

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
*Regents Communication*

ITEM FOR INFORMATION

**REPORTS OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL TRANSACTIONS**

Attached are summary reports listing all those regular instructional appointments, changes in status, leaves of absence, and terminations which have been administratively approved during the past month.

Respectfully submitted,



Richard S. Holcomb, Jr.  
Associate Vice-President  
and Chief Human Resource Officer

December, 2024

ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED NEW APPOINTMENTS  
OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF  
December, 2024

Almadhoun, Hussein, M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, Medical School, October 7, 2024 – September 30, 2026

Alore, Elizabeth A., M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery, Medical School, October 15, 2024 – August 31, 2025

Ansari, Sardar, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine, Medical School, November 1, 2024 – October 31, 2027

Chakrabarti, Apurba K., M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, Medical School, November 1, 2024 – October 31, 2025

Coddington, Call, D.O., Clinical Instructor in Emergency Medicine, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Dakanali, Marianna, Ph.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Radiology, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Folz, Rachel C., M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Gliwa, Catherine, M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – August 31, 2025

Ham, Dae Woong, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Technology and Operations, Stephen M Ross School of Business and Assistant Professor of Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2029

Hartley, Brandi R., M.D., Clinical Instructor in Orthopaedic Surgery, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Hernandez, David, M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Kumar, Natasha R., M.D., Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – August 31, 2025

Mahadevan, Navin R., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Pathology, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2027

Onsay, Taner, Ph.D., Clinical Professor of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, UM-Dearborn, September 1, 2024 – April 30, 2025

Parma Benfenati, Lucrezia, M.S.D., Clinical Instructor in Dentistry, Department of Periodontics and Oral Medicine, School of Dentistry, October 14, 2024 – August 31, 2025

Qiu, Anna, M.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Shepherd, Michael E., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Health Management and Policy, School of Public Health and Assistant Professor of Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2029

SoRelle, Elliott, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2027

Tipograf, Yuliya, M.D., Assistant Professor of Surgery, Medical School, October 7, 2024 – October 6, 2027

Tobin, Kaylyn, M.D., Clinical Instructor in Psychiatry, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Xia, Xin, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, UM-Dearborn, September 1, 2024 – April 30, 2027

Xiang, Wei, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, January 1, 2025 – December 31, 2028

ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED PROMOTIONS, JOINT APPOINTMENTS,  
TRANSFERS OR DISCIPLINE CHANGES OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED EMERITUS/A FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Bach, David S., Clinical Professor Emeritus of Internal Medicine, Medical School, December 1, 2024 – November 30, 2025

Boyd, Carol J., Deborah J Oakley Collegiate Professor Emerita of Nursing, Professor Emerita of Nursing, School of Nursing and Professor Emerita of Women's Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, May 1 – May 31, 2025

Chen, Ming, Clinical Associate Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics, Medical School, January 1 – December 30, 2025

Drake, R. Paul, Henry Smith Carhart Collegiate Professor Emeritus of Space Science, Professor Emeritus of Climate and Space Sciences and Engineering, College of Engineering and Professor Emeritus of Physics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, January 1 – December 31, 2025

Gilgenbach, Ronald M., Chihiro Kikuchi Collegiate Professor Emeritus of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences and Professor Emeritus of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences, College of Engineering, January 1 – December 31, 2025

Harlow, Sioban D., Professor Emerita of Epidemiology, Professor Emerita of Global Public Health, School of Public Health and Professor Emerita of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2025

Hartman, Lee W., Leo Goldberg Collegiate Professor Emeritus of Astronomy and Professor Emeritus of Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, January 1 – May 31, 2025

Hutchinson, Raymond J., Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics, Medical School, January 1 – December 31, 2025

Kauffman, Carol A., Professor Emerita of Internal Medicine, Medical School, November 1, 2024 – October 31, 2025

McMahon Jr, Laurence F., Professor Emeritus of Internal Medicine, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Murray-Wright, Margaret, Clinical Assistant Professor Emerita of Nursing, School of Nursing, UM-Flint, August 28 – December 31, 2024

Nagy, Andrew F., Professor Emeritus of Climate and Space Sciences and Engineering and Professor Emeritus of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, September 1, 2024 – August 31, 2025

Reed, Beth G., Associate Professor Emerita of Social Work, School of Social Work and Associate Professor Emerita of Women's and Gender Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, June 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025

Slavin, James A., Professor Emeritus of Climate and Space Sciences and Engineering, College of Engineering, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Stanley, James C., Professor Emeritus of Surgery, Medical School, October 24, 2024 – October 23, 2025

Stern, Ralph H., Clinical Assistant Professor Emeritus of Internal Medicine, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Waas, Moderage A. M., Professor Emeritus of Aerospace Engineering, Professor Emeritus of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, January 1- December 31, 2025

Weder, Alan B., Professor Emeritus of Internal Medicine, Medical School, October 1, 2024 – September 30, 2025

Wilson, Mark L., Professor Emeritus of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Professor Emeritus of Epidemiology and Professor Emeritus of Global Public Health, School of Public Health, September 1, 2024 – August 31, 2025

Wittmann, Daniela A., Clinical Associate Professor Emerita of Urology, Medical School,  
January 1 – December 31, 2025

ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED LEAVES OF ABSENCE  
GRANTED TO REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

Adams, Fred C., Ta-You Wu Collegiate Professor of Physics, Professor of Physics, with tenure and Professor of Astronomy, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue development in the area of “Planet Formation and Migration near the Inner Edge of Disks”. Work will be done at the California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California and at the University of California, Santa Barbara, California.

Adar, Sara D., Professor of Epidemiology, with tenure and Professor of Global Public Health, without tenure, School of Public Health, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct a greater focus on climate change, this includes lectures/trainings. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Ahn, Juhn Young, Associate Professor of Asian Languages and Cultures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on a second book project. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan and the Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea.

Amidei, Dante E., Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – December 31, 2025, to work on development of a new experimental program to test the fundamental assumptions of quantum mechanics. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Anderson, Barbara A., Ronald Freedman Collegiate Professor of Sociology and Population Studies and Professor of Sociology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, extended sick August 31 – December 31, 2024.

Aragona, Brandon J., Associate Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, personal January 1 – May 31, 2025.

Ault, Andrew P., Associate Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research that will focus on the Southern Ocean, a rapidly changing region, where the impact of clouds on radiative forcing are difficult to quantify and predict. Work will be done at the University of Wollongong, Wollongong, Australia, Melbourne, Australia and Tasmania, Australia.

Ault, Kerri A. P., Professor of Chemistry, with tenure and Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research focused on single-particle chemical composition measurements, during the Cloud and Precipitation Experiment. Work will be done at the Australia University of Wollongong, Wollongong, Australia and Melbourne, Australia.

Babayan, Kathryn, Professor of Iranian History and Culture, Department of Middle East Studies, with tenure and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to continue work on a project entitled “The Persian Anthology”, this will include preparing the metadata, completing the annotation work within Tropy, exporting the material and data to Omeka and creating the website. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Baik, Jinho, Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue research on multi-time distributions of the KPZ fixed point and related finite time models. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Barham, Nicola, Assistant Professor of History of Art, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to complete a monograph: *Ornamenting Empire: a Roman Value for the Visual Arts*, finish edited volume: *Reading Lebanon’s Ancient Tombs* and finish writing up article: “Outsiders at Intercisa? An image of breastfeeding on the Roman Danube frontier”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Bass, Hyman, Samuel Eilenberg Distinguished University Professor of Mathematics and Mathematics Education, Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Education, with tenure, Marsal Family School of Education, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete some writing projects in mathematics education. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Beckman, Gary M., George G Cameron Professor of Ancient Near Eastern Civilizations and Languages and Professor of Middle East Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to continue work on a book on court protocol and ceremonial in ancient Near East. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Bergin, Edwin A., Professor of Astronomy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024 and sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to write a comprehensive interdisciplinary review article on the connective tissue between formation and ultimate composition of planetary systems. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan and the University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

Berrey, Stephen, Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Associate Professor of American Culture with tenure and Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to continue work on a book entitled “Race, Memory, and the Invention of Small-town America”. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Bharat, Adi, Assistant Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures and Assistant Professor of Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to continue work on a book manuscript. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Binetti, Vincenzo A., Professor of Italian, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue work on a book project that will investigate literary and cinematic production in Italy during the 60's and 70's. Work will be done in Florence, Italy.

Blackwood, Jennifer A., Professor of Physical Therapy, with tenure, College of Health Sciences, UM-Flint, sabbatical January 1 – June 30, 2025, to expand research work examining cognitive function in older cancer survivors and continue research line assessing how neighborhood walkability is associated with physical function in older adults. Work will be done in Flint, Michigan.

Bloch, Anthony M., Alexander Ziwet Collegiate Professor of Mathematics and Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 - December 31, 2024, to work on various research projects: 1)the dynamics of hybrid systems 2)the dynamics of multibody systems with collisions 3)the dynamics of gradient flows and their relationship to combinatorics 4)the theory of smooth and discrete optimal control and its connection to machine learning 5)the mass transfer problem and its connection to optimal control. Work will be done at the University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, the University of Texas, Austin, Texas, the University of Illinois, Urbana Champaign, Illinois and the University of California, Berkeley, California.

Blum, Joel D., Jerry Keeler Distinguished University Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, Arthur F Thurnau Professor, John D MacArthur Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences and Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete research and submit the 4 papers plus a final paper. Work will be done in Palo Alto, California and Gregory, Michigan.

Boccaccini, Gabriele, Professor of Early Christianity, Department of Middle East Studies, with tenure and Professor of Judaic Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research. Work will be done in Florence, Italy.

Bolivar, Andrea, Assistant Professor of Women's and Gender Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26 – December 31, 2024 and a duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book manuscript. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Burch, Melissa, Assistant Professor of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to complete a book manuscript. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Burns Jr, Daniel M., Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete several lingering papers, advance some current projects and start learning some new areas. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Burns, Nancy E., Warren E Miller Collegiate Professor of Political Science and Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book on gender, race, and public opinion. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Cable, Umayyah E., Assistant Professor of American Culture and Assistant Professor of Film, Television and Media, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research on a project entitled “The Act: Performativity and Imperial Homophobia in Transnational Arab Culture Wars”. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Calvet, Nuria P., Helen Dodson Prince Collegiate Professor of Astronomy and Professor of Astronomy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research on disk evolution to conciliate observations of refractory depletion with theory. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Chan, Charlotte, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus, January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue research in geometric and representation-theoretic aspects of number theory and to construct a geometric theory of representations of p-adic groups. Work will be done at the Sydney Mathematical Research Institute, Sydney, Australia.

Cheney, John C., Associate Professor of American Culture, with tenure and Associate Professor of Digital Studies Institute, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26 – December 31, 2024 and sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book manuscript entitled “Ex Ante: A Theory of the Future” and to begin another book draft. Work will be done at the University of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Coppola, Brian P., Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to help LSA Dean’s office to improve “pathway to U-M” strategies and possibly develop an online course to help students. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Cowles, Henry, Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to draft a book on the material history of mental health in the United States. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Crane, Gregg D., Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – December 31, 2025, as part of retirement agreement. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Creary, Melissa S., Associate Professor of Health Management and Policy, with tenure and Associate Professor of Global Public Health, without tenure, School of Public Health, sabbatical August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to conduct archival research, conduct interviews,



and begin writing about the ethics and equity of gene therapy for sickle cell disease. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan and at Kings College, London, United Kingdom.

Curzan, Anne L., Geneva Smitherman Collegiate Professor of English Language and Literature, Linguistics and Education, Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, Professor of Linguistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Education, without tenure, Marsal Family School of Education, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete a paper entitled “First Day to Final Grade”, work on a textbook on the History of English and continue to pursue public intellectual work, both with the podcast and in relation to a recent book entitled “Says Who? A Kinder, Funner Usage Guide for Everyone Who Cares About Words”. Work will be done at Stanford University, San Francisco, California.

Das, Aileen, Associate Professor of Classical Studies, with tenure, Associate Professor of Middle East Studies, without tenure, Associate Professor of Judaic Studies, without tenure and Associate Professor of History, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on writing a second monograph. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Davis, Katherine, Marjorie M Fisher Professor of Egyptology of the Pharaonic Period and Assistant Professor of Middle East Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to finish drafting a book. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Deese, Adrian, Assistant Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on a book manuscript. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

DeGrado, Jessie, Assistant Professor of Middle East Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity January 1 – May 31, 2025, to participate in the Frankel Center Institute’s fellowship on the theme Jewish/Queer/Trans and use the time to begin work on a second book. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Deldin, Patricia J., Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Psychiatry, without tenure, Medical School, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to begin development of a new mental wellness program. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Denef, Vincent J., Associate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to develop a project that would track the impact of agricultural practices on soil and water quality at a more granular (i.e., individual farm) level. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan and Dexter, Michigan.

Dick, Robert, Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – December 31, 2025, to conduct research on embedded system design for intelligent manufacturing; to finalize a project on (embedded) system design to enable users to control the privacy policies applied to them in the Internet-of-Things and to initiate a project on enabling the internet to support edge-to-cloud

adaptation of resource provisioning based on its impact on user satisfaction. Work will be done at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, University North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, Virginia, Northwestern University, Cook County, Illinois, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts and Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Douglas, Susan J., Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Catherine Neafie Kellogg Professor of Communication and Professor of Communication and Media, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to complete a book manuscript on the history of media studies in the U. S. and U. K. from 1955-1995. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Duda Jr., Thomas F., Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to complete studies focusing on the evolution of dietary specializations of predatory gastropods and to publish and further develop a website that promulgates information on cone snails. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Dude Duhaime, Melissa B., Associate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue research, explore new collaborations to support next stage teaching and research. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Eagle, Herbert J., Associate Professor of Slavic Languages and Literatures, with tenure and Associate Professor of the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book manuscript on Visual Rhyme and Dissident Meaning in East European Cinema under Communism. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Elvang, Henriette, Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024 and scholarly activity January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue research in scattering amplitudes. Work will be done at the Niels Bohr Institute, Copenhagen, Denmark.

Esfandiari, Nazanene, Clinical Professor of Internal Medicine, Medical School, duty off campus August 1 – August 31, 2024 and November 1 – November 30, 2024, to conduct research. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Fielding, Ian D., Associate Professor of Classical Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to complete a monograph entitled “Roman satire and the fall of Rome”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Flannery, Kent V., James B Griffin Distinguished University Professor of Anthropology and Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete a research project. work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Friedenberg, Amanda Y., Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to conduct

experimental research on how subjects actually reason in strategic settings and on epistemic game theory. Work will be done at the University of Berkeley, Berkeley, California, University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada and Bocconi, Italy.

Friedman, Matt, Professor of Earth and Environmental Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research. Work will be done at the University of Birmingham, United Kingdom, Mansoura and Cairo, Egypt and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Frye, Margaret, Associate Professor of Sociology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on two papers related to women's experiences working in male-dominated workplaces in Kampala, Uganda. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Fu, Jianping, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology, without tenure, Medical School, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue research in stem cell bioengineering and developmental bioengineering. Work will be done in Germany.

Gaggio, Dario, Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue research on the environmental history of the delta region of the Po River, the longest in Italy, centering the relationships between humans and several aquatic creatures. Work will be done in Italy and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Gailus, Andreas, Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024 and duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to work on a series of articles on the intersections of literature and madness. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Garcia Santo-Tomas, Enrique, Frank P Casa Collegiate Professor of Spanish and Professor of Spanish, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to work on a book entitled "Sparks of Recreation: Playing with Fire in Spain, 1560-1760". Work will be done in Chicago, Illinois.

Garvey, Raven, Associate Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to complete a book manuscript. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Gaston, Pablo U., Assistant Professor of Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus August 26 – December 31, 2024, to complete a draft book manuscript. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Gonzalez, Richard D., Amos N Tversky Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Statistics, Professor of Psychology, with tenure and Professor of Statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to complete stage manuscript preparation on several projects involving new methodological contributions to decision making and to applied statistics. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Hamalainen, Maureen D., Associate Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue research investigating comparative skeletal aging in humans and chimpanzees, specifically data collection from humans and chimpanzees. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan, Cambridge, Massachusetts and Kampala, Uganda.

Hansen, Bendek B., Professor of Statistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to develop new techniques from current theoretical and methodological work on propensity score matching, connecting it to attending statistical inferences broadly, to matching algorithms and to multilevel data structures arising in education and medical research. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Hetland, Eric A., Associate Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue work on three projects 1) seismogenic stress models, 2) developing a method to fuse multiple sources of geodetic data not a single derivative product, 3) building mathematical models of vulnerability to disasters. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Hsieh, Jennifer C.L., Assistant Professor of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book manuscript entitled “The Hearing Subject: Noise and Sociality in Urban Taiwan”. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Huan, Xun, Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to refine knowledge of Markov decision processes (MDP)/reinforcement learning (RL) at a fundamental level and establish and maintain collaborations with researchers. Work will be done in Toronto, Canada.

Hume, Richard I., Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, as per retirement agreement. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Hutton, David W., Professor of Health Management and Policy, with tenure, Professor of Global Public Health, without tenure, School of Public Health and Professor of Industrial and Operations Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research on some national/international service. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Jansen, Robert S., Associate Professor of Sociology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research for a book project on the history of “historic preservationism” in the United States. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Johnson, Sean D., Assistant Professor of Astronomy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue work on two large Hubble

observing programs with significant dedicated follow-up using the Magellan Telescopes. Work will be done at the Las Campanas Observatory, Chile.

Jonides, John, Edward E Smith Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience, Professor of Radiology, without tenure, Medical School and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to give some talks on mechanisms of distraction among healthy individuals and those with ADHD. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan, England and Australia.

Jorgensen, Renee M., Assistant Professor of Philosophy, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to complete and submit a final draft of a book manuscript. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Kidwell, Kelley, Professor of Biostatistics, with tenure, School of Public Health, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to broaden expertise in clinical trials, particularly in cluster randomized designs as I share my expertise in SMART design. Work will be done in Melbourne, Australia.

Killewald, Alexandra A., Robert F Schoeni Research Professor and Professor of Sociology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to continue ongoing projects related to gender inequality and/or wealth inequality. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Kim, Jaeun, Korea Foundation Professor of Korean Studies, Associate Professor of Sociology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Law, without tenure, Law School, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct teaching duties at the Ecole. Work will be done at the Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Paris, France.

Kim, Youngki, Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering and Computer Science, UM-Dearborn, sabbatical September 1 – December 31, 2024, to expand research focusing on the prognostics and health monitoring of re-purposed 2<sup>nd</sup>-life batteries. Work will be done at the Hanyang University, South Korea.

King, Aaron A., Nelson G Hairston Collegiate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and Complex Systems, Professor of Complex Systems, with tenure, Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure and Professor of Mathematics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to translate developments on so-called phylodynamic methods into algorithmic inference tools and to seek out application of the methods in problems of infectious-disease epidemiology. Work will be done in Trieste, Italy and Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Kioupakis, Emmanouil, Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research on high-throughput calculations of materials properties, and on leveraging informatics for materials discovery. Work will be done in Switzerland.

Kitayama, Shinobu, Robert B Zajonc Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 –

December 31, 2024, to work on a project focusing on culture and emotion. Work will be done in Leuven, Belgium and London, United Kingdom.

Kivelson, Valerie A., Thomas N Tentler Collegiate Professor of History, Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book on images and empire in early modern Russia. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Klein, Brian I., Assistant Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Assistant Professor of Program in the Environment, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and School for Environment and Sustainability, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete a draft book manuscript. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Kodjebacheva, Gergana D., Professor of Public Health and Health Sciences, with tenure, College of Health Science, UM-Flint, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to investigate differences in telehealth use by age, race/ethnicity, income, type of health insurance, other socio-demographic factors, health status, and survey year in the 2021, 2022, and 2023 National Surveys of Children's Health (NSCH). Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Kowalski, Amanda, Gail Wilensky Professor of Applied Economics and Public Policy, Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Public Policy, without tenure, Gerald R Ford School of Public Policy, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024 and duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue research program in health economics and applied econometrics. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

La Fountain-Stokes, Lawrence M., Professor of American Culture, with tenure, Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures, with tenure and Professor of Women's and Gender Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to work on completion of scholarly monograph entitled "Tropical Precarity: Contemporary Performance in Puerto Rico". Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan and San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Lam, Thomas F. Y., Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to focus on research in the new field of positive geometry, which we are developing with a number of mathematicians and physicists. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Langland, Victoria A., Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on a book manuscript. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Lavaque-Manty, Mika T., Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Associate Professor of Political Science, with tenure and Associate Professor of Philosophy, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024 and duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue research on the political theory of

contemporary higher education and a trade book on student experience in college. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Leontis, Artemis S., C P Cavafy Professor of Modern Greek Studies, Professor of Modern Greek, Department of Classical Studies, with tenure and Professor of Comparative Literature, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete research, write and publish an article on the provenance of the collection of Eva Palmer Sikelianos Papers in the Center for Asia Minor Studies. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan and Athens, Greece.

Levitsky, Sandra R., Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Associate Professor of Sociology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Law, without tenure, Law School, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete a series of papers on Title IX and campus sexual assault. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Lowande, Kenneth S., Associate Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Associate Professor of Public Policy, without tenure, Gerald R Ford School of Public Policy, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to work on three projects 1) construction of a dataset of military hardware subsidies to local law enforcement agencies, for the purposes of understanding how recent restrictions have impacted the availability of such hardware in low-income and minority communities 2) examines the environmental effects of a river protection program established in the late 1990s by President Clinton 3) construction of a task-level dataset on US presidents workflow, using paperwork logs maintained by presidential archives. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Lyons, Scott R., Associate Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on a Christianity and Native Americans project. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Maiorova, Olga Y., Associate Professor of Slavic Languages and Literatures, with tenure and Associate Professor of History, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to work on a book manuscript entitled “Anna Karenina in Context: Rereading Tolstoy’s Novel”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Makin, Michael, Professor of Slavic Languages and Literatures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue work on a book on Medievalism in the East-Slavic lands. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

McCracken, Peggy S., Anna Julia Cooper Distinguished University Professor of Medieval French Literature, Professor of French, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, with tenure, Professor of Women’s and Gender Studies, without tenure and Professor of Comparative Literature, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to work on a book on translations and adaptations of Ovid’s *Metamorphoses* in medieval France. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

McDonald Terrence J., Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to complete a book project and begin another on the history of the liberal arts in America. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Merlin, Roberto D., Peter A Franken Collegiate Professor of Physics and Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to draft a book on ultrafast science in condensed matter. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan, Hamburg, Michigan and Geneva, Switzerland.

Min, Brian K., Associate Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on a book that examines the failures of states at ensuring effective access to energy. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan and India.

Mir, Farina, Richard Hudson Research Professor of History, Associate Professor in the Honors Program without tenure and Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book manuscript entitled “Genres of Muslim Modernity: Being Muslim in Late-Colonial India, 1858-1947”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Mizruchi, Mark S., Robert Cooley Angell Collegiate Professor of Sociology, Professor of Sociology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Management and Organizations, without tenure, Stephen M Ross School of Business, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to continue to complete a series of papers and begin a new project on the concept of racialized organizations. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Moreiras-Menor, Cristina, Kathleen M Canning Collegiate Professor of Spanish and Women’s and Gender Studies, Professor of Spanish, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, with tenure and Professor of Women’s and Gender Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus, January 1 – May 31, 2025, to develop a project dealing with the cultural history of the Spanish civil war and the poet Federico Garcia Lorca. Work will be done at the University of Granada, Granada, Spain.

Moyer, Ian S., Richard Hudson Research Professor of History and Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book project entitled “At the gates of the temple: Essay on an open place in ancient Egypt”. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Mustata, Mircea I., Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on various projects. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan, University of Illinois, Chicago, Illinois and University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Nair, Supriya M., Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct archival research and draft a chapter of an ongoing book project on postcolonial environmental



humanities. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan, the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and Delhi, India.

Neis, Rachel, Jean and Samuel Frankel Professor of Rabbinic Literature, Professor of Judaic Studies, with tenure and Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to work on a book entitled “Transing Ancient Judaism”. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Orosz, Gabor, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure and Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to conduct research on the dynamics and control of micromobility vehicles. Work will be done at the Budapest University, Hungary, the University of Udine, Italy and The University of Milan, Italy.

Paredes, Alyssa D. E., Assistant Professor of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book manuscript and begin work on a second project. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Parrish, Susan S., Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Program in the Environment, without tenure, School for Environment and Sustainability, scholarly activity September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete research and compose a draft book entitled “The Talking Woods: Black Life and Its Forest Materials”. Work will be done in San Marino, California.

Pecoraro, Vincent L., John T Groves Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to design and test superoxide dismutase designed proteins and work on describing the electronic structure of Yb (III) metallocrowns using magnetic field perturbations of the luminescence spectrum. Work will be done in locations around France.

Phruksachart, Melissa G., Assistant Professor of Film, Television and Media, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book manuscript. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Pixton, Aaron, Associate Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue drafting research papers. Work will be done in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Polk, Thad A., Samuel D Epstein Collegiate Professor of Psychology, Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue research on dense, person-specific neuroimaging. Work will be done in Berlin and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Porter, David L., Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure and Professor of Comparative Literature, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts,

scholarly activity August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue research that will heighten awareness of the racialized narratives of exclusion and reclamation that have long saturated regional waterways while also modeling innovative and scalable approaches to centering place-based narrative infrastructure in the work on restorative justice in regional communities. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Poudeu-Poudeu, Pierre F., Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to learn computational modeling and simulation approaches that will be combined to our structural characterization techniques to accelerate predictive design, synthesis, and characterization of new ternary and quaternary CMC leveraging the general composition  $\text{Cu}_2[\text{Mn}^{+}]_2\text{x}[\text{Nm}^{+}]_2(3-\text{nx})/\text{mQ}_4$ . Work will be done in Stuttgart, Germany and Wuhan University of Technology, Japan.

Purkiss, Ava S., Associate Professor of Women's and Gender Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Clinical Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical School, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to undertake training in a new field – women's reproductive health sciences, medicine, and studies. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan and Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Queen, Robin M., Sarah G Thomason Collegiate Professor of Linguistics, Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures, without tenure, Professor of Linguistics, with tenure and Professor of English Language and Literature, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue research on interactions/communication between shepherds and their stockdogs. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan and Stockbridge, Michigan.

Rai, Swapnil, Assistant Professor of Film, Television and Media, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to work on a book manuscript entitled "Elective Affinities: Women's Media and TV Flows Between India and Turkey". Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Railton, Peter A., Gergory S Kavka Distinguished University Professor of Philosophy, John Stephenson Perrin Professor, Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Philosophy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to convert lectures into papers for publication, the first concerns connections between artificial intelligence and ethics, the second between issues about well-being and climate change. Work will be done in Nova Scotia, Canada, Ann Arbor, Michigan and Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

Ratte, Christopher J., Professor of Classical Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to work on two books: 1) a monograph on the excavations at the Agora at Aphrodisias 2) a monograph on the archaeology of western Anatolia in the 1<sup>st</sup> millennium BCE. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan and Toronto, Canada.

Reuter-Lorenz, Patricia A., Michael I Posner Collegiate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue work on developing a

mindfulness intervention for older adults. Work will be done at the University of Miami, Miami, Florida.

Rickard, Alexander, Associate Professor of Epidemiology, with tenure, School of Public Health, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue research. Work will be done at the University of Southampton, United Kingdom and the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Riles, John K., H Richard Crane Collegiate Professor of Physics and Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research on analysis of data from the LIGO gravitational wave experiment, focusing on the search for continuous gravitational waves from galactic neutron stars and more distant post-merger remnants (hyper-massive neutron stars) following the merger of two ordinary neutron stars. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Roby, Bryan K., Associate Professor of Judaic Studies, with tenure, Associate Professor of Middle East Studies, without tenure, Associate Professor of History, without tenure and Associate Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Rosati, Alexandra G. E., Associate Professor of Psychology, with tenure and Associate Professor of Anthropology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus August 26 – December 31, 2024, to work on several larger-scale papers integrating data on primate cognition, behavior, and health. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Rubin, Gayle S., Associate Professor of Anthropology, with tenure and Associate Professor of Women's and Gender Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to work on a book project to explore the trajectory of the feminist sex wars, and particularly, the feminist mobilizations against pornography, which formed in the late 1970s. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Sarlati, Niloofar, Assistant Professor of English Language and Literature and Assistant Professor of Comparative Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to work on a book manuscript. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Schmaltz, Tad M., Professor of Philosophy, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to write two articles for presentation and one chapter for publication in an edited volume. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Seifert, Colleen M., Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue developing a model of human and AI cognition. Work will be done at Stanford University, Stanford, California.

Selcer, Perrin, Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Associate Professor of Program in the Environment, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and School for Environment and Sustainability, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to work on a book project. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Shipan, Charles R., J Ira and Nicki Harris Professor of Social Science, Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Public Policy, without tenure, Gerald R Ford School of Public Policy, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to continue to conduct research on the politics of public health. Work will be done at the University of Copenhagen, Denmark and the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Shryock, Andrew J., Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research for a history of the Arab/Muslim communities in Dearborn. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Simmons, Lakisha M., Arthur F Thurnau Professor, Associate Professor of Women's and Gender Studies, with tenure and Associate Professor of History, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on a transcript on Labor, Love, and Loss. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Singh, Nirala, Associate Professor of Chemical Engineering, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to learn more about commercial electrolyzer systems and make new contacts in research. Work will be done at the Technical University, Munich.

Smtih, Stephen A., Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to work on a synthetic set of papers on analyses of innovations in the tree of life. Work will be done in Santa Fe, New Mexico and London, United Kingdom.

Squatriti, Paolo, Professor of History, with tenure, Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Program in the Environment, without tenure, School for Environment and Sustainability, scholarly activity August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to complete a monograph about the European adoption of wheat cultivation during the Middle Ages. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Stroebel, William, Assistant Professor of Classical Studies and Assistant Professor of Comparative Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to complete a book. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Stuart Brundage, Jonah, Assistant Professor of Sociology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1 – December 31, 2024, to complete a book manuscript. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Sun, Kai, Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to engage in a KITP program and attend various conferences and workshops to interact with experts across diverse areas and disciplines with the goal of cultivating new ideas through knowledge transfer. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Szpiech, Ryan W., Associate Professor of Romance Languages and Literatures, with tenure, Associate Professor of Judaic Studies, without tenure and Associate Professor of Middle East Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to make progress on a book project entitled “In the Name of the Father: Translation and Anxiety in Medieval Castile”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Temin, David M., Associate Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book entitled “Wages for Earthwork”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Tessler, Mark A., Samuel J Eldersveld Collegiate Professor of Political Science and Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to conduct research in 3 different areas 1) Comparative Study of Competing Authorities 2) Determinants of Participation in Protest Movements 3) The Political Significance of Liberalism-Illiberalism in the Interpretation of Islamic Prescriptions and Codes. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Tewari, Ambuj, Professor of Statistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, without tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue research in using LLMs for accelerating scientific discovery in chemistry. Work will be done in Berkeley, California and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Thornton, Katsuyo S., L H and F E Van Vlack Professor of Materials Science and Engineering and Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to expand research collaboration and topics through two primary activities. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Timmerman, Achim, Professor of History of Art, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to complete a book manuscript entitled “Augmented Reality: Jerusalem and the Civic Imagination in Late Medieval Germany”. Work will be done at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Tol, Serife, Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to explore non-Hermitian metamaterials and on electro-momentum coupling. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Tonomura, Hitomi, University Diversity and Social Transformation Professor, Professor of History, with tenure and Professor of Women’s and Gender Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to complete

editing a book entitled “New Cambridge History of Japan” and prepare it for publication. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Tsodikov, Alexander, Professor of Biostatistics, with tenure, School of Public Health, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to focus on methodological development and generating preliminary results both in methodology and applications. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Tsoffar, Ruth, Professor of Women’s and Gender Studies, with tenure, Professor of Comparative Literature, with tenure and Professor of Judaic Studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to continue research and writing. Work will be done in Barcelona, Spain and Israel.

Valella, Daniel, Assistant Professor of English Language and Literature, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26 – December 31, 2024, to complete a book manuscript entitled “American Ethos: Race, Coloniality, and Literary Persuasion”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Veerapaneni, Shraavan K., Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to conduct research at the intersection of scientific computing, machine learning and quantum information. Work will be done at the Flatiron Institute, New York, New York.

Walter, Nils G., Francis S Collins Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, Biophysics and Biological Chemistry, Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, Professor of Biophysics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Biological Chemistry, without tenure, Medical School, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to deeply probe the hypothesis that RNA structural dynamics, at both the secondary and tertiary structure levels, exert major, fine-tuned and highly combinatorial control over gene expression, as exemplified by mammalian regulatory long non-coding RNAs. Work will be done at the University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia.

Warneken, Felix A., Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue work on a book project on the origins of altruism. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Weineck, Silke-Maria, Grace Lee Boggs Collegiate Professor of Comparative Literature and German Studies, Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures, with tenure and Professor of Comparative Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity January 1 – May 31, 2025, to work on a book project on football coaching. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Wilfong, Terry G., Professor of Classical Studies, without tenure and Professor of Egyptology, Department of Middle East Studies, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity January 1 – May 31, 2025, to continue research on the artist Hamzeh Carr, who did work for the University of Michigan archaeological expedition in Egypt in the 1920s. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Winger, Benjamin, Associate Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to work on a pair of synthesis papers on the ecology and evolution of bird migration. Work will be done in Cape Cod, Massachusetts.

Wright, Henry T., Albert Clanton Spaulding Distinguished University Professor of Anthropology and Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, per retirement agreement. Work will be done in Santa Fe, New Mexico and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Wu, Sijue, Robert W and Lynn H Browne Professor of Science and Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, scholarly activity August 26 – December 31, 2024, to continue research on the motion of the water waves to understand the interactions of the free interface with a fixed boundary, such as the beach. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Zernicke, Ronald F., Professor of Kinesiology, without tenure, School of Kinesiology, Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, with tenure and Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, Medical School, sabbatical July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025, to examine the exercise effects on bone and skeletal muscle interactive adaptations. Work will be done at the University of Calgary, Alberta, Canada, Colorado Springs, Colorado and the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California.

Zhang, Youxue, James R O’Neil Collegiate Professor of Geological Sciences and Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to finish papers, to visit institutions and deliver seminars globally, to think about new research directions and to contemplate and carry out new research. Work will be done in Germany.

Zhou, Bing, Donald A Glaser Collegiate Professor of Physics and Professor of Physics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, duty off campus September 1, 2024 – May 31, 2025, to work on ATLAS muon detector upgrade project. Work will be done in Geneva, Switzerland.

Zhu, Ji, Susan A Murphy Collegiate Professor of Statistics and Professor of Statistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024, to expand the scope of research in statistical network analysis. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Zimmerman, Paul, Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, sabbatical January 1 – May 31, 2025, to learn relativistic quantum chemistry and begin to apply these techniques within the computational chemistry methods that have been/are being developed in my research group. Work will be done at the University of Washington, Seattle, Washington.

CANCELLATION OF  
ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED LEAVES OF ABSENCE  
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Bahr, Peter R., Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, Marsal Family School of Education, sabbatical August 26, 2024 – May 31, 2025. Cancelled.

Rouse, Elliott J., Associate Professor of Robotics, with tenure and Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, sabbatical August 26 – December 31, 2024. Cancelled.

TERMINATIONS OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF

**Appointment Completed**

Ramadan, Ghazal Mohammed A., Clinical Instructor in Dentistry, Department of Periodontics and Oral Medicine, School of Dentistry, August 31, 2024

**Deceased**

Jutkiewicz, Emily M., Pfizer Upjohn Research Professor of Translational Pharmacology and Associate Professor of Pharmacology, with tenure, Medical School, September 21, 2024

Schotten, Yizhak, Professor of Music (Viola), with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, September 23, 2024

Wood, Kevin, Associate Professor of Biophysics, with tenure, Associate Director, Department of Biophysics and Associate Professor of Physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, September 28, 2024

**Resigned**

Chakrabarti, Katherine H., Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, Medical School, September 2, 2024

Cropsey, John M., Clinical Instructor in Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, October 2, 2024

Hirshberg, Benjamin, Clinical Assistant Professor of Radiology, Medical School, October 2, 2024

Kattari, Leonardo P., Assistant Professor of Health and Human Services, College of Education, Health and Human Services, UM-Dearborn, July 31, 2024

Lewis, Sarah H., Clinical Assistant Professor of Pharmacy, College of Pharmacy, December 31, 2024

Richey, Lauren V., Clinical Assistant Professor of Anesthesiology, Medical School, November 30, 2024



Xu, Ying, Assistant Professor of Educational Studies, Marsal Family School of Education, August 31, 2024

Yablon, Corrie, Clinical Professor of Radiology, Medical School, November 22, 2024

**Retired**

Aaron, Richard L., Professor of Music (Cello), with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, December 31, 2024

Akingbehin, Kiumi, Professor of Computer and Information Science, with tenure, College of Engineering and Computer Science, UM-Dearborn, December 31, 2024

Carlos, Ruth C., Professor of Radiology, with tenure, Medical School, October 13, 2024

Connell, Cathleen M., Professor of Health Behavior and Health Equity, with tenure, School of Public Health, December 31, 2024

Furr, Bruce A., Clinical Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, Medical School, November 1, 2024

Gant, Larry M., Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Program Director, Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social Work and Professor of Art and Design, without tenure, Penny W Stamps School of Art and Design, December 31, 2024

Gerstner, Geoffrey E., Associate Professor of Dentistry, Department of Prosthodontics, with tenure, School of Dentistry, January 1, 2025

Mobley, Harry L. T., Frederick G Novy Distinguished University Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Frederick Novy Collegiate Professor and Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, with tenure, Medical School, September 30, 2024

Rizk, Raf S., Clinical Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, Medical School, October 30, 2024

Robinson, Terry E., Elliott S Valenstein Distinguished University Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience and Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, December 31, 2024

Schmidt, Carl, Clinical Professor of Pathology, Medical School, November 25, 2024

CANCELLATION OF REGENTS COMMUNICATIONS

Che, Clement C. H., Acting Chair, Department of Accounting, Finance, and International Business, School of Management, UM-Flint, effective July 1 – December 31, 2024, approved May 16, 2024. Cancelled.

Joseph, Channing G., Howard R Marsh Visiting Professor of Journalism, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective August 26, 2024 – April 30, 2025, approved July 18, 2024. Cancelled.

Peluse, Sarah, Associate Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2024, approved June 20, 2024. Cancelled.