

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
October 13, 2011

ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Recommendations for Honorary Degrees

Action Requested: Approval of Recommendations

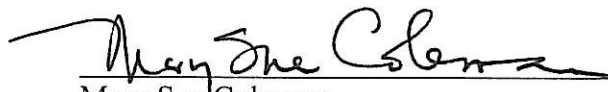
The Committee on Honorary Degrees has recommended that honorary degrees be awarded to the following individuals:

- **Jill Abramson**, Executive Editor, New York Times, *Doctor of Humane Letters*
- **Leslie Benet**, Biopharmaceutical Scientist, University of California, San Francisco, *Doctor of Science*
- **Nancy Cantor**, Chancellor, Syracuse University, *Doctor of Laws*
- **Robert Putnam**, Political Scientist, Professor, Harvard Kennedy School, *Doctor of Science*

All of these individuals will receive their honorary degrees at Winter 2011 Commencement.

We now submit these recommendations for your approval.

Respectfully submitted:



Mary Sue Coleman
President

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