

ADMINISTRATIVELY APPROVED NEW APPOINTMENTS
OF REGULAR INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF
January, 2007

Received by the Regents
January 18, 2007

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN – ANN ARBOR

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Biomedical Engineering

Mohamed E.H. El-Sayed, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Biomedical Engineering, effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2010, from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

Andrew M. Ladd, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2010, from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

Mechanical Engineering

Shorya Awtar, SC.D., Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering, effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2010, from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts

Kathleen H. Sienko, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering, effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2010, from the Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Molecular and Integrative Physiology

Michael M.A. Sutton, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Molecular and Integrative Physiology, effective November 15, 2006 to November 14, 2008, from the California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California

Psychiatry

Dimitre H. Dimitrov, Ph.D., Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, effective December 1, 2006 to August 31, 2007, from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

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MEDICAL SCHOOL (continued)

Surgery

Joseph F. Rappold, M.D., Clinical Associate Professor of General Surgery, effective November 20, 2006 to November 19, 2007, from the United States Navy, San Diego, California

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COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Mechanical Engineering

Bruce H. Karnopp, Ph.D., Associate Professor Emeritus of Mechanical Engineering,
effective September 1, 2006 to April 30, 2007

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Internal Medicine

Sumer Pek, M.D., Professor Emeritus of Internal Medicine, effective September 1, 2006
to August 31, 2007

Obstetrics and Gynecology

Rudi Ansbacher, M.D., Professor Emeritus of Obstetrics and Gynecology, effective
January 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007

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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Tabbye M. Chavous, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, on duty off campus leave effective September 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006 and sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to develop a book manuscript titled: “African-Americans in Higher Education” a study of race and gender interactions in educational settings through interdisciplinary literature review and analysis. Work will be done in Charlottesville, Virginia and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Eric L. Dey, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective September 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006 and duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to create an introductory textbook on quantitative methods in educational research and study student access and achievement based upon work completed for the University of Michigan Affirmative Action law suites. Work will be done in Palo Alto, California and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Roger D. Goddard, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to prepare a manuscript related to the study of school culture and instructional practice in elementary schools across Michigan. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

Andrew E. Yagle, Ph.D., Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, with tenure, on personal leave effective January 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007.

COLLEGE OF LITERATURE, SCIENCE, AND THE ARTS

Anthropology

Ruth Behar, Ph.D., Professor of Anthropology and Women’s Studies, with tenure, Department of Anthropology, on scholarly activity leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to conduct research on Jewish life since the economic crisis of 2002. Work will be done in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

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COLLEGE OF LITERATURE, SCIENCE, AND THE ARTS (continued)

Anthropology (continued)

Gillian Feeley-Harnik, Ph.D., Kathleen Gough Collegiate Professor of Anthropology and Professor of Anthropology, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to complete a book manuscript titled: “Intimate Immensities: Kinship and Ecology in Nineteenth Century Great Britain and America” a comparative study of kinship and ecology, religion and science in the lives of Charles Darwin and Lewis Henry Morgan. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Jennifer E. Robertson, Ph.D., Professor of Anthropology and Women’s Studies, with tenure, Department of Anthropology, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to develop a book manuscript on Japanese robotics and the history of biotechnology in Japan. Work will be done in Tokyo and Kyoto, Japan.

Asian Languages and Cultures

Madhav Deshpande, Ph.D., Professor of Sanskrit, with tenure, Department of Asian Languages and Cultures and Professor of Linguistics, with tenure, Program in Linguistics, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to edit and translate a seventeenth century Sanskrit text titled: “Vedavicara”, that deals with contemporary social and ritual relations between various caste groups in India. Work will be done in Pune, India.

Shuen-Fu Lin, Ph.D., Professor of Chinese Languages and Literatures, with tenure, Department of Asian Languages and Cultures, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to complete a book manuscript titled: “Inner Chapters” which constitutes the earliest and central portion of the ancient Chinese philosophical text Zhuangzi (aka Chuang Tzu). Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Chemistry

Gary D. Glick, Ph.D., Werner E Bachmann Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Biological Chemistry, without tenure, Medical School, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to research administering Bz-423 to autoimmune mice specifically to induce splenic lymphocyte apoptosis, which corresponds with less nephritis and improved survival. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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Chemistry (continued)

Mark E. Meyerhoff, Ph.D., Philip J Elving Collegiate Professor of Chemistry and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to research developing nitric oxide releasing and generating polymers for biomedical applications. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Communication Studies

W. Russell Neuman, Ph.D., John Derby Evans Professor of Media Technology and Professor of Communication Studies, with tenure, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to complete a book manuscript. Work will be done in Stanford, California.

Nojin Kwak, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Communication Studies, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to research political effects of non-traditional channels of political communication, such as late night talk shows and new communications technologies. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Robin R. Means Coleman, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Communication Studies, with tenure and Associate Professor of Afro-American and African Studies, with tenure, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to research two book manuscripts. Work will be done in New York, New York and Los Angeles, California.

Comparative Literature

Christi A. Merrill, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Comparative Literature and Assistant Professor of Asian Languages and Cultures, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to revise a book manuscript titled: “Memory with an Active Verb”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

Priscilla K. Tucker, Ph.D., Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to develop single nucleotide polymorphisms to allow my research group to delve at a very fine scale into genetics of reproductive isolation between species of house mice. Work will be done in Cambridge, Massachusetts and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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English Language and Literature

David M. Halperin, Ph.D., W H Auden Collegiate Professor of the History and Theory of Sexuality, Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure and Professor of Comparative Literature, without tenure, on scholarly activity leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to write a book manuscript about gay male sexuality titled: "A Collective Social Phenomenon". Work will be done in Paris, France.

Peter H. Davies, M.A., Associate Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to research and write a new book manuscript. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Kerry C. Larson, Ph.D., Associate Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to continue working on a book manuscript. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Xiomara A. Santamarina, Ph.D., Associate Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure and Associate Professor of Afro-American Literature, with tenure, Center for Afro-American and African Studies, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007 to research a book manuscript titled: "Race, Class and Respectability". Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Geological Sciences

Maria C. Cruz Da Silva, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Geological Sciences, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to develop a methodology to sample water for noble gas analyses in the oceanic crust as well as to plan a future sampling campaign in mid-ocean ridge areas. Work will be done in Paris, France, Santa Cruz, California and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

History

Rudi P. Lindner, Ph.D., Professor of History, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to complete research on the development of astrophysics at teaching institutions in the United States in the 1920's and 1930's. Work will be done in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

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History (continued)

Kali A K. Israel, Ph.D., Associate Professor of History, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to complete a book manuscript on the twentieth century uses of nineteenth century figures. Work will be done in London, Oxford and Edinburgh, England.

Mathematics

Trachette L. Jackson, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to develop mathematical approaches to better understand biochemical and mechanical process associated with tumor angiogenesis. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Physics

Katherine Freese, Ph.D., Professor of Physics, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to complete a two book manuscripts titled: “The People and the Law” and “From Poverty to Perversity”. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Jens C. Zorn, Ph.D., Professor of Physics, with tenure, on retirement furlough effective November 7, 2006 to May 31, 2009. Phased.

Political Science

Daniel H. Levine, Ph.D., James Orin Murfin Professor of Political Science and Professor of Political Science, with tenure, on scholarly activity leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to be a visiting scholar at the Kellogg Institute at the University of Notre Dame and work on a book manuscript on religion and politics in Latin America. Work will be done in Notre Dame, Indiana.

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Psychology

Donna K. Nagata, Ph.D., Professor of Psychology, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to write a journal article on historical legacies in understanding contemporary psychological functioning and develop a new research proposal focused on identifying subjective experiences of distress among Asian Americans and their coping strategies for dealing with such distress. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Norbert W. Schwarz, Dr. Phil., Professor of Psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Professor of Business, without tenure, Stephen M Ross School of Business, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to research cross cultural experiments on context effects in self reports of attitudes and behavior, suggesting that language serves as a prime for cultural reasoning patterns. Work will be done in Hong Kong, China.

David G. Winter, Ph.D., Professor of Psychology, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to research roles of expressed and perceived power motivation in conflict escalation, generative historical consciousness in taming power and power drives and attitudes about various social and political issues, and several cognate psychological concepts. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Laura P. Kohn-Wood, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Psychology, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to research a book manuscript on ethnic and gender variation in psychopathology and adoption and identity. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Residential College

Laura K. Kasischke, M.F.A, Assistant Professor of Residential College and Assistant Professor of English Language and Literature, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to complete a collection of poems and publish a book manuscript. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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Romance Languages and Literatures

George P. Hoffmann, Ph.D., Associate Professor of French, with tenure, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to complete a book manuscript and continue working on a commissioned biography. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Sociology

George P. Steinmetz, Ph.D., Professor of Sociology, with tenure and Professor of Germanic Languages and Literatures, with tenure, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to be a visiting professor in social science at the Ecole des Hautes Etudes. Work will be done in Paris, France.

Genevieve Zubrzycki, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Sociology, on duty off campus leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to perform research for a new project. Work will be done in Montreal, Canada and Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Statistics

Kerby A. Shedden, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Statistics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and Associate Professor of Biostatistics, without tenure, School of Public Health, on sabbatical leave effective January 1, 2007 to May 31, 2007, to continue research on cheminformatics and genetic models for behavioral traits. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Donna L. Algase, Ph.D., Josephine Sana Collegiate Professor of Nursing and Professor of Nursing, with tenure, on sabbatical leave effective September 1, 2006 to May 31, 2007, to research and evaluate the social environment of dementia care settings and wandering behavior of people with dementia in long term care settings. Work will be done in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

CORRECTION TO
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Slavic Languages and Literatures

Jindrich Toman, Dr. Phil., Professor of Slavic Languages and Literatures, with tenure, on duty off campus leave effective September 1, 2006 to May 31, 2007. Previously reported as duty off campus leave effective September 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006.

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SCHOOL OF ART AND DESIGN

Jon N. Rush, M.F.A., Professor of Art, with tenure, retired after 44 years of service, effective December 31, 2006

Takeshi Takahara, M.A., Arthur F Thurnau Professor and Professor of Art, with tenure, retired after 23 years of service, effective December 31, 2006

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Cell and Developmental Biology

John M. Velkey, M.S., Clinical Lecturer in Cell and Developmental Biology, appointment completed after 1 year of service, effective August 31, 2006

Internal Medicine

Nicholas Balaji, M.D., Clinical Lecturer in Internal Medicine, appointment completed after 4 years of service, effective June 30, 2007

Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences

Randy A. Karger, M.D., Clinical Lecturer in Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences, resigned after 5 months of service, effective November 30, 2006, to accept a position with the Cambridge Medical Center, Cambridge, Minnesota

Radiology

Lawrence R. Kuhns, M.D., Professor of Radiology, with tenure, retired after 13 years of service, effective December 31, 2006