

SECTION 15
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BOARD OF REGENTS
EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

REPORT

REPORT: 2012-2013 SABBATICAL LEAVE AWARDS

ACTION REQUESTED

It is recommended that the Board of Regents accept and place on file the Report on 2012-2013 Sabbatical Leaves.

STAFF SUMMARY

Sabbatical leaves (one semester at full pay or two semesters at half pay) are granted for special study, research, and/or writing or other projects which enrich the teaching of individual faculty members; bring prestige to the individual and the University; or provide service of a significant nature for local, state, national, or international organizations. The University Research and Sabbatical Leave Committee reviews the one semester sabbatical leave proposals and makes recommendations to the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs. Two semester sabbatical leave proposals are decided at the college level. Brief summaries of the approved projects are provided on the following pages.

In 2012-2013, seven (7) two-semester and eight (8) one-semester leaves will be awarded.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

None. The cost of sabbatical leaves will be absorbed in the 2012-2013 faculty salary budget.

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION

The proposed action has been reviewed and is recommended for Board approval.

University Executive Officer

Date

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY
DIVISION OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

2012-2013 SABBATICAL LEAVE AWARDS

ONE SEMESTER

David Clifford, Health Sciences. “The Development of Cross-Organizational and Cross-Sector Collaborative Action and Collaborative Leadership”

Carol J. Haddad, Technology Studies. “Information and Communications Technology use among Arab Women: Toward a Model of Empowerment”

Xiaoxu Han, Mathematics. “Novel Subnetwork Identification Algorithm Development and Network Marker Meta-analysis in Computational Systems Biology”

Shel Levine, Health Promotion & Human Performance. “Exercise Electrocardiography”

Lois S. Mahoney, Accounting & Finance. “An Examination of the Relationship between Corporate Social Responsibility and Firm Strategic Alliances: A Canadian Investigation”

Steven J. Ramold, History & Philosophy. “After Appomattox: How the Civil War Really Ended”

Martin B. Shichtman, English Language & Literature. “Knight-time in America: Masculinity, Chivalry, and the Golden Age of Fraternal Organizations”

Christine Smith Tanner, Communication, Media & Theatre Arts. “The Phantom of the Opera: Dramaturgy, Directing, and Arts Integration Project”

TWO SEMESTER

Leslie Atzmon, Art. “The Visual Power of Hebrew Letterforms in Torah Scrolls and Micrographic Texts”

Diane Fox, Nursing. “The Nurse Faculty Shortage: Case Studies”

Pamela Lemerand, Health Sciences. “The Development of an Interdisciplinary Autism Spectrum Disorder Training Program for Parents and Professionals”

Frances Elaine Martin, Political Science. “Gender and the Judiciary”

Martha Tanicala, Nursing. “Nursing Workforce Development through Community Service at Imperial Hospital Limited and Imperial College of Nursing in Chittagong, Bangladesh”

Jianhua Wang, Engineering Technology. “Developing Engineers for the Global Economy”

Marjorie Ziefert, Social Work. “Defining Human Needs as Human Rights in Social Work Practice: Cuba as a Case Example”