

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
Regents Communication

ACTION REQUEST

Adopted by the Regents
December 17, 2009

Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement
Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir

Andrew K. Vine, M.D., C.M., professor of ophthalmology and visual sciences, in the Medical School, retired from active faculty status on October 2, 2009.

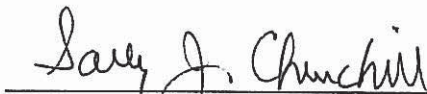
Dr. Vine received his B.Sc. and M.D., C.M. degrees from McGill University in 1968 and 1972, respectively. He completed an ocular pathology fellowship at McGill University (1974-75), his ophthalmology residency at the Royal Victoria Hospital, McGill University (1975-78), and a retinal diseases fellowship at the University of California, San Francisco (1979). He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor of ophthalmology in 1980, and was promoted to associate professor in 1986 and professor in 1994.

Dr. Vine has consistently displayed fine clinical judgment, an interest in high quality research, and a commitment to educating his trainees and peers. As a researcher, he has performed pioneering work in fluorophotometry as it applies to retinal conditions. In 1989, following six months in Paris studying thrombosis and fibrinolysis, he co-authored the paper, "The Role of Abnormalities in the Anticoagulant System and Fibrinolytic System in Retinal Vascular Occlusions," which was published in the *Survey of Ophthalmology* (1993). His long list of publications is an indication of the breadth of his knowledge about the diseases of the human retina.

Dr. Vine has engaged in numerous regional, national, and international activities as a teacher, clinician, and researcher. He has served as an associate examiner for the American Board of Ophthalmology and guest speaker at the prestigious International Society of Fluorescein Angiography, in Baden-Baden, Germany. He is a member of the American Academy of Ophthalmology, the Association for Research and Vision in Ophthalmology, the Michigan Ophthalmological Society, and the International Society of Ophthalmic Ultrasound. Dr. Vine received the Honor Award (1989) and the Senior Achievement Award (2002) from the American Academy of Ophthalmology, and continues to be listed in *The Best Doctors in America* and *America's Top Doctors for Cancer*.

The Regents salute this distinguished faculty member by naming **Andrew K. Vine professor emeritus of ophthalmology and visual sciences**.

Requested by:



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