

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

*Regents Communication*

**ACTION REQUEST**

**Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement**

**Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir**

**Janine R. Maddock, Ph.D.**, professor of molecular, cellular, and developmental biology (MCDB) in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, retired from the active faculty on December 31, 2020.

Professor Maddock received her B.S. (1980) degree from the University of California, Davis, her M.S. (1983) degree from San Diego State University, and her Ph.D. (1990) from Carnegie Mellon University. She was a postdoctoral fellow at Stanford University in the Department of Developmental Biology from 1990-94. She joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in 1995, and was promoted to associate professor in 2001, and professor in 2009. Professor Maddock was the recipient of the university's Imes and Moore Faculty Award (2006) and three LSA's Excellence in Education Awards (1996, 1997, and 1999). She served as associate chair in the Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology in 2004 and 2008-09. She also served on the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Executive Committee from 2015-18.

During her academic career, Professor Maddock designed and taught numerous courses for graduate students and undergraduates, especially in the fields of molecular biology and microbiology. She also participated in a number of cross-discipline courses with faculty across several colleges at the University of Michigan. She was involved in graduate recruitment and training throughout much of her career, including chairing the Graduate Admissions Committee (2009-10) and the Graduate Studies Committee (2005-07). Professor Maddock served on numerous scientific review panels, was chair for Division J of the American Society for Microbiology (2002) and was on key editorial boards in the field of microbiology. Her research program focused on delineating how the macromolecular machines that make proteins, called ribosomes, assemble. A second line of research focused on how proteins are positioned within cells. She published over 50 scientific papers and reviews and directly trained 18 graduate students and dozens of undergraduate students. She has presented her research at dozens of national and international forums. Her research was consistently funded, primarily from the National Institutes of Health and the National Science Foundation.

The Regents now salute this distinguished scholar by naming **Janine R. Maddock, professor emerita of molecular, cellular, and developmental biology.**

**Requested by:**



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**Sally J. Churchill, J.D.**  
**Vice President and Secretary of the University**

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