RESOLUTION

Recognition of Dr. Chiara Hensley

Recipient of the 2019 EMU-ACE Distinguished Woman in Higher Education Leadership Award

WHEREAS, during her vibrant and distinguished career as an outstanding faculty member and student affairs professional, Dr. Chiara Hensley has provided exemplary service as Assistant Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs, and in her previous role as University Ombuds; and,

WHEREAS, with progressive administrative experience encompassing a broad understanding of the changing needs of the higher education community, she is respected for her noteworthy skills and campus-wide contributions with regard to conflict resolution, program evaluation and assessment, restorative justice, and program redesign and development; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Chiara Hensley has an extensive record of developing progressively successful programs, expanding services, actively promoting and supporting institutional change, and influencing climate and cultural shifts in regards to institutional policies and protocols; and,

WHEREAS, she is a dedicated, strategic educator and leader, placing emphasis on the promotion and elevation of women, not only at Eastern, but throughout higher education; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Chiara Hensley has made significant contributions locally and nationally to the development of individuals and communities, as well as to the principles and advancement of higher education, social justice, gender equity, and inclusion.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Eastern Michigan University Board of Regents congratulates Chiara Hensley for her dedicated and exemplary service as an outstanding leader and commends her as the ACE-EMU Distinguished Woman in Higher Education Leadership Award Recipient for 2019.

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