VI. REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT

A. University Update

B. Approval of Tenure

Madam Secretary, please read the resolution.

The individual recommended for hire with tenure at the current rank of Associate Professor has gone through a thorough and effective process, beginning with the department level, the college(s), the dean(s), and approved by the Provost before being presented to the Board. Faculty with associate professorial rank have also been reviewed by the University Promotion and Tenure Committee.

The following will be effective September 18, 2020.

Tenure at the Current Rank of Associate Professor

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

Elizabeth Talbot, Ph.D.                    Social Work

MR. GUNLOCK: Is there a motion to adopt the resolution?

Moved by: 
Do I have a second? By:

Discussion?
Hearing none, Madam Secretary, please call the roll.

Ayes __________ No’s __________ Abstain __________

The Aye’s/No’s have it, the motion is approved/fails.

C. Confirmation of Academic & Administrative Appointments and Changes

Faculty New Hires

Jay R. Bernstein, M.D., has been appointed Assistant Professor, Emergency Medicine, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective May 1, 2020.
Katelyn J. Booher, D.O., has been appointed Assistant Professor, Medicine, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective August 1, 2020.

Danielle Gainer, M.D., has been appointed Assistant Professor, Psychiatry, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 1, 2020.

Kari S. Harper, M.D., has been appointed Assistant Professor, Psychiatry, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 1, 2020.

Melissa Renee Holmes, B.A., has been appointed STEM School Faculty, Dayton Regional STEM School, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 1, 2020.

Jinhwan Jo, Ph.D., has been appointed Assistant Professor, Management, Raj Soin College of Business, effective August 1, 2020.

Kyre D. Lahtinen, Ph.D., has been appointed Assistant Professor, Finance, Raj Soin College of Business, effective August 1, 2020.

Jean Michael Lamoine, M.Phil., has been appointed Instructor, Modern Languages, College of Liberal Arts, effective August 1, 2020.

Keith M. Reisinger-Kindle, D.O., has been appointed Instructor, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 20, 2020.

Elizabeth Peffer Talbot, M.S.W., Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor and Chair, Social Work, College of Liberal Arts, effective July 1, 2020.

Neisha Ginae Wiley, Ph.D., has been appointed Instructor, Social Work, College of Liberal Arts, effective August 1, 2020.

**Faculty Promotions**

Christa Preston Agiro, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Teacher Education, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 1, 2020.

Kuppuswamy Arumugam, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Chemistry, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Scott Baird, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor and Chair, Biological Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective July 1, 2020.

Tanvi Banerjee, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Computer Science, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective August 1, 2020.
Craig M. Baudendistel, Ph.D., has been appointed Lecturer, Mechanical and Materials Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective August 1, 2020.

Mindy Rose Bettinger, M.Ed., M.A., has been appointed Lecturer, Lake Campus, effective August 1, 2020.

Chad Campbell, Ph.D., has been appointed Lecturer, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Jeffrey A. Cigrang, Ph.D., ABPP, has been appointed Professor, School of Professional Psychology, effective July 1, 2020.

Travis Brady Clark, Ph.D., has been appointed Lecturer, Chemistry, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

John Alie Conteh, Ed.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Human Services, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 1, 2020.

Amy Elizabeth Elston, Ph.D., has been appointed Lecturer, Teacher Education, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 1, 2020.

Amir Abbas Farajian, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Mechanical and Materials Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective August 1, 2020.

Joshua D. Francis, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Human Services, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 1, 2020.

Mindy Fulks, B.S., M.S., has been appointed Lecturer, Lake Campus, effective August 1, 2020.

Subhashini Ganapathy, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor and Chair, Biomedical, Industrial, and Human Factors Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective August 1, 2020.

Pamela Garverick, Ph.D., has been appointed Lecturer, Psychology, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Stephen Forest Gorman, Ph.D., has been appointed Lecturer, Electrical Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective August 1, 2020.

Elizabeth Ashley Hall, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, English Language and Literatures, College of Liberal Arts, effective August 1, 2020.
Assaf Harel, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Psychology, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

John R. Haught, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, English Language and Literatures, College of Liberal Arts, effective August 1, 2020.

Stacey Hundley, Ph.D., has been appointed Senior Lecturer, Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Stephen Jacquemin, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Lake Campus, effective August 1, 2020.

Shulin Ju, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Biological Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Leonard Kenyon, M.A.T., has been appointed Lecturer, Biological Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Lisa Orvik Kenyon, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Biological Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Naila Khalil, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Population and Public Health Sciences, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 1, 2020.

Brenda Elaine Kraner, Ph.D., has been appointed Senior Lecturer, Leadership Studies in Education, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 1, 2020.

Hong Lee, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Finance, Raj Soin College of Business, effective August 1, 2020.

Yi-Hui Lee, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Nursing, College of Nursing and Health, effective August 1, 2020.

Renard Marcano, M.B.A., has been appointed Lecturer, Communications, College of Liberal Arts, effective August 1, 2020.

Audrey McGowin, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Chemistry, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Ginger R. Minneman, B.M., has been appointed Lecturer, Music, College of Liberal Arts, effective August 1, 2020.

Michelle Newsome, M.Ed., M.S., has been appointed Lecturer, Chemistry, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.
Leslie Nicole Neyland-Brown, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Human Services, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 1, 2020.

Ioana Emilia Pavel, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Chemistry, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Jeffrey Peters, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Biological Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Drew Pringle, Ed.D., FASCM, has been appointed Professor and Chair, Kinesiology and Health, College of Education and Human Services, effective July 1, 2020.

Saiyu Ren, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Electrical Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective August 1, 2020.

Vance McMillian Saunders, M.S., has been appointed Lecturer, Computer Science, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective August 1, 2020.

Jeremiah A. Schumm, Ph.D., ABPP, has been appointed Professor, School of Professional Psychology, effective July 1, 2020.

Courtney Wayne Simons, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Lake Campus, effective August 1, 2020.

Patrick Sonner, Ph.D., has been appointed Lecturer, Neuroscience, Cell Biology, and Physiology, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Raghavan Srinivasan, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor and Chair, Mechanical and Materials Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective August 1, 2020.

Keiichiro Susuki, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, NeuroSci Cell Bio Physiology-SOM, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective August 1, 2020.

Sarah Tebbins has been appointed Professor, Physics, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Geoffrey D. Towers, M.D, has been appointed Associate Professor, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 1, 2020.

Jinju Wang, Ph.D., has been appointed Research Assistant Professor, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 1, 2020.
Doyle Watts, Ph.D., has been appointed Professor, Earth and Environmental Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

Ann Marie Welch, M.A., has been appointed Lecturer, Human Services, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 1, 2020.

Quan Zhong, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, Biological Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective August 1, 2020.

**Faculty Separations**

James Anthony Adamitis, Ph.D., Senior Lecturer, Sociology and Anthropology, College of Liberal Arts, effective June 30, 2020.

Beth Basista, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Physics, College of Science and Mathematics, effective June 30, 2020.

Robert G. Carlson, Ph.D., Professor, Population and Public Health Sciences, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective April 30, 2020.


Sally Anne DeThomas, M.A., Senior Lecturer, English Language and Literatures, College of Liberal Arts, effective June 30, 2020.

Stephanie Dickey, M.A., Senior Lecturer, English Language and Literatures, College of Liberal Arts, effective June 30, 2020.

Melinda Diesslin, M.S., Senior Lecturer, Mathematics and Statistics, College of Science and Mathematics, effective June 30, 2020.

Haili Du, M.B.A., B.S., Senior Lecturer, Modern Languages, College of Liberal Arts, effective June 30, 2020.

Jarhal Duncan, M.S.W., Instructor, Family Medicine, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective June 30, 2020.

Margaret M. Dunn, M.D., Professor, Surgery, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 31, 2020.

Frank Eguaroje, Ph.D., Senior Lecturer, Sociology and Anthropology, College of Liberal Arts, effective July 31, 2020.

Elliot Gaines, Ph.D., Professor, Communications, College of Liberal Arts, effective June 30, 2020.

David Goldstein, Ph.D., Professor and Chair, Biological Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective June 30, 2020.

David Grossie, Ph.D., Associate Professor and Chair, Chemistry, College of Science and Mathematics, effective June 30, 2020.

Daniel Ketcha, Ph.D., Professor, Chemistry, College of Science and Mathematics, effective June 30, 2020.

Jerri Killian, Ph.D., Professor, School of Public and International Affairs, College of Liberal Arts, effective June 30, 2020.

Myron Levine, Ph.D., Professor, School of Public and International Affairs, College of Liberal Arts, effective June 30, 2020.

Stuart McDowell, Ph.D., Professor, Theatre Arts, College of Liberal Arts, effective June 30, 2020.

Mill Miller, Ph.D., Professor, Biological Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective June 30, 2020.

Penny Park, M.F.A., Associate Professor, Art and Art History, College of Liberal Arts, effective June 30, 2020.

Nicholas V. Reo, Ph.D., Professor and Vice Chair for Education, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective June 30, 2020.

Michelle Sampson, M.F.A., Visiting Assistant Professor, Theatre Arts, College of Liberal Arts, effective July 31, 2020.

Thomas E Skinner, Ph.D., Professor, Physics, College of Science and Mathematics, effective June 30, 2020.

Mark M. Suazo, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Management, Raj Soin College of Business, effective June 30, 2020.

Thomas Svobodny, Ph.D., Professor, Mathematics and Statistics, College of Science and Mathematics, effective June 30, 2020.
Robert J. Sweeney, Ph.D., Professor, Finance, Raj Soin College of Business, effective July 31, 2020.

Janz Timothy, M.D., Professor, Emergency Medicine, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective June 30, 2020.

James H. Tomlin, Ed.D., Professor and Associate Dean, College of Education and Human Services, effective June 30, 2020.


Mary T. White, Ph.D., Professor, Population and Public Health Sciences, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective June 30, 2020.

Jerome L. Yaklic, M.D., Associate Professor and Chair, Associate Dean for Clinical Affairs, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective June 5, 2020.

Donna Zengel, M.S., Clinical Instructor, Nursing, College of Nursing and Health, effective June 30, 2020.

**Unclassified New Hires**

Kyla Arroyo, M.A., has been appointed Disability and STEM Resource Specialist, Chief Diversity Office, effective May 4, 2020.

Benjamin Bengfort, Ph.D., has been appointed WSRI Research Scientist, Wright State Research Institute, effective June 15, 2020.

Christina Elise Borchers, M.D., has been appointed Research Associate, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 6, 2020.

Angela Castle, M.A., has been appointed Program Director, Health Care Transformation, Family Medicine, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 1, 2020.

Amanda Christensen, Ph.D., has been appointed Senior Research Scientist, Wright State Research Institute, effective July 20, 2020.

Natasha Lynette Day has been appointed Health Services Coordinator, Dayton Regional STEM School, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 17, 2020.
Paul Dungan, B.S., has been appointed WSRI Contract Specialist, Wright State Research Institute, effective July 6, 2020.

Robert Frederick Durkle, M.Ed., has been appointed Chief Recruitment and Admissions Officer, Enrollment Management Division, effective June 1, 2020.

Daniel Foose, M.S., has been appointed WSRI Data Scientist, Wright State Research Institute, effective May 4, 2020.

Kathleen Gilpin, Ph.D, has been appointed APEX Chief Scientist, Wright State Research Institute, effective June 15, 2020.

Leon M. Hardin, M.B.A., has been appointed Project Manager, Substance Abuse Resources and Disabilities Issues Program (SARDI), Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective June 1, 2020.

Danielle Marie Heeter, M.S., has been appointed Academic Services Director, Dean’s Office, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective April 20, 2020.

Tara D. Hill, M.S., has been appointed Administrative Assistant, Dayton Regional STEM School, College of Education and Human Services, effective August 6, 2020.

David Karlsberger has been appointed Wright Copy Supervisor, Computing and Telecommunications Services, effective July 1, 2020.

John Kovachich, B.S., has been appointed WSRI Senior Research Analyst, Wright State Research Institute, effective July 6, 2020.

Olivia Kriel, B.S., has been appointed WSRI Talent Specialist, Wright State Research Institute, effective July 20, 2020.

Othalia Larue, Ph.D., has been appointed WSRI Senior Systems Engineer, Wright State Research Institute, effective July 20, 2020.

Darrell Lochtefeld, Ph.D., has been appointed APEX Chief Scientist, Wright State Research Institute, effective May 26, 2020.

Lauren A. MacGregor, B.S., has been appointed Admissions Recruiter, Undergraduate Admissions, Enrollment Management Division, effective June 15, 2020.

Whitney McAllister, B.S., has been appointed Director, Human Research Protection Program, Research and Sponsored Programs, effective May 4, 2020.
Wallace Neikirk, B.S., has been appointed Systems Analyst, Computing and Telecommunications Services, effective May 1, 2020.

Pike Pernsteiner has been appointed WSRI Intelligence Research Analyst, Wright State Research Institute, effective July 1, 2020.

David Rude, Ph.D., has been appointed APEX Director of Education and Training, Wright State Research Institute, effective August 17, 2020.

Amanda Smith, M.M., has been appointed WSRI Executive Assistant, Wright State Research Institute, effective June 15, 2020.

Rhonda Jean Vickery, Ph.D., has been appointed Research Scientist, Electrical Engineering, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective April 20, 2020.

Samantha Warren, A.A.S., has been appointed Multimedia Director, Center for Teaching and Learning, effective July 6, 2020.

Mary Williams, Ed.D., has been appointed APEX Director of Creativity and Innovation, Wright State Research Institute, effective July 6, 2020.

**Unclassified Promotions**

Lindsey Rae Bedford, B.S., has been appointed College Enrollment Coordinator, Raj Soin College of Business Admin, effective August 3, 2020.

Sean M. Culley, J.D., has been appointed Associate General Counsel, Office of General Counsel, effective May 1, 2020.

Diana L. France, B.A., has been appointed Accountant, VP-Business and Fiscal Affairs, effective May 1, 2020.

Joan A Hendricks, M.Ed., has been appointed Coordinator of Orientation, Student Academic Success Center, effective April 1, 2020.

Mary Jean Henry, A.A., has been appointed Assistant Vice President, Corporate and Community Relations, University Development, effective September 1, 2019.

Mary Cecily Holland, Ph.D., has been appointed University Registrar, Office of the Registrar, effective August 12, 2020.

Rene Kaas Jewett, M.A., has been appointed Enrollment Services Coordinator, Enrollment Management Division, effective June 8, 2020.
Molly C. Johnson, A.D., has been appointed STEM Senior Data Reporting Specialist, Dayton Regional STEM School, College of Education and Human Services, effective May 1, 2020.

Paige Nicollette Smith, B.S.B., has been appointed Admissions Events Program Manager, Undergraduate Admissions, Enrollment Management Division, effective June 1, 2020.

Nita Louise Teeters, MBA, M.S.Ed., has been appointed Associate Registrar, Student Academic Services and Operations, Office of the Registrar, effective July 1, 2020.

**Unclassified Separations**

Walter J. Branson, M.S.I.A., Vice President for Finance and Operations and Chief Business Officer, President Administration, effective April 15, 2020.

Ryan M. Centini, D.V.M., Clinical Veterinarian, Research Affairs, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 14, 2020.

Larry Y. Chan, J.D., Vice President for Legal Affairs and General Counsel, Office of General Counsel, effective June 30, 2020.

David A. Cherolis, Simulation Center Technician, Emergency Medicine, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective April 3, 2020.


Lisa M. Danner, B.S., Administrative Assistant, STEM School, College of Education and Human Services, effective June 12, 2020.


Justin Paul Fiehrer, B.A., Admissions Events Program Manager, Undergraduate Admissions, Enrollment Management Division, effective May 13, 2020.

Jackie Frederick, Director, Pre-Award, Research and Sponsored Programs, Research and Sponsored Programs, effective April 30, 2020.

Paige Fruechtnicht-Ponchak, Galleries Coordinator, University Art Galleries, College of Liberal Arts, effective July 13, 2020.

Angela Jean Griffith, M.S., Assistant Dean, Academic Affairs, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective January 20, 2020.


Rebekah J. Hutcherson, B.S., Research Assistant, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 15, 2020.

Delores A. James, B.S., Director of Major Gifts, Office of Advancement, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective June 30, 2020.

Christopher Jones, Men’s Basketball Coach, Lake Campus, effective April 10, 2020.
Daniel R. Kelly, B.S.J., Writer and Editor, Marketing and Communications, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 17, 2020.


Connor Patrick Morris, Research Apprentice, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective March 6, 2020.


Jeanne M. Schlater, A.S., Program Coordinator, Faculty and Clinical Affairs, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective April 16, 2020.

Angela Susan Shoen, B.S.N., Clinical Trials Manager, Clinical Trials Research Alliance-SOM, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 6, 2020.

Martha J. Sonner, B.S., Research Associate, Neuroscience, Cell Biology, and Physiology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 19, 2020.


David E. Toller, M.S., Program Manager for Life Coaching, Counseling and Wellness Services, effective June 30, 2020.

Jeremy P. Trim, Network Administrator, Population and Public Health Sciences, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective July 14, 2020.

Stephanie J. Van Meeveren, M.S., Research Program Manager, Psychiatry, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective June 30, 2020.

Wray D. VanVoorhis, B.S., Associate Director, Residence Life and Housing, effective March 31, 2020.

Diana Whatmough, WSRI Senior Subcontracts Administrator, Wright State Research Institute, effective March 3, 2020.

Tetyana Zhelay, Ph.D., Postdoctoral Researcher, Neuroscience, Cell Biology, and Physiology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective June 30, 2020.

**Classified New Hires**

Mark T. Alderman has been appointed Maintenance Worker, Physical Plant, Facilities Management and Services, effective April 6, 2020.
**Classified Promotions**

Julie D. Perry has been appointed Casualty Prevention Worker, Physical Plant, Facilities Management and Services, effective May 2 2020.

Danielle Quach has been appointed Grounds Maintenance Worker 2, Grounds Maintenance, Facilities Management and Services, effective April 4, 2020.

**Classified Separations**


Kurt T. Klaus, B.B.A., Administrative Support Coordinator, School of Professional Psychology, effective July 1, 2020.

Kevin J. Long, Police Officer, University Police Department, Student Affairs, effective June 10, 2020.


Madam Secretary, please read the resolution.

RESOLVED that the academic and administrative appointments, changes, retirement, departmental reporting, resignations and terminations submitted to this meeting be, and the same hereby are approved.

MR. GUNLOCK: Is there a motion to adopt the resolution?

Moved by:
Do I have a second? By:

Discussion? I would to ask that each Board Member review these names and confirm that you do not have a conflict. If so, we can remove that name and vote on that person independently.

Hearing none, Madam Secretary, please call the roll.

Ayes _________ No’s _________ Abstain _________

The Aye’s/No’s have it, the motion is approved/fails.

D. Report of Investments

Since the last Board meeting, the investment report for July 31, 2020 has been received. This report has been distributed to the Trustees and will be filed with the official Board of Trustees’ records.

E. Ratification of Contracts and Grants

Madam Secretary, please read the resolution.

Wright State University ended its fiscal year 2020 with a total of $103,495,187 in external funding representing 333 awards.

Recent funding received by the University includes $511,437 from Ohio Department of Higher Education to Dr. Raghu Srinivasan (Mechanical and Materials Engineering Department) to purchase equipment for additive and robotic manufacturing that will be used to develop curriculum for hands-on advanced manufacturing education to the next generation of the manufacturing workforce.
RESOLVED that the contracts and grants submitted to this meeting be, and the same hereby are ratified.

MR. GUNLOCK: Is there a motion to adopt the resolution? Moved by: Do I have a second? By:

Discussion? Hearing none, Madam Secretary, please call the roll.

Ayes _________ No’s _________ Abstain _________

The Aye’s/No’s have it, the motion is approved/fails.