs, University of Michigan – Dearborn, effective January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2025 (also professor of archaeology and classics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor).

FLINT CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval

8. Reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.

   (1) Pearson, Christopher A., associate dean, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2025 (also professor of physics, with tenure).

   (2) Simon, Mark, Hagerman Faculty Development Professor of Entrepreneurship and Innovation, School of Management, effective September 1, 2019 through June 30, 2024 (also professor of management, with tenure).

9. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.

   (1) Lutzker, Adam, interim chair, Department of Economics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020 (also associate professor of economics, with tenure).

* Interim Approval Granted
FLINT CAMPUS – Recommendations for approval

9. Joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic and administrative staff.

   (2) Veillet, Bénédicte, interim chair, Department of Philosophy, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020 (also associate professor of philosophy, with tenure).

10. Other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff.

   (1) Morckel, Victoria C., transfer of appointment and tenure to associate professor of urban planning and public policy, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020 (currently associate professor of geography, planning, and environment, with tenure).

   (2) Rybarczyk, Greg, transfer of appointment and tenure to associate professor of geography, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020 (currently associate professor of Earth and resource science, with tenure).

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

Recommendations for approval of new appointments
and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks,
with tenure
ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Zhongming Liu

TITLES: Associate Professor of Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering and Medical School, and Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure (Biomedical Engineering)
Without Tenure (Electrical Engineering and Computer Science)

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2020

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Zhongming Liu as associate professor of biomedical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School, and associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Zhongming Liu received his B.S. and M.S. in electrical engineering from Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China in 2000 and 2003, respectively. He received his Ph.D. in 2008 in biomedical engineering from the University of Minnesota. Professor Liu completed a post-doctoral fellowship at the University of Minnesota, Twin Cities between 2008 and 2009.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Following his post-doctoral fellowship, Professor Liu was appointed as a research fellow at the National Institutes of Health in 2009. In 2013, he joined the faculty at Purdue University as an assistant professor. He also holds an appointment in the School of Electrical and Computer Engineering and he is the director for Purdue's Small-Animal MRI Facility. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, at Purdue in September 2019.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Liu’s research interests include development and integration of new techniques for neural imaging, recording, stimulation, and modeling in order to advance neuroscience and
artificial intelligence (AI). Uniquely, his research program involves both experimental and computational techniques, animal models and human subjects, and engineering advancement and scientific insights. He uses neuroscience to drive AI, and in turn uses AI to study the brain. Using deep neural nets as models of the brain, Professor Liu has made notable progress in encoding and decoding brain activity when human subjects are watching natural videos.

Professor Liu has also developed a new method to combine functional magnetic resonance imaging (fMRI) data from many subjects watching different videos, enabling an integrative strategy to leverage big data in visual neuroscience. He has an established track record in combining MRI, fMRI, electroencephalography, magnetoencephalography, and electrocorticography for integrated imaging of brain activity and connectivity at rest or in action. He has launched an active program combining animal MRI, electrophysiology, and neuromodulation to advance bioelectric medicine: an emerging field of using engineered nerve stimulation to treat disease conditions, such as epilepsy, depression, inflammation, gastroparesis, and obesity.

Professor Liu has published over 40 papers in leading journals and top conferences on machine learning including the Annual Review of Biomedical Engineering, Journal of Neuroscience, Cerebral Cortex, NeurO mage, Human Brain Mapping, the International Conference on Machine Learning, and the Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems, among others. As a PI or co-I, Professor Liu has received or contributed to over $14M of federal funding with $4M in direct support of his lab. His lab is currently supported by two R01 grants, an R21, an OT2, and an R41.

PUBLICATIONS


EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

REVIEWER A: “Zhongming is currently producing work that is on par in quantity, quality and impact with full professors with larger groups. He has an outstanding international reputation - again similar to those who are more senior.”

REVIEWER B: “He has been a leader in the development of methods relating MEG and EEG signals to functional MRI signals and has several high impact papers on these topics.”
REVIEWER C: “He has reviewed extensively for NIH and others, for several journals, and is a member of the Editorial Board of Neuroimage which is arguably the primary journal relevant to his field.”

REVIEWER D: “Based on the high quality of his research program, Dr. Liu has already established himself as one of the leading investigators [of his cohort] in the area of multimodal brain imaging.”

REVIEWER E: “His research productivity, funding, and the impact of his work is at the level deserving of a tenured appointment. If Dr. Liu’s appointment were to be considered at my institution, I believe he would be granted for tenure. In my opinion, any neuroimaging research program would benefit significantly by having someone like Dr. Liu.”

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Professor Liu has a proven record of leadership and research excellence and a strong record of collegial interactions with peers. We are presented with a unique opportunity to hire a truly outstanding candidate whose research and leadership will provide strategic value to the Departments of Biomedical Engineering and Electrical Engineering and Computer Science. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Zhongming Liu as associate professor of biomedical engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Medical School, and associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Alec D. Gallimore, Ph.D.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
Dean, Medical School

December 2019
ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Promotion Approval

NAME: Trina R. Shanks

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Work

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social Work

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2020

It is recommended that Trina R. Shanks, associate professor of social work, with tenure, School of Social Work, be promoted to professor of social work, with tenure, School of Social Work, effective January 1, 2020.

Academic Degrees:
2003 Ph.D. Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri
2000 M.S.W. Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri
1996 M. Phil University of Oxford, Oxford England
1992 B.S. Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri

Professional Record:
2018-present Director of Community Engagement, School of Social Work, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
2011-present Associate Professor, School of Social Work, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
2009-present Faculty Associate, Survey Research Center, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
2003-present Faculty Affiliate, National Poverty Center/Poverty Solutions, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
2015-2018 Associate Director, Vivian A. & James L. Curtis Research and Training Center, School of Social Work, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
2003-2011 Assistant Professor, School of Social Work, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Summary of Evaluation:
Teaching - Professor Shanks is an accomplished teacher. She teaches important core courses on community organization, policy and management in the social work curriculum. More recently, she has taught electives on poverty and poverty alleviation. With her undergraduate preparation in business and her graduate education in social work with a policy emphasis, Professor Shanks is especially focused on teaching social work students about “broader economic, structural and
political forces" affect social programs and the field of social work. She is a strong student mentor and receives strong teaching evaluations.

Research - Since her last promotion, Professor Shanks’ research has focused on long term follow-ups to the SEED project, and integrative works on her theoretical approach to understanding child outcomes in low income families, and to creating a conceptual organization of policy strategies to alleviate poverty. Her research has led to fascinating body of knowledge that reviewers noted as exceptional in its deft use of mixed (qualitative-quantitative) methodologies in collecting original data, its theoretical and conceptual rigor, and its herculean efforts to locate a hard-to-find sample of study families after a long interlude. Professor Shanks has been identified by her peers as an intellectual leader in the areas of poverty and wealth development. She was sought out to be a leader in the extreme poverty Social Work Grand Challenge Initiative. She has ably brought together national groups of poverty researchers and has published several works from effort.

Significant and Recent Publications:


Service - Professor Shanks is also a strong contributor to service at the school, university, community, and professional level. Professor Shanks serves on five important social work journal editorial boards and she is a consulting editor for 14 other social science journals in a variety of disciplines. She has received major awards from the profession, and the city of Detroit.
External Reviewers:
Reviewer (A)
“I believe that Professor Shanks would be promoted to full professor at my institution, the [my institution], and I would support her nomination.”

Reviewer (B)
“In closing, Dr. Shanks would meet the requirements for someone being promoted to full professor at my institution.”

Reviewer (C)
“Dr. Shank is a visible and important academic and scholar in the field. She meets the requirements for promotion to professor rank and is poised to remain on a very positive trajectory in terms of her research productivity and leadership. I am confident that she would be promoted at my university and at other top 10 schools of social work.”

Reviewer (D)
“In my opinion, Dr. Shanks more than meets the qualifications for promotion to full professor at my institution…. Dr. Shanks is an excellent scholar and an accomplished intellectual, who in my opinion exceeds the scholarly qualifications for promotion to full Professor with tenure.”

Reviewer (E)
“It should be evident that I hold Dr. Shanks’ scholarly and professional accomplishments in the highest regard, and that I believe that she merits promotion to full professor.”

Reviewer (F)
“Shanks’ record falls within the top 25 percent of the promotions I have evaluated in terms of research contributions and overall scholarship. She would easily sail through a promotion committee at [my institution].”

Reviewer (G)
“Dr. Shanks tackles very consequential social policy questions, using creative methods. She has been successful in publishing her research and receiving funding for it. She is increasingly already seen as a leader in the field. This is a portfolio that would probably receive promotion at the [my institution].”

Reviewer (H)
“As to whether Dr. Shank’ work would meet the requirements for someone being considered for promotion and tenure at my institution, I believe she would. As is true for every university, achieving promotion to full with tenure involves a constellation of accomplishments, including number of publications and a successful funding record, teaching, and service. However, rather than a piecemeal rubric, our university would see the overall impact of the work, and given Dr. Shank’s [sic] national impact, I believe she would be looked upon favorably.”
Reviewer (I)
“I can say with absolute certainty and first-hand knowledge that she would be a successful candidate for an endowed chair, full professorship with tenure, and institute director at my institution.”

Summary of Recommendation:
Professor Shanks is a respected colleague and scholar who has made significant contributions to understanding asset accumulation as an essential strategy for poverty alleviation. She is a rigorous conceptual thinker and writer who has influenced the field with her integrative ideas about economic status, child development and child outcomes. Professor Shanks is a rigorous and excellent teacher who make important contributions to the educational programs at Michigan Social Work. She is a recognized and respected leader and scholar in the field of social work and social policy. I recommended that Trina R. Shanks be promoted to professor of social work, with tenure, School of Social Work, effective January 1, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Lynn Videka
Dean, School of Social Work

RECOMMENDATION ENDORDED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
On the recommendation of John M. Carethers, M.D., the C. Richard Boland Distinguished University Professor, 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 Imad Shureiqi, M.D. as professor of internal medicine, with tenure, Medical School, effective November 1, 2019.

Academic Degrees:
Imad Shureiqi received his B.S. degree in 1979 in general sciences from Youcef Al-Azma High School in Damascus, Syria. He completed his M.D. degree in 1985 from Damascus University, and an M.S. degree in 1997 in clinical trial design and statistical analysis from the University of Michigan.

Professional Record:
Dr. Shureiqi completed an internship and residency in internal medicine from 1988-1991 from the State University of New York in Buffalo. He completed a fellowship in medical hematology from 1991-1992, and a fellowship in medical oncology from 1994-1997 also at that institution. Dr. Shureiqi was appointed as a primary care attending physician at the Fairmont Medical Group in Fairmont, West Virginia in 1992. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1997 as a lecturer of internal medicine. In 1999, Dr. Shureiqi was appointed as an assistant professor in clinical cancer prevention and in gastroenterology at the University of Texas, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center. He was promoted to an associate professor in 2006. Dr. Shureiqi was jointly appointed as faculty at the University of Texas Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences in 2015.

Summary of Evaluation:
Dr. Shureiqi’s research focuses on the field of gastrointestinal tumorigenesis and, particularly, molecular targeting for chemoprevention and treatment of colon cancer. His scholarly activity has been continuously supported by the NIH and industry. Dr. Shureiqi is currently the principal investigator of two NIH R01 grants and he has published 62 peer-reviewed articles. He has received several awards, including the American Cancer Society Research Scholar Award from
the American Cancer Society, and the Physician Scientist Award from the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center.

Dr. Shureiqi has presented both intramural and extramural lectures for M.D. Anderson’s Division of Cancer Medicine and Division of Cancer Prevention and Population Sciences, the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS), the 12th-15th International Winter Eicosanoid Conferences, and the 13th International Conference of Eicosanoids and Other Bioactive Lipids in Cancer, Inflammation and Related Diseases. He serves as a faculty member of the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, University of Texas Health Science Center, and mentors and trains undergraduate students, post-doctoral fellows, and visiting faculty scientist in his laboratory.

Recent and Significant Publications:


External Reviewers:

Reviewer A: “This work (novel targets for cancer prevention and interception) was important because there had been significant controversy in the literature about the role of PPARdelta in cancer development. Dr. Shureiqi’s work helped to resolve these issues and set the field in a new direction. He has been very generous in his time reviewing proposals and manuscripts. I...am very thankful for Imad’s work on reviews and the scientific contributions he has made over the years.”
Reviewer B: “Dr. Shureiqi has a distinguished record of contribution to the study of the role of lipid metabolism pathways in colorectal carcinogenesis, as reflected by success in both NIH peer reviewed funding and in peer reviewed publication. In particular, Dr. Shureiqi is internationally recognized for his pioneering work on the role of 15-LOX-1 as a colon cancer suppressor gene. I am fully confident that given Dr. Shureiqi’s national recognition, the scientific impact of his studies, and his success in publication and grant funding, that he would be fully successful in attaining the rank of tenured full professor at my institution.”

Reviewer C: “Dr. Shureiqi has achieved recognition of his research efforts in GI medical oncology at both the national and international level... He is also an outstanding mentor as evidenced by recent presentations by members of his research group that I have attended. Dr. Shureiqi has a consistent and very successful track record of basic and translational research contributions... These are important basic science discoveries that have exciting implications for human translation and for new therapeutics... He is clearly an exceptional clinician-scientist and is recognized for his clinical and basic research contributions both nationally and internationally... He is clearly among the top translationalists in the world addressing critical cellular and molecular mechanisms in colorectal cancer and has already brought much new information to the practice of medical oncology.”

Reviewer D: “The translation of these findings to actionable strategies for cancer prevention represents a new area of research for the cancer prevention field... These studies have large potential to be translated into clinical trials to benefit the population at risk for or with colon cancer. Dr. Shureiqi has been a very active contributor to the scientific communicate... Dr. Shureiqi is clearly a very talented physician-scientist with a strong track record of outstanding scientific publications and novel insights into colorectal carcinogenesis that are likely to be translated into clinical research.”

Reviewer E: “Dr. Shureiqi is an expert in the area of 15-lipoxgenease-1 expression silencing in human tumorigenesis where he has published significant research articles, and opinion pieces... Dr. Shureiqi has a strong record of NIH peer reviewed grant funding and currently holds two R01s and have [sic] a track record of successful funding... In addition to this, Dr. Shureiqi has extensive expertise and experience in working on a variety of academic and organizational committees. In summary, on the basis of his multiple accomplishments and contributions to research, teaching, and patient care at MDACC, in the region, and internationally, I believe that he has a number of qualities that will be further highlighted at an institution like University of Michigan.”

Service and Professional Work:
Dr. Shureiqi is a member of the American Association for Cancer Research, the American Society of Clinical Oncology and the American Association for the Advancement of Science. He serves as a reviewer for numerous journals, including the Journal of the National Cancer Institute, Gastroenterology and the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences. Dr. Shureiqi is a current member of the Cancer Prevention Research Editorial Review Board and has held the position of associate editor for Cancer Epidemiology Biomarkers for two years. He served as a member and chair of the M.D. Anderson Institutional Research Grant Program Study Review Committee for Clinical, Translational, and Population-based Projects and the M.D. Anderson Cancer Center for more than eight years. Dr. Shureiqi’s current patient care activities are
substantial in the treatment of patients with colon cancer.

Summary of Recommendation:
Dr. Shureiqi is a nationally renowned expert in the field of colon cancer research. He is a dedicated researcher, mentor, and clinician with outstanding service to his institution and field. I, therefore, am pleased to recommend the appointment of Imad Shureiqi, M.D. as a professor of internal medicine, with tenure, Medical School, effective November 1, 2019.

Recommended by:

Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martín A. Philbert
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

INTERIM APPROVAL GRANTED

November 2019
ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Promotion Approval

NAME: Jordan Siegel

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Strategy, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Professor of Strategy, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2020

It is recommended that Jordan Siegel, associate professor of strategy, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, be promoted to professor of strategy, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective January 1, 2020.

Academic Degrees

Ph.D. 2003 MIT Sloan School of Management, Strategy & International Management, Cambridge, MA
M.A. 1998 Yale University, Political Science, New Haven, CT
B.A. 1998 Yale University, Political Science, New Haven, CT

Professional Record:

2015 – Present Associate Professor, with tenure, of Strategy, University of Michigan, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, Ann Arbor, MI
2014 – 2015 Visiting Scholar, University of Michigan, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, Ann Arbor, MI
2014 – 2015 Visiting Scholar, Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA
2008 – 2015 Associate Professor of Business Administration, Harvard Business School, Cambridge, MA
2003 – 2008 Assistant Professor of Business Administration, Harvard Business School, Cambridge, MA

Summary of Evaluation:

Teaching: Professor Siegel is an excellent classroom instructor. Since joining Ross four years ago, he has been teaching our core global strategy course, “Competing in the Global Business Environment.” Last year, the response to the question “Please rate the overall quality of the instructor’s job in teaching this course” on a scale of 1 to 5 were 4.3, 4.5, 4.5, and 4.7 for Strategy 503 (97-98% 4’s and 5’s for three of the sections), and 4.7 and 5.0 for the Ann Arbor and LA sections of EMBA 639, respectively 93 and 100% 4’s and 5’s in those classes. Professor Siegel also is known for his rigorous teaching style, covering a high volume of material, supported by cutting edge research in global strategy. He has drawn on his own research on firms’ capacity to borrow institutions from foreign countries in
writing a series of widely used cases. One of these cases, in fact, was already being taught in two core courses at Ross prior to his arrival in 2015. Professor Siegel’s skill as a writer and field researcher is evident in the quality of his cases, which contribute importantly to the quality of his courses, but also to the quality of courses in this field generally.

**Research:** Professor Siegel’s research has made important contributions to our understanding of how firms exploit and adapt to institutional differences within and across countries. Although this theme is not entirely unique to his work, his approach to this topic is distinctive and uniquely compelling. Among scholars working in the area of institutional arbitrage, Professor Siegel is unique in combining interdisciplinary theorizing that draws eclectically and deeply from different theoretical traditions, ranging from institutional economics to structural sociology, while also employing a combination of methodologies ranging from in-depth interviews to cutting-edge econometric techniques. It is rare to find scholarship of such breadth and versatility that also consistently meets the very highest quality standards.

**Recent and Significant Publications:**

**Service:** Professor Siegel has made valuable service contributions to the strategy Area and the Ross School over the past four years. He served as a PhD Coordinator for the past four years, a very large responsibility that is divided among multiple faculty in several other departments. Professor Siegel has organized a successful yearly Global Strategy Conference at Ross that brings together scholars from a variety of disciplines, including economics, finance, strategy and organization theory, building on Michigan’s reputation for interdisciplinary research. He has served on numerous Ross committees over the past four years, including four different program committees and the Community Values Committee, while also serving as a core course coordinator for Strategy 503. Overall, the level of Professor Siegel’s internal service contributions has been well above the norm for an associate professor, and the quality of his contributions has generally been excellent. In terms of external service, he has served on the Editorial Review Board of *Strategic Management Journal* since 2010, and on the boards of several other respected field journals. He currently serves on the Research Committee of the Strategic Management Division of the Academy of Management, and previously as a track chair for the 2014 annual meeting of the Academy of International Business. He has also been engaged with the state and local communities, providing pro bono analysis for the Michigan governor’s CEO roundtable, and partnering with members of the Ann Arbor community to create a successful proposal for a new central park. Overall, Professor Siegel is a valuable citizen of multiple communities, and we expect that he will become a community leader in the years ahead.
External Reviewers:
Reviewer A: “Jordan has clearly been successful in publishing in the top journals of the field. I have found Jordan’s work to be interesting. Overall, I see [his service] contributions as clearly in line with what would be expected of a person coming up for Full Professorship.”

Reviewer B: “Jordan is the most accomplished and respected scholar of his generation in international business. His work has had a strong impact in the field and has transcended to other areas such as finance.”

Reviewer C: “His scholarly productivity is terrific and has continued post-tenure, with four publications in the very top journals in the four years since tenure. He has a rich pipeline of upcoming work including a few revise and resubmits, suggesting his productivity will continue.”

Reviewer D: “I view this as an easy case... You should definitely promote him. I judge the quality of the work to be quite high. He has really gotten his footing post-tenure as a member of your faculty in the last few years, publishing a number of papers in top quality outlets. He has a strong pipeline of papers (R&Rs in good places) which are likely to extend and deepen his impact on the field in coming years.”

Reviewer E: “He is one of the two or three brightest scholars of his age cohort. He has developed a unique niche for himself within the broad field of the impact of institutions on business. In sum, Jordan’s research portfolio is strong, creative, and focused. His empirical work is meticulous and careful. He is a versatile instructor... He is very much devoted to PhD education. I also believe that Jordan’s research is second to none in terms of quality and creativity. Clearly, Jordan is among the very best scholars of his age cohort. I strongly support promotion.”

Summary of Recommendation:
With his excellent record and the level of support from faculty colleagues and external reviewers, I am pleased to recommend Jordan Siegel for promotion to professor of strategy, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective January 1, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:
D. Scott DeRue
Edward J. Frey Dean of Business
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:
Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
Recommendations for approval of reappointments
of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Matthew L. Boulton, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Senior Associate Dean for Global Public Health, Professor of Epidemiology, with tenure, Professor of Preventive Medicine, without tenure, Professor of Health Management and Policy, without tenure, School of Public Health, and Professor of Internal Medicine, without tenure, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Senior Associate Dean for Global Public Health, School of Public Health

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Matthew L. Boulton, M.D. as senior associate dean for global public health, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022.

Matthew L. Boulton received his B.S. degree in 1980 and his M.D. degree in 1987, both from the University of Nevada. He received his M.P.H. from the University of Michigan in 1991.

From 1998-2004, Dr. Boulton served as the chief medical executive, state epidemiologist, and director of the Bureau of Epidemiology for the Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH), while also holding a clinical associate professor appointment in the School of Public Health. In 2004, he joined the public health faculty as an associate professor of epidemiology, with tenure, and as the associate dean for practice. Dr. Boulton received an additional appointment as associate professor of internal medicine in 2007 and in 2010 received additional appointments as associate professor of preventive medicine, and associate professor of health management and policy, School of Public Health. Dr. Boulton was promoted to professor in April 2014. He has served as the senior associate dean for global public health since 2014.

Dr. Boulton has a several year history of building substantive international educational and training capacity at the School of Public Health. He founded and serves as the director of the SPH China CDC Scholar Exchange Program, collaborating with the China CDC in Tianjin and Beijing to facilitate scholar exchange. In June 2009, Dr. Boulton was formally appointed by the Chinese government as a senior advisor to the Tianjin CDC in recognition of his contributions to improving public health in China.
Dr. Boulton has research interests in global public health, infectious disease epidemiology, childhood vaccinations and vaccine preventable disease, preventive medicine, and the health workforce. His international work has focused on the epidemiology of measles, studies of mother-infant dyads, measles antibody status, and measles elimination.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Matthew L. Boulton, M.D. as senior associate dean for global public health, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022.

RECOMMENDED BY:

F. DuBois Bowman, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
Dean, Medical School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Cleopatra H. Caldwell

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, and Professor of Health Behavior and Health Education, with tenure, School of Public Health

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, School of Public Health

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

The dean and Executive Committee of the School of Public Health are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Cleopatra H. Caldwell as chair, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2020 through August 31, 2020.

Cleopatra H. Caldwell received her B.S. degree in 1973 from North Carolina A&T State University, her M.A. in 1975 from Wayne State University, and her A.M. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1983 and 1986, respectively.

Professor Caldwell joined the School of Public Health faculty as an assistant professor in 1996 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2014. Professor Caldwell served in various positions at the Institute for Social Research from 1991-2010. She has served as the director of the Center for Research on Ethnicity, Culture and Health since 2011.

Professor Caldwell has made substantial contributions to the teaching program in the Department of Health Behavior and Health Education and has received excellent teaching scores. In addition to her didactic teaching, she is involved in several other teaching and training activities and is also a gifted and engaged mentor for doctoral students. She also has an impressive service record. In addition to serving as the director of the Center for Research on Ethnicity, Culture and Health, she has served on or chaired faculty search committees, chaired the departmental doctoral curriculum committee, chaired the school’s diversity committee as well as our academic conduct committee, to name just a few. Professor Caldwell has also served the university in several key ways including serving on search committees for the directors of the Institute for Research on Women and Gender and the Center for Advancing Research and Solutions for Society, and on the Health Sciences/Behavioral Sciences Institutional Review Board. She also has an outstanding service record at the national level.

Professor Caldwell is a productive researcher with a diverse portfolio of unique and significant nationally recognized work. She is one of the most well-known researchers of adolescents of Caribbean and African descent. The consistent theme in all her work is the role ethnicity,
discrimination, and identity play in healthy development. Professor Caldwell’s work is widely recognized and respected in the field, highly regarded for its quality, and influential in its scope. She has published in the areas of help-seeking behaviors and informal social supports among African Americans, the Black church as a social service institution, and race-related socialization and academic achievement among African American youth. Her papers are published in the most prestigious journals in the field and her funding history is prodigious. Professor Caldwell is a highly regarded faculty member who has made numerous and key contributions to the teaching, research and service missions of the school, the university and her profession.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Cleopatra H. Caldwell as chair, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, School of Public Health, effective January 1, 2020 through August 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:

F. DuBois Bowman, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
The University of Michigan
Regents Communication

Action Request: Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

Name: Yan Chen

Current Titles: Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professor of Information, and Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information

Title Being Renewed: Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information

Term: Five Years, Renewable

Effective Dates: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024

The faculty and dean of the School of Information are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Yan Chen as the Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

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 our understanding of human behavior were numerous, important, and consistently groundbreaking. 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 2020.

Yan 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 44 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 websites learn how to encourage lenders to make more loans. Microfinance
websites are a critical source of capital for those entrepreneurs, such as women in developing economics, who often have no other source of funding.

Professor Chen is an accomplished instructor and received the School of Information’s Award for Excellence in Instruction in 2013. She teaches extensively in both the master’s and doctoral programs, and she developed multiple core courses in incentive-centered design. Since joining the School of Information, Professor Chen has advised or co-advised nine doctoral students and she has served on 19 doctoral committees. Professor Chen has 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 the search for a new dean for the school in 2015-2016, and she has been a member of the Doctoral, Diversity and Curriculum Committees. In addition, she directed our training grants from the National Science Foundation for doctoral and undergraduate students.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Yan Chen as the Daniel Kahneman Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Thomas A. Finholt
Dean, School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark S. Daskin as the Clyde W. Johnson Collegiate Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

This professorship was established in the Provost Office and was named the Clyde W. Johnson Collegiate Professorship in Industrial and Operations Engineering in September 2009 to honor Clyde W. Johnson, a former faculty member in the Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering from 1957 through 1974. Professor Johnson died in 1976. This professorship is funded by the College of Engineering. Appointments to this professorship may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Mark Daskin received his B.S. in civil engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1974, his Certificate of Post-Graduate Study in engineering from the University of Cambridge in 1975, and his Ph.D. in civil engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1978. Following graduation, Professor Daskin was appointed as an assistant professor at the University of Texas at Austin. In 1980, he was appointed as an assistant professor at Northwestern University. He was promoted to associate professor in 1983 (receiving tenure in 1985) and to professor in 1989. Professor Daskin joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in January 2010, serving as the chair of the Department of Industrial and Operations Engineering until 2018.

Professor Daskin’s research focuses on supply chain network design in general and facility location models in particular. He is currently studying reliability in supply chain design with applications to automotive supply chains and pharmaceutical supply chains. In recent years, he
has also studied problems in health care operations research with a focus on transplantation problems and the assignment of residents and interns to patients. During his career, he has taught courses on probability, statistics, operations research, supply chain reliability, location modeling, manufacturing science, service operations management, and heuristic algorithms. Professor Daskin is a past editor-in-chief of both *IIE Transactions* and *Transportation Science*, leading journals in his field. He currently serves on several editorial boards. He is a fellow of INFORMS and a fellow of IIE. In 2017, he was elected to the National Academy of Engineering.

Professor Daskin’s academic achievements fully merit his reappointment. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark S. Daskin as the Clyde W. Johnson Collegiate Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

**RECOMMENDED BY:**

Alec D. Gallimore, Ph.D.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

D. Scott DeRue
Edward J. Frey Dean of Business
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

**RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:**

Amy K. Dittrmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

D. Scott DeRue
Edward J. Frey Dean of Business
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

December 2019
Peretz P. Friedmann has been elected a fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) in 1991. Professor Friedmann was elected a fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics in 1991. His significant position after graduation is strong evidence of his contributions as an educator. He has guided thirty-five Ph.D. dissertations and the record of his students has achieved very high levels. Professor Friedmann is an excellent teacher at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. He has published extensively with 269 journal and conference papers. His expertise includes aerelasticity and aerothermoelasticity, structural optimization with aerelastic constraints, aerelastic scale modeling, wind turbines, and jet engine control. His interests include aeroelasticity, hypersonic aerelasticity, and structural optimization.

Peretz P. Friedmann joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in January 1999. Professor Friedmann has been a professor in Aerospace Engineering in 1972 and a professor of Aerospace Engineering in 1980. He holds the title of Professor of Aerospace Engineering and Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering. He has been a member of the faculty of the Aerospace Engineering Department since 1997. He joined the faculty of the Aerospace Engineering Department in 1997. He received his Ph.D. degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1972. He was an assistant professor of mechanical engineering from 1972 to 1977 and a research associate from 1977 to 1980. Peretz P. Friedmann received his B.S. and M.S. degrees from Technion-Israel Institute of Technology in 1972. Appointments to this professorship may be for one to five years and may be renewed.

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

The dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering have recommended the renewal of Professor Peretz P. Friedmann as the Peretz-François Xaver Bagnoud Professor of Aerospace Engineering. Peretz P. Friedmann received his Ph.D. and M.S. degrees from Technion-Israel Institute of Technology in 1972. Appointments to this professorship may be for one to five years and may be renewed. The Peretz-François Xaver Bagnoud Professorship in Aerospace Engineering was established by the Regents in July 1997 through a gift from the Association Peretz-François Xaver Bagnoud.

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Professor Friedmann’s research has been recognized by several major awards including the AIAA Structures, Structural Dynamics and Materials Award (1996), the Spirit of St. Louis Medal, awarded by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (2003), the Dryden Lectureship in Research, given by AIAA (2009), the AIAA Ashley Award for Aeroelasticity (inaugural recipient, 2009), the Nikolsky Honorary Lectureship, American Helicopter Society (2013), the Meir Hanin International Aerospace Prize, awarded by the Technion – Israel Institute of Technology (2016), the Dr. Alexander Klemin Award, American Helicopter Society (2017), and the Vertical Flight Society (VHS, previously AHS) Honorary Fellow Award (2019).

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, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Alec D. Gallimore, Ph.D.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Margaret L. Hedstrom

CURRENT TITLES: Robert M. Warner Collegiate Professor of Information, and
Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Robert M. Warner Collegiate Professor of Information, with
tenure, School of Information

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2020 through May 31, 2021

The faculty and dean of the School of Information are pleased to recommend the reappointment of
Margaret L. Hedstrom as the Robert M. Warner Collegiate Professor of Information, School of
Information, effective January 1, 2020 through May 31, 2021.

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, when 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
the dean of the School of Information from 1985 to 1992, and was appointed as the university
historian in 1992. 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) from the University of
Wisconsin, Madison. She joined the School of Information’s 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 the director of the Special Media Records Project (1985-87) and
the chief of the State Records Advisory Service (1987-95) at the New York State Archives and
Records Administration.

Professor Hedstrom’s major research focuses on the management and preservation of electronic
records. She has published 45 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, Professor Hedstrom directed the large-scale National Science Foundation-funded Sustainable Environment through Actionable Data (SEAD) Project. SEAD aimed to make it easier to capture, archive and federate data, even when collected across many heterogeneous projects.

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 Masters of Science in Information Program (2012-14), a four-time elected member of the Dean’s Advisory Committee, chair of the Curriculum Committee, and a member of the School of Information Dean Search Advisory Committee (2006-07) and the Doctoral and Master’s committees. She also chaired the Curriculum Revision Task Force. At the university level, she is currently the interim director of the Museum Studies Program. She 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 ISR Director Search Advisory Committee (2004-05), and a member of the University Librarian Search Advisory Committee (1996-97). She has a distinguished list of external appointments, including membership on the President’s Council of Advisors on Science and Technology, Technical Advisory Group to Subcommittee on Networking and Information Technology (2006-07), National Research Council study panels, 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 reappointment of Margaret L. Hedstrom as the Robert M. Warner Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, effective January 1, 2020 through May 31, 2021.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Thomas A. Finholt
Dean, School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kevin P. Hegarty as executive vice president and chief financial officer, effective April 1, 2020.

In this role, Mr. Hegarty will continue to oversee the university's investments, finance, facilities and operations, human resources and shared services center. The executive vice president and chief financial officer (EVPCFO) is responsible for units with nearly 3,000 employees and an annual budget of $650 million.

Under Mr. Hegarty's leadership, the financial health of the University of Michigan enterprise has remained strong in support of its academic, research and healthcare missions. He has demonstrated a clear commitment to cost containment in his areas of responsibility contributing to the affordability of the university for all students. The business operations that Mr. Hegarty oversees have demonstrated leadership in promoting and supporting diversity, equity and inclusion, both within the organization and across the university. Mr. Hegarty has also spearheaded an initiative in positive organizational culture, which seeks to ensure the nearly 3,000 employees for which he is responsible feel connected to the missions of the university, valued for their contributions and empowered to effect change. The positive impact of these efforts is evident across the Business & Finance organization.

Prior to joining the University of Michigan, Mr. Hegarty served as the vice president and chief financial officer at the University of Texas at Austin for 14 years. Before becoming a higher education leader, Mr. Hegarty held leadership positions in financial affairs in the private sector including top positions at Dell, Inc., Associates First Capital, Trammell Crow Company and PricewaterhouseCoopers. He received his Bachelors in business administration, with honors, (1977) and his Masters in professional accounting (1979) from the University of Texas at Austin.

It is for these reasons that I am proud to recommend the reappointment of Kevin P. Hegarty as executive vice president and chief financial officer, effective April 1, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark S. Schlissel
President

December 2019
The dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Panos Y. Papalambros as the Donald C. Graham Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

The Donald C. Graham Professorship in Engineering was established in April 1999 through a gift from Donald C. Graham. Appointments to this professorship may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Panos Papalambros received his diploma from the National Technical University of Athens in 1974 and his M.S. (1976) and Ph.D. (1979) degrees from Stanford University. Professor Papalambros joined the faculty of the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in 1979. He was promoted to associate professor in 1985, and to professor in 1991. His leadership duties include serving as the chair of the Department of Mechanical Engineering (1992-1998) and chair of the Division of Integrative Systems and Design (2013-2018). He is also the founding director of the College of Engineering’s Automotive Research Center and founding co-director of the General Motors Satellite Research Laboratory at the University of Michigan. He is currently leading the Design Society’s AFRICA-DESIGN project focusing on design for sustainable development in Africa.

Professor Papalambros has an outstanding record as a teacher and developer of curricular innovations and was the founding director of his department’s optimal design laboratory. He has supervised 60 doctoral dissertations and over 2000 undergraduate and graduate design team projects. These activities have resulted in his receiving awards for excellence of his teaching and

Professor Papalambros’ research interests include design science and optimization, with applications to sustainable design of products, automotive systems, such as hybrid and electric vehicles; design of complex engineered systems; and architectural design. He has an extensive publication record and multiple external sponsors of his research.

Professor Papalambros’ academic achievements fully merit his reappointment. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Panos Y. Papalambros as the Donald C. Graham Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Alec D. Gallimore, Ph.D.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

Jonathan Massey
Dean and Professor
A. Alfred Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning

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

December 2019
ACTION REQUEST:  Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:  Paul J. Resnick

CURRENT TITLES:  Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Information, Associate Dean for Research and Faculty Affairs, and Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information

TITLE BEING RENEWED:  Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information

TERM:  Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES:  January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024

The faculty and dean of the School of Information are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Paul Resnick as the Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

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 82,000 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 the faculty at the School of Information 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 68 journal and conference articles, and these have been cited more than 28,000 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 and the CSCW Lasting Impact Award in 2019.
In 2015, his paper “The Social Cost of Cheap Pseudonyms” won the First Annual Test of Time Award from the ACM SIGEC (Economics and Computation) community. Recommender systems are now ubiquitous elements of digital life; they are now elements of 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 has a distinguished record of service to the School of Information, the University of Michigan, and his professional community. Within the school, he has served as the associate dean for research and faculty affairs since 2015, and as the director of the Center for Social Media Responsibility since 2018. 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 and served as interim MHI program director from 2016-2017. In 2009, he received the school’s award for exceptional service contributions (since named in honor of Michael D. Cohen). He previously served as the director of the Doctoral Program. 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; these include co-chair 2014 AAAI International Conference on Weblogs and Social Media (ICWSM), co-chair ICWSM 2013 Program Committee and co-chair 2010 ACM Conference on Recommender Systems Program Committee.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Paul Resnick as the Michael D. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Thomas A. Finholt
Dean, School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs
The faculty and dean of the School of Information are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kentaro Toyama as the W. K. Kellogg Professor of Community Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

The W. K. Kellogg Professorship in Community Information was established by the Regents in February 2008. The W.K. Kellogg Foundation provided major financial support during the transformation and re-chartering of the School of Information.

Professor Toyama received his B.A. from Harvard University in 1991 and his Ph.D. in 1998 from Yale University in computer science. Professor Toyama was a member of the research staff at Microsoft Research from 1998-2004. From 2004-2009, he was the co-founder and assistant managing director at Microsoft Research India. Since 2010, Professor Toyama has been a senior researcher in the School of Information at the University of California, Berkeley. Professor Toyama joined the faculty at the University of Michigan’s School of Information in January 2015.

Professor Toyama’s research embodies an orientation to using information technology to change the world that is central to the School of Information’s mission. This orientation is best reflected through his leadership of, and contributions to, an emerging scholarly field called Information and Communication Technology for Development (ICTD, also referred to as ICT4D). Stated briefly, ICTD research has the goal of applying information technology to meet the needs of underserved populations, particularly in the domains of economic and social development. Professor Toyama’s interest in ICTD was launched in 2004 when he co-founded Microsoft Research India in Bangalore. During his five-year residency in Bangalore, Professor Toyama initiated work on two key research questions. First, he investigated how novel computing technologies could be applied to meet the needs of the world’s poorer communities. Second, he
asked how technologies in use impact these communities. To address the feasibility and impact of information technology to meet the needs of poorer communities, Professor Toyama and his colleagues engaged in a program of over fifty projects to develop, deploy and evaluate systems. These projects included an invention to allow multiple students to simultaneously interact with a single computer and the use of locally-produced digital videos to improve dissemination of agricultural innovations. The first project went on to become a Microsoft product and the second project became the basis for a non-profit serving over ten thousand villages, and with $40 million in support from the Indian government and the Gates Foundation. His book, *Geek Heresy: Rescuing Social Change from the Cult of Technology*, won the Prose Award from the American Publishers Awards and has been translated into Japanese and Russian. Overall, Professor Toyama has authored or co-authored 114 refereed publications, and one book, and his work has been cited more than eighteen thousand times. It is significant to note that before turning to ICTD research, Professor Toyama was a leader in computer vision research. He received the 2002 David Marr prize for the best paper in computer vision and patents from this work were incorporated in the Microsoft Kinect technology.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kentaro Toyama as the W. K. Kellogg Professor of Community Information, School of Information, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Thomas A. Finholt
Dean, School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments
or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected
academic and administrative staff
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Dennis S. Bernstein

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024

The dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the appointment of Dennis S. Bernstein as the James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

The James E. Knott Professorship in Engineering was established in February 2010 by a gift from James E. Knott to support a distinguished faculty member in the College of Engineering’s Department of Aerospace Engineering or Mechanical Engineering. Appointments to this professorship may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Dennis Bernstein received his Sc.B. in applied mathematics from Brown University in 1977. He received his M.S. and his Ph.D. in computer information and control engineering from the University of Michigan in 1979 and 1982, respectively. Following graduation, he served as a staff member in the Control Systems Engineering Group at the MIT Lincoln Laboratory, Lexington, MA. From 1984 to 1991, he was with the Harris Corporation in Melbourne, FL as a staff engineer in the Structural Controls Group in their Government Aerospace Systems Division. In 1991, Professor Bernstein joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an associate professor. He was promoted to professor in 1997.

Professor Bernstein’s teaching and research interests include all aerospace-related aspects of systems and control technology with an emphasis on system identification, state and parameter estimation, and adaptive control with applications to aircraft and spacecraft. He has published over 250 journal papers and 500 conference papers, which, according to Google Scholar, have been cited more than 27,000 times with an h-index of 69. His 1600-page book, Scalar, Vector, and Matrix Mathematics, published by Princeton University Press, appeared in its third edition in 2018. This reference work has been cited more than 2500 times by researchers working in diverse areas. In addition to technical research, he has published numerous tutorial and expository papers in the IEEE Control Systems Magazine on a wide range of topics relevant to
control engineering and control education. He has supervised more than 40 Ph.D. graduates in the Department of Aerospace Engineering. These alumni hold positions in government laboratories, industry, and universities throughout the world.

Professor Bernstein’s research has been supported by AFOSR, NASA, NSF, ONR, and DOE as well as several industrial organizations, including Raytheon, Ford, Harman, and L3Harris. His current projects include an NSF-funded project on active control of combustion, an AFOSR project on adaptive control, an ONR-funded project on rapid autopilot prototyping, and a space-related project funded by L3Harris.

Professor Bernstein has taught undergraduate aerospace courses on aircraft performance (AE245), flight mechanics and control (AE345, AE348, AE471), and instrumentation (AE305), as well as graduate-level courses on dynamics (AE540), data analysis and system identification (AE566) (a course he developed), optimal control/trajectory optimization (AE575), control of vibration and flow (AE579), and linear multivariable control (AE580). He coordinates teaching assignments for faculty in the Department of Aerospace Engineering in the area of flight dynamics and control.

Professor Bernstein’s academic achievements fully merit his appointment as the James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Alec D. Gallimore, Ph.D.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Amy K. Dittmar as acting provost and executive vice president for academic affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, effective November 13, 2019.

Amy Dittmar earned her B.S. degree in finance and business economics from Indiana University in 1992. She earned her Ph.D. in finance from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill in 2000. Upon completion of her Ph.D., she joined Indiana University as an assistant professor of finance. In 2003, Professor Dittmar joined the Ross School faculty as an assistant professor of finance, was promoted to associate professor in 2009 and to professor in 2014. She was also a Michael R. and Mary Kay Hallman Fellow from 2012-2015. She was jointly appointed as a professor of economics in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts in September 2019. Professor Dittmar was appointed as the vice provost for academic and budgetary affairs in the Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs in January 2016. Prior to serving as the vice provost, Professor Dittmar was the senior associate dean for graduate programs and diversity at the Ross School of Business.

Professor Dittmar is considered an expert in corporate financial and strategic policy, with extensive research that examines how economic tradeoffs and individual behavior influence the choices firms make. Throughout her career, she has studied a wide range of corporate policies, including payout and cash policy, capital structure decisions, corporate governance, and the diversity of corporate boards. Her work is published in the major finance and economic journals, including Quarterly Journal of Economics, Journal of Finance, Journal of Financial Economics, Review of Financial Studies, and is reprinted in Recent Developments in Corporate Finance. She has served as an associate editor, director and councilor at the major journals and associations in her field.
It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of Amy K. Dittmar as acting provost and executive vice president for academic affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, effective November 13, 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark S. Schlissel
President

November 2019

INTERIM APPROVAL
GRANTED
We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Ivan Eastin as acting associate dean for research and engagement, School for Environment and Sustainability, effective January 1, 2020 through July 31, 2020.

Ivan Eastin attended Michigan Technological University where he received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1983, and Master of Science in 1985. He attended the University of Washington where he completed his doctorate in 1992. He joined the School for Environment and Sustainability in 2017 as a research professor.

Professor Eastin’s research innovative research led to his selection as a University of Washington CoMotion Presidential Innovation Fellow in 2014. His research interests include illegal logging and timber legality regulations, innovative new wood product development and sustainable development. Professor Eastin has extensive experience conducting international research in West Africa and across the Asian region, particularly in Japan, China and Vietnam. His analysis of disparities within bi-lateral trade flows was the first research to attempt to estimate the value of the illicit timber trade on a bi-lateral trade basis. He is a member of the UNECE-FAO Timber Market Committee and is a Fulbright Fellow. Professor Eastin previously served as a professor in the School of Environmental and Forest Sciences and in the College of the Environment at the University of Washington from 1992-2017 and served as the associate dean for research in the College of the Environment at the University of Washington from 2015-2017.

Professor Eastin has authored or co-authored more than 60 peer-reviewed articles, many with his students, as well as an impressive number of national and synthesis reports, books, and book chapters. An outstanding mentor, Professor Eastin has served on 29 doctoral committees (chairing eight) as well as chairing 38 master committees. He is known for the creativity and originality of his scholarship, and he instills in his students a passion for research excellence.
Professor Eastin is a nationally and internationally recognized scholar, an outstanding mentor, a gifted teacher, and a committed colleague. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Ivan Eastin as acting associate dean for research, School for Environment and Sustainability, effective January 1, 2020 through July 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Jonathan T. Overpeck
Samuel A. Graham Dean
School for Environment and Sustainability

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittrich
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:  Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME:  Bryan R. Goldsmith

CURRENT TITLE:  Assistant Professor of Chemical Engineering, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE:  Dow Corning Assistant Professor of Chemical Engineering, College of Engineering

TERM:  Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES:  January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022

The dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the appointment of Bryan R. Goldsmith as the Dow Corning Assistant Professor of Chemical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022.

The Dow Corning Assistant Professorship was established in 1989 and is intended to support a junior faculty member by a grant from the Dow Corning Foundation. Appointments to this professorship may be up to three years.

Bryan Goldsmith received his B.S. in chemical engineering in 2010 from the University of California, Riverside. He received his Ph.D. in chemical engineering from the University of California, Santa Barbara in 2015. Following graduation, Professor Goldsmith completed a Humboldt post-doctoral fellowship at the Fritz Haber Institute of the Max Planck Society between 2015 and 2017. In 2017, Professor Goldsmith joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor.

Professor Goldsmith’s research group uses quantum mechanical modeling and machine learning to fundamentally understand heterogeneous catalysts and electrocatalysts, and to generate a platform for their design and use in sustainable chemical synthesis, energy generation and storage, and pollution reduction.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Bryan R. Goldsmith as the Dow Corning Assistant Professor of Chemical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022.

RECOMMENDED BY:  

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:  

Alec D. Gallimore, Ph.D.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Lorraine M. Gutierrez

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Professor of Social Work, with
tenure, School of Social Work, and Professor of Psychology,
without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Educational Programs, School of Social Work

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022

With the approval of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Lorraine M. Gutierrez as associate dean for educational programs, School of Social Work, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022.

Lorraine Gutierrez received a Ph.D. in social work and psychology in 1989 and a Masters of Arts in Psychology in 1986 from the University of Michigan, a Masters of Arts in social service administration in 1978 from the University of Chicago and a Bachelor of Arts from Stanford University in 1976. Since 1986, she has held various positions within the university and joined the School of Social Work in 1989.

Professor Gutierrez is an internationally renowned scholar in empowerment theory and anti-oppressive practice. She is a member of the American Academy of Social Work and Social Welfare, the social work profession’s most prestigious scholarly society. She is currently an editor of the Journal of Community Practice. Her teaching and scholarship focuses on multicultural praxis in communities, organizations and higher education. Current projects include identifying strategies for multicultural community-based research and practice, multicultural education for social work practice, and identifying effective methods for learning about social justice.

Professor Gutierrez’s administrative leadership role in the school has grown over the years. Most recently she has served as the director of the School of Social Work’s diversity, equity and inclusion strategic plan. Professor Gutierrez has provided exemplary leadership and she has been a significant force in helping the school make strong progress in its diversity, equity and inclusion strategic plan.

As the associate dean for educational programs, Professor Gutierrez will play an important role in implementing the school’s curricular redesign and in educational innovations. Her administrative
experience and successful implementation of new programs, as well as her dedication to students and to equity and inclusion, will prepare her well for this new role.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Lorraine M. Gutierrez as associate dean for educational programs, School of Social Work, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Lynn Videka
Dean, School of Social Work

Anne Curzan, Dean
Geneva Smitherman Collegiate Professor of English Language and Literature, Linguistics, and Education
Arthur F. Thurnau Professor
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

December 2019

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs
The dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the appointment of Brian C. Kiedrowski as the Charles and Elizabeth Schrock Faculty Development Professor, College of Engineering, effective December 1, 2019 through November 30, 2022.

The Charles and Elizabeth Schrock Faculty Development Professor was established by the Regents in October 2019 for the purpose of recruiting or retaining assistant or associate professors in the Department of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences in the College of Engineering (NERS). Appointments to this professorship may be up to three non-renewable years.

Brian Kiedrowski received his B.S. (2005) in nuclear engineering, and his M.S. (2007), and Ph.D. (2009) in nuclear engineering and engineering physics from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Following graduation, he was appointed as a scientist at the Los Alamos National Laboratory. In 2014, he joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor.

Professor Kiedrowski’s doctoral research developed a novel approach for performing Monte Carlo tallies for adjoint-weighted quantities in radiation transport, which has since been implemented in major production Monte Carlo software packages for radiation transport around the world. While at the Los Alamos National Laboratory, he was a contributor to the development of the widely-used MCNP6 software and was the lead developer of Whisper, a statistical analysis tool that is currently being used by the US-DOE nuclear complex for supporting its nuclear criticality safety analyses.

Professor Kiedrowski currently serves as the modeling and simulation lead for the DOE/NNSA Consortium for Monitoring, Technology, and Verification focusing on the development of novel transport methods and software for addressing challenges in nuclear nonproliferation. He
collaborates with the Oak Ridge National Laboratory on two research projects. The first is the development of uncertainty quantification methodologies for neutron thermal inelastic scattering. The second project supports the development of transient analysis methods for reactivity insertion accidents in spent nuclear fuel repositories. Professor Kiedrowski has mentored several doctoral students and authored or co-authored over 50 peer-reviewed journal articles and conference papers. He is the recipient of two NERS faculty teaching awards, a NERS faculty award for significant high-impact accomplishments, and mentored a doctoral student that received the annual American Nuclear Society Mark Mills Award for publishing a highly significant and original research article in the nuclear engineering field.

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Brian C. Kiedrowski as the Charles and Elizabeth Schrock Faculty Development Professor, College of Engineering, effective December 1, 2019 through November 30, 2022.

RECOMMENDED BY: Alec D. Gallimore, Ph.D.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY: Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Faculty Development Professorship

NAME: Danai Koutra

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Computer Science and Engineering Division, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Morris Wellman Faculty Development Assistant Professor of Computer Science and Engineering, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021

The dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the appointment of Danai Koutra as the Morris Wellman Faculty Development Assistant Professor of Computer Science and Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021.

The Morris Wellman Faculty Development Assistant Professorship in Computer Science and Engineering was established by the Regents in March 2001. A second professorship was established by the Regents in March 2011. Michael P. Wellman, professor of electrical engineering and computer science, endowed this professorship in his grandfather’s name. Morris Wellman was an engineer who worked for most of his career as a civil servant of the City of New York. The professorships are awarded to a junior faculty member to recognize outstanding contributions to teaching and research. Appointments to this professorship may be from two to five years and are non-renewable.

Danai Koutra received her diploma (summa cum laude) in computer science in 2010 from the National Technical University of Athens. She received her M.S. and Ph.D. in computer science from Carnegie Mellon University in 2015. Following graduation, Professor Koutra joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor.

Professor Koutra leads the Graph Exploration and Mining at Scale (GEMS) lab. Her research focuses on principled, interpretable, and scalable methods, and has applications in neuroscience, organizational analytics, and social sciences. Her research interests include large-scale graph mining, analysis of multi-source network data, graph summarization, similarity and matching, and anomaly detection. She has published extensively with more than 50 peer-reviewed publications in conferences and journals. She has a notable presence in Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (KDD), the top venue in the area of Data Mining and Science. In March of this
year, she received the NSF CAREER award and has also received an ARO Young Investigator Award, among others.

Professor Koutra has created new data mining courses at both the 400 and 500 level. The undergraduate level course aims to equip students with the necessary foundational data science and big data skills. The graduate level is a research-oriented course on large-scale data mining, which promotes critical thinking and familiarizes students with cutting-edge research in one of the most popular areas in data mining, with emphasis on analyzing interconnected data. Professor Koutra has also taught Database Management Systems, a large upper-level CS class. Her teaching evaluations are consistently strong with Q1 and Q2 scores above 4.0 in all cases. In addition to six Ph.D. students, she has supervised over 35 undergraduate and Master’s students.

Professor Koutra has a promising record as a teacher and scholar and is a highly appropriate choice. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Danai Koutra as the Morris Wellman Faculty Development Assistant Professor of Computer Science and Engineering, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Alec D. Gallimore, Ph.D.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Aging Provost and Executive Vice
President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Earl Lewis Professor of Public Policy, with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy effective September 1, 2019.

Earl Lewis received his B.A. with honors in history and psychology from Concordia College in 1978 and both his M.A. (1981) and Ph.D. in history (1984) from the University of Minnesota. He joined the faculty at University of California – Berkeley as an assistant professor in 1984. In 1989, he joined the UM faculty as an associate professor. Over the next decade, he served in various academic and administrative roles, culminating with a five-year term as the vice provost for academic affairs – graduate studies and dean of the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies. He left UM in 2004 to become the provost and executive vice president for academic affairs at Emory University, a position he held until 2012. Most recently, he served as the president of the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation for five years and returned to the UM faculty in 2018, launching the Center for Social Solutions. Over the course of his career, he has received innumerable honors and awards, including several honorary degrees and the Harold R. Johnson Diversity Service Award (1999) and Faculty Recognition Award (1992) at UM.

Professor Lewis’ scholarship covers a wide range of inter-related topics around race, diversity, and higher education. One of his current interests is the future of work and the evolving role of higher education. His project seeks to both carefully document and analyze the financial, political, cultural and other challenges facing public higher education, and come up with practical policy solutions. Professor Lewis has created a new interdisciplinary program called the Center for Social Solutions. The center is designed to promote academic research that serves the common good in four areas: the power of diversity, the connection of our history to our present, fair access to water, and the future of work. Professor Lewis has begun to engage members of the Ford School community in this work and is interested in increasing these collaborations.
During Professor Lewis’ previous tenure at UM, he taught many classes in the history department, American culture program, and the former Center for Afroamerican and African Studies. At the Ford School, we envision several opportunities for Professor Lewis to teach undergraduate and graduate students, including but not limited to classes on the history of race and inequality, and values and ethics in public policy. Professor Lewis is also a seasoned mentor, having chaired and served on dozens of dissertation committees for doctoral students in history, American culture, music, political science, and religion.

We are very pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Earl Lewis as professor of public policy, with tenure, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy effective September 1, 2019.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Michael S. Barr
Joan and Sanford Weill Dean of Public Policy
Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

Anne Curzan, Dean
Geneva Smitherman Collegiate Professor of English Language and Literature
Arthur F. Thurnau Professor
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

December 2019

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs
On the recommendation of Dee E. Fenner, M.D., the Bates Professor, and Chair of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Erica E. Marsh, M.D. as the S. Jan Behrman Collegiate Professor of Reproductive Medicine, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024.

The S. Jan Behrman Collegiate Professorship in Reproductive Health was established in October 1999 through a departmental fund-raising effort and a generous gift and pledge from Dr. James H. Poppy, who trained in obstetrics and gynecology under the guidance of Dr. Behrman. The appointment period is up to five years and may be renewed.

Erica E. Marsh received her medical degree in 2001 from Harvard University. She completed an integrated residency in obstetrics and gynecology at Brigham and Women's Hospital. Dr. Marsh completed a fellowship in reproductive endocrinology and infertility at Northwestern University and was appointed as an assistant professor there in 2008. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2016 as an associate professor in obstetrics and gynecology and as adjunct associate professor at Northwestern University. Dr. Marsh was jointly appointed as an associate professor in the Department of Women's Studies in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts in September 2019.

Dr. Marsh’s research focuses on health disparities within reproductive endocrinology and infertility, fibroid treatment and the pathogenesis of fibroid development. Her current focus is on the role of obesity and metabolic dysregulation in the initiation and propagation of fibroid lesions and the ethnic disparities among women with fibroids. Dr. Marsh is well-funded through the NIH, foundational and industry support. She is the director of community engagement for a sixty million dollar Clinical and Translational Science Award for the University of Michigan. She is also the director of the Women’s Health and Reproductive Disparities. Dr. Marsh has received numerous awards, including the Ira and Ester Rosenwaks New Investigator Award from the American
Society for Reproductive Medicine and the American Congress of Obstetricians and Gynecologists Mentor Award.

Dr. Marsh is a highly accomplished clinician-scientist and an extremely valuable member of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology and the University of Michigan. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Erica E. Marsh, M.D. as the S. Jan Behrman Collegiate Professor of Reproductive Medicine, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024.

Recommended by:

Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by:

Amy A. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

Anne Curzan, Dean
Geneva Smitherman Collegiate Professor of English Language and Literature, Linguistics, and Education
Arthur F. Thumau Professor
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

December 2019
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment and Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: George A. Mashour, M.D., Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Clinical and Translational Research, Bert N. La Du Professor of Anesthesiology Research, Professor of Anesthesiology, with tenure, and Professor of Neurosurgery, without tenure, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Chair, Department of Anesthesiology, Robert B. Sweet Professor of Anesthesiology, Professor of Anesthesiology, with tenure, and Professor of Neurosurgery, without tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 1, 2019

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of George A. Mashour, M.D., Ph.D. as chair, Department of Anesthesiology, effective December 1, 2019, and the Robert B. Sweet Professor of Anesthesiology, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024.

George Mashour received his Ph.D. degree in neuroscience in 1999 and M.D. in 2001 from George Washington University. He completed an anesthesiology residency at Massachusetts General Hospital, Harvard Medical School, followed by a clinical fellowship in neuroanesthesiology at the University of Michigan. Dr. Mashour was appointed as an assistant professor at the University of Michigan in 2007. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2013, and to professor in 2017.

Dr. Mashour is a valued member of the Medical School and is widely recognized for his contributions to research administration and education. In 2015, he was appointed as the executive director for the Michigan Institute for Clinical and Health Research and as the associate dean for clinical and translational research. He has also served as the program director for the Neuroanesthesiology Fellowship and the associate chair for faculty affairs in the Department of Anesthesiology. Additionally, he is a productive and gifted researcher with a focus on the mechanisms of consciousness and perioperative neurologic outcomes.
Dr. Mashour has a record of success as a scholar, administrator and educator. He is well prepared to lead this academic department and I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of George A. Mashour, M.D., Ph.D. as chair, Department of Anesthesiology, effective December 1, 2019, and the Robert B. Sweet Professor of Anesthesiology, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024.

Recommended by:

Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by:

Amy E. Dittmar
 Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Bruce A. Mueller

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, and Professor of Pharmacy, with tenure, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Senior Associate Dean, and Professor of Pharmacy, with tenure, College of Pharmacy

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: February 1, 2020 through January 31, 2023

We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Bruce A. Mueller as senior associate dean, College of Pharmacy, for a three-year term, effective February 1, 2020 through January 31, 2023.

Bruce Mueller received his B.S. in pharmacy in 1984 from the University of Wisconsin, Madison, and his Pharm.D. in 1988 from the University of Texas at Austin. He also successfully completed a one-year residency in adult internal medicine at the University of Texas at Austin. Following the completion of his education, Professor Mueller joined the Purdue University School of Pharmacy as an assistant professor of clinical pharmacy in 1988, where he swiftly achieved the ranks of associate professor and professor in 1993 and 1999, respectively. He also served as an adjunct assistant professor of medicine at Indiana University from 1990 to 2000. Professor Mueller joined the University of Michigan as a professor of pharmacy and the chair of the Department of Clinical Sciences in 2000. When the Department of Clinical Sciences merged with the Department of Social and Administrative Sciences in 2007, he became the chair of the newly combined department until 2011, at which time he was appointed as the associate dean for academic affairs.

Professor Mueller is highly regarded for his work in the area of renal replacement therapies and medication use in patients with acute or chronic renal failure. His work has been credited for many significant advances recently made in the field of nephrology, and he has published extensively in highly respected medical and pharmacy journals. He is an outstanding educator and citizen of the College of Pharmacy and his profession. Professor Mueller has received several teaching and research awards and is a fellow of the National Kidney Foundation, American Society of Nephrology, and the American College of Clinical Pharmacy. In 2015, he was awarded the University of Michigan Provost’s Teaching Innovation Prize; the Michigan
Institute for Clinical and Health Research Distinguished Clinical and Translational Research Mentor Award; and the American College of Clinical Pharmacy’s Critical Care PRN Research Award, in addition to being named the 65th Annual University of Wisconsin Kremers Lecturer.

Professor Mueller’s performance as the associate dean for academic affairs has been outstanding, and his contributions to matters related to the curriculum, curriculum assessment, and academic affairs are invaluable. His appointment as senior associate dean will expand his leadership role within the College of Pharmacy to also include student services functions and faculty affairs.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Bruce A. Mueller as senior associate dean, College of Pharmacy, effective February 1, 2020 through January 31, 2023.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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James T. Dalton
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Amy K. Ditmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Mark D. Pearlman, M.D.

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

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Robert K. Ferguson and Virginia A. Ferguson Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, with tenure, and Professor of Surgery, without tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024

On the recommendation of Dee E. Fenner, M.D. the Bates Professor and chair of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark D. Pearlman, M.D. as the Robert K. Ferguson and Virginia A. Ferguson Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024.

The Robert K. Ferguson and Virginia A. Ferguson Professorship in Obstetrics and Gynecology was established in March 2019 through a generous gift from the Robert K. Ferguson and Virginia A. Ferguson estate. It is intended for a faculty member in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology who is committed to providing exceptional clinical care to women, while teaching and mentoring medical students and residents. The appointment period is up to five years and may be renewed.

Mark D. Pearlman received his M.D. degree from Michigan State University in 1984. He completed a residency in obstetrics and gynecology at William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak, in 1989. Dr. Pearlman completed a fellowship in infectious diseases in obstetrics and gynecology at Baylor College in 1990. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1990 as an assistant professor in obstetrics and gynecology, and rose through the ranks to professor of obstetrics and gynecology and surgery in 2002.

Dr. Pearlman’s clinical interests are in pregnancy and trauma, breast cancer, and quality improvement. He began his work with the very earliest identification of cancer genes, BRCA1 and BRCA2. Dr. Pearlman understands the importance of hereditary genes in cancer development and his work has focused nearly exclusively on managing women with BRCA and other cancer gene mutations. His appointment in surgery allows him to work daily with the breast cancer program to provide seamless care for women that suffer and survive breast cancer.
Dr. Pearlman is a highly accomplished clinician and researcher and an extremely valuable member of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology. In recognition of his accomplishments, he has been chosen to receive the Dean’s 2019 Outstanding Clinician Award. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Mark D. Pearlman, M.D. as the Robert K. Ferguson and Virginia A. Ferguson Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019 through August 31, 2024.

Recommended by:

Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
Recommendations for approval of leaves of absence
for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Extension of Leave of Absence

NAME: Satinder S. Baveja

CURRENT TITLES: Toyota Professor of Artificial Intelligence, and Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering

TYPE OF LEAVE: Personal Leave

DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019

TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020

It is recommended that Satinder S. Baveja be granted an extension of leave of absence, effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020.

Professor Baveja has been on leave at Google DeepMind building and leading a team to tackle the most ambitious problem in his field, that of Artificial General Intelligence (AGI). This is the type of problem that requires Google-scale resources and DeepMind is at the forefront of this research effort. Professor Baveja’s team is designing large-scale evaluation infrastructure as well as developing cutting-edge AI algorithms and architectures for AGI. We believe the University of Michigan will benefit from his continued involvement in this initiative.

We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Satinder S. Baveja.

RECOMMENDED BY:
Alec D. Gallimore, Ph.D.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:
Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic and administrative positions.
On the recommendation of Richard L. Prager, M.D., the Richard and Norma Sams Professor and Interim Chair of Cardiac Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Robert H. Bartlett, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office and will be funded by the Department of Cardiac Surgery. The appointment period is up to five years and may be renewed.

Robert H. Bartlett received his medical degree from the University of Michigan in 1963. He completed an internship and residency at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston from 1963-1966. He completed a general surgery residency and thoracic surgery residency from 1966-1969. Dr. Bartlett was an NIH trainee in academic surgery at Harvard University from 1966-1970. He was appointed to the faculty at the University of California, Irvine from 1970-1980 and was appointed to at the University of Michigan in 1980.

Dr. Bartlett’s clinical interests include a full range of general and thoracic surgery with particular interest in acute physiology and critical care, as well as inflammatory bowel disease and continent ileostomy, endocrine disease, trauma, acute respiratory and acute cardiac failure, and mechanical life support systems. He has been the recipient of numerous awards and honors over the last thirty years, including the Medallion for Scientific Achievement from the American Surgical Association, the Ladd Medal of the American Academy of Pediatrics, and the American College of Surgeons Jacobson Award.

Dr. Bartlett is internationally renowned for co-inventing extracorporeal membrane oxygenation (ECMO), a life-saving machine for the lungs and heart. He was appointed as a professor emeritus in 2005, and is still very active in the lab and through clinical research. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the Robert H. Bartlett, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019.

Recommended by:

Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by:

Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
Establishment of a Research Professorship

S. Matthew Berge, M.D. Research Professorship, Medical School

Five Years, Renewable

December 1, 2019

On the recommendation of Ganesh S. Palapattu, M.D., the George F. and Sandy G. Valassis Professor and chair of the Department of Urology, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the S. Matthew Berge, M.D. Research Professorship, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019.

The S. Matthew Berge, M.D. Research Professorship is being established through a generous gift from an anonymous donor. It is intended to support the research and clinical efforts of a faculty member in the Department of Urology. The appointment period is up to five years and may be renewed.

Selma Matthew Berge was born in 1929 in Fort Dodge, Iowa. He received his M.D. degree from Northwestern University in 1954. Dr. Berge completed an internship at Evanston Hospital in Illinois and public health service on the White Mountain Apache Reservation in Arizona. He completed training in internal medicine at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota. He then moved to San Diego and began a private practice in internal medicine. Dr. Berge was beloved by his patients and held his practice until 1992. He married Nancy (Duchaine) from Escanaba in 1955. She was a registered nurse and worked in his office for most of the latter two decades. Nancy died in 2001. Dr. Berge moved back to Edina in 2015. He died in 2017.

Dr. Berge was considered the quintessential physician of knowledge, skill and caring. This professorship will honor his legacy. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the S. Mathew Berge, M.D. Research Professorship, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019.

Recommended by:

Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by:

Amy K. Ditmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
On the recommendation of Richard L. Prager, M.D., the Richard and Norma Sams Professor and Interim Chair of Cardiac Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the J. Maxwell Chamberlain, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019.

This professorship was established through the Provost Office and will be funded by the Department of Cardiac Surgery. The appointment period is up to five years and may be renewed.

J. Maxwell Chamberlain was born in Waterville, Kansas in 1906 and attended the University of Colorado for undergraduate and medical school, graduating in 1933. He completed a residency in general surgery at Massachusetts General Hospital. Dr. Chamberlain had an interest in thoracic surgery and sought an appointment at the University of Michigan in 1937 under the direction of Dr. John Alexander. Dr. Alexander established the first surgical residency program in thoracic surgery. Dr. Chamberlain began practicing in New York upon completion of his thoracic residency and completed a tour of duty in the Army Medical Corps during World War II. He returned to his practice after the war and became an active educator and pioneer in thoracic surgery achieving international recognition for his contribution to resectional therapy for pulmonary tuberculosis. In the early 1960s, Dr. Chamberlain was an instrumental figure in organizing the Society of Thoracic Surgeons. This has become the preeminent society for cardiothoracic surgery with nearly 8,000 members. Dr. Chamberlain died in 1968.

Although Dr. Chamberlain’s time at the University of Michigan was brief, the training he received here had an impact on this field and thoracic surgery that is still evident today. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the J. Maxwell Chamberlain, M.D. Collegiate Professorship in Cardiac Surgery, Medical School, effective December 1, 2019.

Recommended by: Marschall S. Runge, M.D., Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by: Amy K. Dittmar
Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions
for regular instructional staff and selected
academic and administrative staff
ACTION REQUEST:

ACTION REQUESTED:

EFFECTIVE DATES:

December 6, 2019 through February 19, 2020

During the period between this board meeting and the next regularly scheduled board meeting, it is requested that the Regents authorize the president or the provost and executive vice president for academic affairs to make such recess appointments and/or changes as may become necessary.

All such appointments will be reported to the Regents at the next regularly scheduled board meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

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Amy D. Dittmar
President for Academic Affairs

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Amid Dittmar
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Correction of Tenure Status

NAME: Patricia J. Wittkopp

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur F. Thumau Professor, Sally L. Allen Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 1, 2019

In the July 2019 Regents Communication requesting Patricia J. Wittkopp's transfer of tenure to the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, the document stated without tenure in the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and with tenure in the Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology. The corrections follow.

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Arthur F. Thumau Professor, Sally L. Allen Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

We respectfully request that Professor Wittkopp's title reflect with tenure in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and without tenure in Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.

Recommended by: Geneva Smitherman Collegiate Professor of English Language and Literature, Linguistics, and Education Arthur F. Thumau Professor College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by: Amy K. Dittmar Acting Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

December 2019
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
I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Susan E. Alcock as provost and executive vice chancellor for academic affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of Michigan-Dearborn, effective January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2025.

Susan Alcock earned her Bachelor of Arts, summa cum laude, at Yale University, Connecticut in 1983, her Bachelor of Arts degree, first class degree with distinction in classics from the University of Cambridge in 1985, her Ph.D. in Classics from the University of Cambridge in 1989, and her Master of Arts Ad Eundem at Brown University, Rhode Island in 2007.

Professor Alcock has had an extraordinary career in the academy where she has held numerous roles in administration and on the faculty at some of the top universities in the world. She is an acclaimed scholar and teacher who will bring great insight and perspective to our senior leadership team. Most recently, Professor Alcock has served as the interim provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs at UM-Flint since 2018. Prior to that, she served in the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor Office of the President as a special counsel for institutional outreach and engagement and as a presidential bicentennial professor. Professor Alcock was an Arthur F. Thurnau Professor from 2000 to 2006. Most notably, Professor Alcock is a recipient of the MacArthur Foundation Fellowship often called a “genius award.” She will be the first MacArthur Fellow on the Dearborn campus. Professor Alcock also served as the Joukowsky Family Professor of Archaeology and director of the Joukowsky Institute for Archaeology and
the Ancient World and during this time, she was also the vice president for research at Brown University.

Professor Alcock’s experiences at Brown University and the University of Michigan on the Ann Arbor and Flint campuses have prepared her to make a significant impact on the Dearborn campus. I, therefore, am pleased to recommend the appointment of Susan E. Alcock as provost and executive vice chancellor for academic affairs, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of Michigan-Dearborn, effective January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2025.

Recommended by:

Domenico Grasso, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

December 2019
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

Recommendations for approval of reappointments
of regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff
Action Request: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

Name: Christopher A. Pearson

Current Titles: Associate Dean, and Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

Title Being Renewed: Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

Effective Dates: July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2025

The dean and Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Christopher A. Pearson as associate dean, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2025.

Chris Pearson received his B.A. degree from Hamline University in 1989, and his Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota in 1995. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1998 as an assistant professor, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2004, and to professor in 2011.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Pearson has served as an interim associate dean for the College of Arts and Sciences from 2015 to 2016, and as associate dean from 2016 to present. He has served as the chair of the Department of Computer Science, Engineering, and Physics, serves ex officio on the college’s Curriculum and Academic Standards committees, and has served on the College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee.

We are pleased to recommend reappointment of Christopher A. Pearson as associate dean, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2025.

Recommended By:

Susan Gano-Phillips, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

Recommendation Endorsed By:

Debasish Dutta, Chancellor
University of Michigan - Flint

December 2019
Reappointment of a Faculty Development Professorship

Mark Simon

Hagerman Faculty Development Professor of Entrepreneurship and Innovation, and Professor of Management, with tenure, School of Management

Hagerman Faculty Development Professor of Entrepreneurship and Innovation, School of Management

September 1, 2019 through June 30, 2024

The dean and Executive Committee of the School of Management, with the endorsement of the faculty, are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark Simon as the Hagerman Faculty Development Professor of Entrepreneurship and Innovation, School of Management, effective September 1, 2019 through June 30, 2024.

The Hagerman Faculty Development Professorship in Entrepreneurship and Innovation was established in February 2015. The school was a recipient of a generous gift from Philip and Jocelyn Hagerman. Appointments to this professorship may be up to three years and may be renewed.

Mark Simon received his B.S. degree from Babson College in 1980, and his M.S. degree and Ph.D. from Georgia State University in 1990 and 1996, respectively. Professor Simon joined the University of Michigan-Flint in 2016 as the Hagerman Faculty Development Professor of Entrepreneurship and Innovation and professor of management, with tenure, to serve as the director of the Hagerman Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation.

Under Professor Simon's leadership, the Hagerman Center has seen positive growth and is evolving into a mature center for entrepreneurship and innovation. He has taken on new initiatives and is making improvements to ongoing programs such as the Summer Entrepreneurship Institute, the Zillion Solutions competition, scholarship support for students, and research support for faculty. He has shown strong communications skills with stakeholders, has a passion for the job, is collegial, enjoys working with students, and has good relationships with entrepreneurial initiatives in the community.
We enthusiastically recommend the reappointment of Mark Simon as the Hagerman Faculty Development Professor of Entrepreneurship and Innovation, School of Management, effective September 1, 2019 through June 30, 2024.

Recommendation by:

Scott D. Johnson, Dean
School of Management

Recommendation endorsed by:

Susan E. Alcock, Interim Provost
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Debasish Dutta, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

December 2019
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments
or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected
academic and administrative staff
Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Adam Lutzker

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Interim Chair, Department of Economics, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020

The dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Economics, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Adam Lutzker as interim chair, Department of Economics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020.

Adam Lutzker received his Ph.D. in economics from the University of Michigan in 1999. His record displays a deep commitment to service at the University of Michigan-Flint. He is currently the director of our Master of Arts in Social Science program and serves on the Faculty Council. He has previously served as the chair of the Economics Department and as a member of the College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee.

We believe that Professor Lutzker will prove to be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Adam Lutzker as interim chair, Department of Economics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020.

Recommended by:

Susan Gano-Phillips, Dean  
College of Arts and Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:

Susan E. Alcock, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs  
Debasish Dutta, Chancellor  
University of Michigan-Flint

December 2019
The dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Philosophy, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Bénédicte Veillet as chair, Department of Philosophy, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020.

Bénédicte Veillet received her Ph.D. from the University of Maryland. Her primary research interests are questions about phenomenal consciousness, its nature, and our ways of thinking about it. She is currently exploring the role epistemic feelings. Her record of service to the college and university is outstanding. She is currently a member of the college’s Academic Standards Committee, chair of the university Nominating Committee, and is serving as a sabbatical replacement on the college’s Executive Committee.

We believe that Professor Veillet will prove to be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Bénédicte Veillet as interim chair, Department of Philosophy, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020.

Recommended by:

Susan Gano-Phillips, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:

Susan E. Alcock, Interim Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Debasish Dutta, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

December 2019
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT

Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic and administrative staff
ACTION REQUEST: Transfer of Appointment and Tenure of a Faculty Member

NAME: Victoria C. Morckel

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Geography, Planning, and Environment, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Associate Professor of Urban Planning and Public Policy, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2020

On the recommendation of the College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee, we are pleased to recommend a transfer of appointment and tenure for Victoria C. Morckel from associate professor of geography, planning, and environment, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, to associate professor of urban planning and public policy, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020.

Victoria Morckel earned her Ph.D. in 2012 from The Ohio State University. She joined the University of Michigan – Flint as an assistant professor in 2012, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2017. She has been an affiliated faculty member with the University of Michigan, Michigan Institute for Data Science, since 2018.

As a community development specialist who is deeply concerned with the challenges facing cities and communities experiencing population loss, Professor Morckel has been instrumental in shifting the dominant growth oriented paradigm within urban planning to that of managing change, including the loss of population. Professor Morckel has also launched a research agenda that is solidly based in her community, focusing on the Flint Water Crisis.

Professor Morckel sets high standards for herself and for her students with the result being enhanced learning as testified by her extremely high scores on her student evaluations, and the praise for her content mastery and pedagogical content knowledge by her peers. She has firmly established herself as an excellent teacher who is constantly reflecting upon her craft to enhance the learning experience for her students through such innovative pedagogies as community engagement activities, flipped classrooms, and an interactive method of lecturing.
We are very pleased to recommend transfer of tenure for Victoria C. Morckel from associate professor of geography, planning, and environment, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, to associate professor of urban planning and public policy, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020.

Recommended by:

Susan Gano-Phillips, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:

Susan E. Alcock, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Debasish Dutta, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

December 2019
ACTION REQUEST: Transfer of Appointment and Tenure of a Faculty Member

NAME: Greg Rybarczyk

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

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Associate Professor of Geography, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2020

On the recommendation of the College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee, we are pleased to recommend a transfer of appointment and tenure for Greg Rybarczyk from associate professor of Earth and resource science, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, to associate professor of geography, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020.

Greg Rybarczyk earned his Ph.D. in 2010 from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. He joined the University of Michigan-Flint as an assistant professor in 2010, and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2015. He has been an affiliated faculty member with the University of Michigan, Michigan Institute for Data Science, since 2015.

Professor Rybarczyk has accomplished a significant body of scholarship in his area of expertise with numerous publications in peer reviewed high quality journals. Through utilizing cutting edge Geographic Information Systems (GIS) applications, he is able to integrate scholarship with implementations for public policy debate and planning. A consistent theme in Professor Rybarczyk’s scholarship is the ability to utilize his scholarly expertise to enhance the scientific accuracy and effectiveness of planning and implementation of important public policy initiatives.

Professor Rybarczyk instills in his students the notion that learning is a continuum that must be embraced by both student and teacher. Moreover, by bringing together a multitude of learning opportunities, he provides ample ways for students to succeed, and help lay the groundwork for life-long intellectual curiosity.
We are very pleased to recommend transfer of appointment and tenure for Greg Rybarczyk from associate professor of Earth and resource science, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, to associate professor of geography, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences, effective January 1, 2020.

Recommended by:

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Susan Gano-Phillips, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:

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Susan E. Alcock, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

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Debasish Dutta, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

December 2019