IX. REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT

A. University Update

B. Approval of December Graduates

Winter commencement will be held on Saturday, December 17, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. in Wright State University’s Nutter Center.

Section 1.03 of the Wright State University Code of Regulations provides that the Board of Trustees shall grant degrees to qualified graduates after due consideration of nominations by the faculty.

Since applications for degrees are accepted in advance, the recommendation is made that changes in the list to correct errors and to add or delete names of persons who unexpectedly will or will not meet all requirements for graduation is permitted. A list of Fall 2016 degrees follows, along with comparison figures for Fall 2015.

Fall 2016 Commencement
July and December 2016 Graduating Students

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*Prepared by the Office of the Registrar*

November 28, 2016

**RESOLUTION 17-**

RESOLVED that the candidates for degrees for July and December 2016 be and hereby are confirmed and approved.

Mr. Bridges: I offer this Motion:
Do I have a Second:
Roll Call Vote:
C. Confirmation of Academic and Administrative Appointments and Changes

Faculty New Hires

Rajendra D. Badgaiyan, M.D., has been appointed Professor, Psychiatry, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 1, 2016.

Eric S. Bennett, Ph.D., has been appointed Chair and Professor, Neuroscience, Cell Biology, and Physiology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 1, 2016.

Kwang-Jin Cho, Ph.D., has been appointed Assistant Professor, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 1, 2016.

Andrew R. Ednie, Ph.D., has been appointed Research Assistant Professor, Neuroscience, Cell Biology, and Physiology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 1, 2016.

Douglas W. Leaman, Ph.D., has been appointed Dean and Professor, College of Science and Mathematics, effective October 1, 2016.

Melissa P. Roelle, M.D., has been appointed Director and Assistant Professor, Surgery, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 1, 2016.

Jeremiah A. Schumm, Ph.D., has been appointed Associate Professor, School of Professional Psychology, effective October 1, 2016.

Geoffrey D. Towers, M.D., has been appointed Assistant Professor, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 1, 2016.

Faculty Separations

Gary A. Mueller, M.D., Associate Professor, Pediatrics, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 31, 2016.

Long Qu, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Mathematics and Statistics, College of Science and Mathematics, effective November 15, 2016.

Samantha S. Sandlin, M.D., Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 31, 2016.

Unclassified New Hires

Stacey M. Callahan, B.A., has been appointed Program Coordinator, Nursing, College of
Nursing and Health, effective September 6, 2016.

Gwendolyn J. Cooper, B.S., has been appointed Community Health Advocate, Community Health, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective September 7, 2016.

Elyse M. Detling, B.S., has been appointed Research Coordinator, Office of the Vice President for Research, effective September 1, 2016.

Jamison L. Espino has been appointed Athletic Equipment Manager, Intercollegiate Athletics, effective November 1, 2016.

Pamela S. Flippin, B.S., has been appointed Financial Aid Analyst, Enrollment Management Division, effective October 17, 2016.

Amie N. Freeman, A.S., has been appointed Administrative Assistant, Population and Public Health Sciences, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 17, 2016.

Chelsie W. Fuller, M.S.E., has been appointed Academic Advisor and Recruiter, Nursing, College of Nursing and Health, effective September 6, 2016.

Kelli J. Haley, M.Ed., has been appointed Academic Advisor/Recruiter, College of Nursing and Health, effective October 17, 2016.

Carl W. Hartman has been appointed Community Health Advocate, Population and Public Health Sciences, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective September 6, 2016.

Selvakumar Jayaraman, Ph.D., has been appointed Postdoctoral Research Assistant, Chemistry, College of Science and Mathematics, effective September 9, 2016.

Jessica L. Kelbley, M.S., has been appointed Academic Advisor, University College, effective September 26, 2016.

Daniel R. Kelly, B.S.J., has been appointed Writer and Editor, Marketing and Communications, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 21, 2016.

Kalyani I. Mateti, B.S., has been appointed Administrative Assistant, Business Office, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 7, 2016.

Sherri L. Maxwell Nickel, M.S., has been appointed HR Business Partner, Human Resources, effective November 1, 2016.

Avery M. Moeller, B.S., has been appointed Research Assistant and Interviewer, Center for Intervention, Treatment, and Addictions Research, Population and Public Health Sciences, effective November 7, 2016.
Mark A. Robey has been appointed Help Desk Support Technician, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective November 1, 2016.

Stephen D. Rosencrantz, M.S., has been appointed Research Scientist, Wright State Research Institute, effective September 19, 2016.

Mariateresa Sestito, Ph.D., has been appointed Postdoctoral Researcher, Psychology, College of Science and Mathematics, effective October 17, 2016.

Michelle M. Spurlock, B.S., has been appointed Program Director, Family Medicine, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 7, 2016.

Christopher M. Stein, M.Ed., has been appointed Academic Technology Analyst, Office of Medical Education, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 14, 2016.

William T Stolz, M.A., has been appointed Archivist for Reference and Outreach, P.L.Dunbar Library, effective October 24, 2016.

Deanna C. Terelle, B.S., has been appointed Director of External Engagement, Intercollegiate Athletics, effective November 3, 2016.

Babek Vazifehkhahghaffari, Ph.D., has been appointed Postdoctoral Researcher, Neuroscience, Cell Biology, and Physiology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 13, 2016.

Joyce Winters, M.Ed., has been appointed Academic Advisor, University College, effective October 11, 2016.

Michal J. Wozniak, Ph.D., has been appointed Research Assistant, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 17, 2016.

Mary A. Zoeller has been appointed Administrative Assistant, Center for Intervention, Treatment, and Addictions Research, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 7, 2016.

**Unclassified Promotions**

William R. Allen has been appointed IT Services Manager, Computing and Telecommunications Services, effective September 1, 2016.

Catherine M. Anderson, B.S., has been appointed IT Trainer and Communications Coordinator, Computing and Telecommunications Services, effective September 1, 2016.
Lee A. Bradfield has been appointed Administrative Assistant, College of Nursing and Health, effective November 19, 2016.

Mary L. Crane, M.B.A., has been appointed Project Coordinator, Family Medicine, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 12, 2016.

Melissa D. DeButz, M.Ed., has been appointed Career Advisor, Career Center, effective October 1, 2016.

Leigh A. Duncan, M.Lis, has been appointed Head of Library Computing Services, P.L. Dunbar Library, effective October 15, 2016.

Linda Ann Helentjaris, B.T.A.S., has been appointed Assistant to the Dean, Lake Campus, effective October 22, 2016.

Jennifer L. McCamis, B.S., has been appointed Director of Admissions and Enrollment, Enrollment Management Division, effective November 1, 2016.

Jamie J. Norris, B.S., has been appointed Director, Auxiliary Services, Business and Administration, effective October 5, 2016.

Bonita A. Owens, B.S., has been appointed Business and Operations Manager, Population and Public Health Sciences, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 22, 2016.

Sue M Polanka, M.Lis, has been appointed Associate University Librarian, P.L. Dunbar Library, effective September 1, 2016.

Andrew Martin Rouhier, M.B.A., has been appointed Associate Director, Financial Aid Compliance, Financial Aid, effective October 1, 2016.

Amanda C. Shannon, M.A., M.S.L.S., has been appointed Head of Reference and Instruction, P.L. Dunbar Library, effective November 1, 2016.

Lora B. Sidor, B.S., CPA, CFE, ACDA, has been appointed Assistant Director, University Audit and Consulting Services, Office of the President, effective October 10, 2016.

Aaron M. Skira, B.A., has been appointed Assistant Director, Institutional Research, Office of the President, effective October 1, 2016.

Nita Teeters, M.S., has been appointed Assistant Registrar, Office of the Registrar, effective November 8, 2016.
Kelli S. Tittle, J.D., has been appointed Director of Compliance, Office of the President, effective November 1, 2016.

Amber Nicole Todd, Ph.D., has been appointed Director of Assessment, Medical Education, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 1, 2016.

Rebecca Traxler, B.S., has been appointed Executive Assistant to the Provost, Office of the Provost, effective October 1, 2016.

**Unclassified Separations**

Dan Abrahamowicz, Ph.D., Vice President, Student Affairs, effective September 30, 2016.


Mahmoud S. Alghamri, Ph.D., Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Biological Sciences, College of Science and Mathematics, effective September 27, 2016.

Theresa M. Almond, Senior Graphihc Designer, Office of Marketing, Office of the President, effective September 30, 2016.

Anthonie N. Arbino, M.Ed., Academic Advisor, University College, effective November 18, 2016.


Ivory M. Berry, Ph.D., Associate Director of Retention and Student Success, College of Science and Mathematics Administration, effective September 5, 2016.


Mildred J. Biggers, B.A., Program Coordinator, Dean's Office, College of Nursing and Health, effective September 30, 2016.

Sarah J. Colwell, M.A., Psychology Doctoral Intern, Counseling and Wellness Services, Student Affairs, effective June 30, 2016.

Adam Cone, A.A.S., System Administrator, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective October 21, 2016.

Michael T. Corbett, Project Manager, Business Logistics and Purchasing, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 6, 2016.

Edward F. Dalton, Program Coordinator, Office of the President, effective September 30, 2016.

Elaine W Davis, B.S., Grants Accountant, Research and Sponsored Programs, effective November 30, 2016.

Janet S. Denman, Costumer, Theatre Arts, College of Liberal Arts, effective September 30, 2016.

Hongbin Dong, Ph.D., Research Associate, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 25, 2016.

Larry Dosser, Ph.D., Sr. Fellow Technical Advancement, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective November 30, 2016.


Christopher R. Felts, Manager, Materials Management, Business Services, effective September 30, 2016.

Cynthia F. Fleck, B.S., Remedial Coordinator, University College, effective September 30, 2016.

Hanna M. Gabriel, M.S., Research Associate, Neuroscience, Cell Biology, and Physiology, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective September 23, 2016.


Jeremy R. Geaslen, B.S.M.E., Program Manager, Wright State Research Institute, effective September 23, 2016.

Sandra S. Gilbert, Scholarship Coordinator, Lake Campus, effective September 30, 2016.
Randall F. Green, B.S., Computer Programmer, Psychology, College of Science and Mathematics, effective September 30, 2016.


Diane S. Hamilton, Assistant to the Dean, College of Nursing and Health, effective November 30, 2016.

Gheretta Harris, M.B.A., Executive Director, Business Services Administration, effective October 19, 2016.


Vicki S. Hilderbrand, Assistant to the Vice President, Facilities Management and Services, effective November 4, 2016.

Sandra L. Hunley, Business Manager, Advancement Services, effective September 30, 2016.

Lucy A. Hutchinson, M.B.A., Business and Operations Manager, Community Health, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective September 30, 2016.

Amy D Johnson, M.Ed., Associate Director Graduate Admissions, Graduate School, effective November 30, 2016.


Jing Po Kau, Senior Programmer Analyst, Computing and Telecommunications Services, effective November 30, 2016.

Steven B. Kiss, M.S., Human Factors Engineer, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 6, 2016.


Robert L. Kretzer, Director, Parking and Transportation, effective November 30, 2016.

John W. McCance, B.A., Advisor to the Executive Vice President, Office of the President, effective September 21, 2016.
Aaron N. Miller, B.A., Director of Outreach, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective November 28, 2016.

Mark A. Miller, Capture and Start Up Manager, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 6, 2016.

Iris L Mirelez, M.Ed., Associate Director Student Enrollment Services, Raider Connect, Enrollment Management Division, effective October 10, 2016.

Katherine W. Morris, M.A., Associate Vice President for Student Affairs, Student Affairs, effective September 30, 2016.

Colin J. Morrow, M.A., Director of C4ISR and Cyber, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective October 31, 2016.


Simone G. Polk, J.D., Assistant Vice President, Student Affairs, effective October 31, 2016.

Terence G. Rapoch, B.S.C., Chief Technologist, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 6, 2016.

Chad E. Reiter, Ph.D., Research Scientist, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 7, 2016.

Hazel G. Rountree, J.D., University Ombudsperson, Office of the President, effective September 30, 2016.


Cynthia Schisler, M.A., Sr. HR Training and Development Specialist, Human Resources, effective November 30, 2016.


Stuart M. Snow, Th.D., C.F.S.P., Mortician, Anatomical Gift Program, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 30, 2016.
Tess A. Spector-Prague, M.S., Academic Advisor, College of Nursing and Health, effective November 10, 2016.

Robert M. Stallsworth, Emergency Communications Center Supervisor, University Police Department, effective September 30, 2016.

Robin J. Suits, B.A., Associate Director of Electronic Communications, Marketing and Communications, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 30, 2016.

Richard J Thomas, M.S.E.E., Sr. Software Engineer, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective November 15, 2016.

Shawn P. Tovey, B.A., Director of IT Systems Administration, Wright State Research Institute, College of Engineering and Computer Science, effective September 8, 2016.

Jeffrey L. Trick, B.S., Director, Physical Plant, effective September 30, 2016.


Steven E. Warden, B.A., Director, Development WSU Presidential Debate Initiatives, Office of the President, effective September 21, 2016.

Pamela K. Wheeler, Senior Executive Assistant to the Provost, Office of the Provost, effective September 30, 2016.

Jamie Wiggins, M.Ed, Academic Advisor, University College, effective November 18, 2016.

Valita F. Wilhoite, M.Ed., Assistant Director, Student Activities, effective September 30, 2016.


**Classified New Hires**

Brian E. Carr has been appointed Custodial Floor Care Technician, Environmental Services, Physical Plant, effective November 7, 2016.

Justin P. Chubner has been appointed Maintenance Worker, Facilities Operations, Physical Plant, effective November 7, 2016.
Tiffinnie Y. Reed, A.A.A.S., has been appointed Financial Aid Coordinator, Financial Aid, effective November 7, 2016.

James V. Slusher, Jr. has been appointed Police Officer, University Police Department, effective November 21, 2016.

**Classified Promotions**

Willie E. Hayden has been appointed Casualty Prevention Worker, Lead, Facilities Operations, Physical Plant, effective October 1, 2016.

Lesli R. Middlestetter has been appointed Account Clerk 3, Office of the Bursar, effective August 27, 2016.

Linda S. Warren, M.R.C., has been appointed Administrative Specialist, Management, Raj Soin College of Business, effective August 29, 2016.

**Classified Separations**

Donald E. Allen, Custodial Services Worker, Environmental Services, Physical Plant, effective September 30, 2016.


Caressa L. Brown, B.S., Administrative Specialist, Psychiatry, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective November 4, 2016.


Sarah E. Burdette, Custodial Services Worker, Environmental Services, Physical Plant, effective September 30, 2016.


Kelly L. Cooley, Office Assistant 2, Student Academic Success Center, University College, effective September 29, 2016.

Duane B. Cooper, Vending Coordinator, Office of the Bursar, effective September 30, 2016.
Jennifer Michelle Cox, Sr. Database Coordinator, Office of the Registrar, effective November 4, 2016.

Darrell Davis, Delivery Worker, Materials Management, effective September 30, 2016.

Diana S. Ebert, Administrative Specialist, Student Affairs and Admissions, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective September 30, 2016.


Holly R. Hodges, B.S., Office Assistant 2, Marketing, Raj Soin College of Business, effective September 30, 2016.


Mary L. Kelly, Custodial Services Worker, Environmental Services, Physical Plant, effective September 30, 2016.


Deborah A. McNeely, Records Technician 2, Student Affairs and Admissions, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective October 28, 2016.


Pamela J. Mondini, Administrative Support Coordinator, Center for Teaching and Learning, effective September 30, 2016.

Sandra R. Musick, Sr. Database Coordinator, Advancement Services, University Development, effective September 30, 2016.

Cheryl A. Nickoson, Programs Facilitator, Research and Sponsored Programs, effective September 30, 2016.


Janice E. Power, Program Facilitator, Research and Sponsored Programs, effective September 30, 2016.

Lewis B. Robinson, Custodial Floor Care Technician, Environmental Services, Physical Plant, effective September 30, 2016.


Pamela J. Scheidt, A.A., Grants and Contract Specialist, Community Health, Boonshoft School of Medicine, effective September 30, 2016.


RESOLUTION 17-

RESOLVED that the academic and administrative appointments, changes, retirements, departmental reporting, resignations and terminations submitted to this meeting be, and the same hereby are approved.
Mr. Bridges: I offer this Motion.
Do I have a Second:
Roll Call Vote:

D. Report of Investments

Since the last Board meeting, investment reports for October 2016 have been received. These reports have been distributed to the trustees and will be filed with the official Board of Trustees’ records.

E. Ratification of Contracts and Grants

Wright State University has recorded $45,937,268 in external funding for 196 awards for the time period of July 1, 2016 through October 31, 2016.

Recent funding received by the University includes $208,283 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services’ Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration to Dr. Nicole Kinzeler (Department of Population and Public Health, BSOM) to address the substance abuse and HIV challenges for African American college students. Additionally, the University’s Center of Excellence for Command, Control, Communications Computing Intelligence Surveillance and Reconnaissance (C4ISR), led by Dr. Brian Rigling (Department of Electrical Engineering, CECS) received initial, incremental funding in the amount of $600,000 from the Ohio Federal Research Network’s second cycle competition in support of one two-year project: Human-Centered Big Data, an effort to improve the overall effectiveness of human-in-the-loop Big Data analytic systems (PIs: Dr. Michael Raymer, Computer Science, CECS; Dr. Brandon Minnery, Wright State Research Institute).

RESOLUTION 17-

RESOLVED that the contracts and grants submitted to this meeting be, and the same hereby are ratified.

Mr. Bridges: I offer this Motion.
Do I have a Second:
Roll Call Vote: