

ALL CAMPUS PROMOTION AND TENURE COMMITTEE ELECTION 2009-10

The link to the web page containing the ballot for the annual election to the campus Promotion and Tenure Committee is:

<https://ness2.uic.edu/htbin/cgiwrap-auth/bin/election/election>

The on-line ballot is accessible beginning October 22 through November 5, 2009. Listed below is a biographical sketch for each nominee.

Eighteen faculty members who hold an indefinite appointment at 100% time and the rank of professor are elected by the tenured and tenure track faculty. Each college and school is entitled to one representative except the Colleges of Liberal Arts and Sciences and Medicine are assigned three seats and the Provost may appoint up to nine additional members to the committee. Elected members serve three year terms.

Continuing elected members: Christine D. Wu (DENT)'11; Dan Schonfeld (ENGR)'11; Geula Gibori (MED)'11; Norman Farnsworth (PHARM)'11; Renee Taylor (AHS)'10; Robert Bruegmann (A&A)'10; Ram Ramakrishnan (BA)'10; Nathan Linsk (JACSW)'10; Susan Liebman (LAS-Nat Sci)'10; Jo Dorsch (LIB)'10

Continuing appointed members: Krishna Reddy (ENGR)'11; Juan Campunzano (LAS-Nat. Sci.)'11; Cedric Herring (LAS-Soc. Sci.)'11; Ovidio De Leon (C-MED)'10

Please direct any inquiries about the Promotion and Tenure Committee election to Elizabeth Dooley, Clerk of the Senate at <<mailto:edooley@uic.edu>>, 312-996-2926.

Biographical Sketches of the Candidates:

COLLEGE OF URBAN PLANNING AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Tingwei Zhang (Urban Planning and Policy)

Tingwei Zhang is Professor of Urban Planning and Policy, and Director of Asia and China Research Program in the Great Cities Institute in College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs in the University of Illinois at Chicago, and Guest Professor of Urban Planning in Tongji University, Shanghai, China.

He was President of IACP (2005-2007), member of the Global Planning Committee of AICP (2001-2005), and serves on the International Conference Committee of ACSP (2001-), Advisory Committee of IACP (2008-) in the US. He is also a member of China National Planning Expert Committee, and as planning adviser to several Chinese cities including Wuhan, Shenzhen, and Shanghai. He serves on editorial boards of academic journals including *City Planning Review*, *Urban Planning Forum*, *Planners*, *Urban Planning International*, and *Time and Architecture*. His research interest covers planning theory, China's transition and urban policy, and urban development in American cities. He has published over 100 articles and book chapters in China, the US, UK, France, and authored and co-authored 7 books published in China and Switzerland (the UNISD).

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Timothy Shanahan (Curriculum and Instruction)

Timothy Shanahan, Professor, College of Education, and Director, Center for Literacy. Professor Shanahan has been at UIC since 1980. He is a member of the Faculty Senate, chairs the Senate Research Committee, and serves on the Executive Committees of his college and department. He has an extensive publication record, has chaired two federal research review panels, and has received approximately \$5 million in external funding for his work. As a result of his public service he has received a presidential appointment, and is a recipient of the Silver Circle Award.

Theresa (Terri) Thorkildsen (Educational Psychology)

Dr. Theresa (Terri) Thorkildsen is Professor of Education and Psychology. Her research focuses on how children and adolescents coordinate personal and societal expectations in a force known as civil engagement. Dr. Thorkildsen teaches courses in human development, motivation, and educational psychology as well as research design and methods. Over her 18 years of service at UIC, she has served on many College and University level committees. Dr. Thorkildsen is also a Fellow of the American Psychological Association (Division 15) and of the American Educational Research Association.

Pamela Anne Quiroz (Educational Policy Studies)

Pamela Anne Quiroz, Professor, College of Education. Professor Quiroz has been at UIC since 1999. She teaches courses on sociology of education, race & ethnicity, and children and youth policies in urban America. She is author of several articles on adoption, education, race, and identity. She currently serves on the Executive Committees of her college and department and has also served as department Ph.D. coordinator, faculty senator for her college and co-chair of the Chancellor's Committee on the Status of Latinos. Professor Quiroz has also been a fellow at Stanford's Center for the Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Senior Researcher and reviewer for the Spencer Foundation, and is currently Chair of the Educational Problems Division of the Society for the Study of Social Problems.

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES – HUMANITIES

John Huntington (English)

John Huntington, professor of English, has taught at UIC for thirty-three years. As Associate Head of English and recently as Interim Head of Slavic and Baltic he has prepared P & T papers. As a member of the LAS Executive Committee a decade ago he reviewed P & T cases from a variety of departments. He has served on the Senate Executive Committee and has chaired SCEP and the Senate Committee on Student Recruitment, Admission, and Retention. More information is available at <http://www.uic.edu/depts/engl/faculty/prof/jhuntington/bio.htm>.

David Hilbert (Philosophy)

David Hilbert is a professor and director of graduate studies in the philosophy department and has been at UIC for 11 years. He is currently in the faculty senate and has served on the LAS executive committee and was an IRB member for many years. His interests extend outside of philosophy to psychology, neuroscience, and environmental science and he is an active participant in the Laboratory of Integrative Neuroscience, an umbrella group for LAS neuroscience, and is on the steering committee for UIC's Institute for Environmental Science and Policy.

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES – HUMANITIES (continued)

James Sack (History)

Jim Sack has been at UIC since 1974, when he received his Ph.D. in History from Michigan. He has served as Associate Chairperson and Director of Undergraduate Studies for the History Department. He has also served as a member and as Chair of the LAS Executive Committee (2003-2005) and as a member of the Graduate Executive Committee (2005-2007, 2009-2011). His most recent publication was an article in *The Journal of the Historical Society* (2008), “The British Conservative Press and its Involvement in Antisemitic and Racial Discourse, Circa 1830-1895.”

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES – SOCIAL SCIENCES

Stephanie Riger (Psychology)

Stephanie Riger is Professor of Psychology and Gender and Women's Studies at the University of Illinois at Chicago. She is the recipient of the American Psychological Association's Division 27 award for Distinguished Contributions to Research and Theory, and a two time winner of the Association for Women in Psychology's Distinguished Publication Award. Her book on women's fear of rape was awarded the “Choice Outstanding Academic Book Award.” In 2000, UIC named her a University Scholar. She is co-author of Evaluating Services for Survivors of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault (Sage, 2002) and author of Transforming Psychology: Gender in Theory and Practice (Oxford, 2000) as well as six other books and numerous articles and book chapters.

Anthony Orum (Sociology)

Anthony Orum came to U.I.C. in 1987 to become Head of the Department of Sociology. While here he has also served as Chairman of the Jewish Studies Committee, a Faculty Scholar (twice) at the Great Cities Institute and for the last two years as a member of the Executive Committee of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. My research publications include various writings on urban history and urban sociology, American politics, social movements, American immigration and social science methods. In 2007 and 2008, I was awarded a Fulbright Scholarship to teach and do research in Shanghai. This past summer I was the recipient of the Robert and Helen Lynd Award for lifetime achievement and service from the Community/Urban Section of the American Sociological Association.

Patricia Harkin (Communication and English)

Patricia Harkin is a professor in the departments of Communication and English who teaches and writes about rhetorical theory and history. She came to UIC in January 2000 from Purdue University. She has served the university, college and department as Director of First Year Writing in English, as Director of Undergraduate Studies in communication, as a member of the LAS Scholarship and Educational Policy committees and as Vice-Chair of the Conflict Review committee in OVCR. Most recently, as Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs in LAS (2007-09), she oversaw more than fifty promotion and tenure cases.

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE-CLINICAL SCIENCES

Jay Goldstein (Digestive Disease and Nutrition)

Dr. Jay Goldstein, MD, has been a faculty member at UIC for the past 25 years after graduating from UIC College of Medicine and completing his internal medicine and gastroenterology training at the University of Illinois at Chicago. He currently serves a Vice Head for Clinical Affairs in the Department of Medicine. The focus of Dr. Goldstein's research is in the clinical evaluation for the treatment of various gastrointestinal disorders including gastroesophageal reflux disease, peptic ulcer disease and irritable bowel syndrome. Dr. Goldstein has been involved in the area of outcomes research for the past 20 years and is interested in the further development of clinical research and multidisciplinary collaboration in the College of Medicine and the UIC campus. Dr. Goldstein has served as the Director of the General Clinical Research Center (GCRC) since 2005 and currently serves as the Core Director for the Clinical Research Center (CRC) of the Center for Clinical and Translational Science (CCTS) grant. He has been serving as a member of the Institutional Review Board for the past 14 years and on numerous hospital and College committees. Dr. Goldstein has served elected and appointed terms on the UIC Promotion and Tenure Committee and wishes to serve again. Last year (2008) he served as the co-chair of this committee.

Kay Saving (Pediatrics)

Dr. Kay Saving, MD, has been UICOMP Division Head of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology for 23 years, and she currently serves as Vice Chair of the UICOMP Department of Pediatrics. Her research interests involve neonatal platelet function and sickle cell disease. She is the founder (1993) and Medical Director of the Pediatric Resource Center, where children are seen for evaluation of abuse. Dr. Saving has served on the UIC Committee on Research (current committee member), UIC College of Medicine Executive Committee, UIC All-Campus Promotion and Tenure Committee (2005-2008) and 26 UICOMP committees. Since 2001, she has been the Medical Director of Children's Hospital of Illinois; and in addition to her hematology/oncology activities, she presently serves on 13 statewide committees focusing primarily on child abuse, genetic/metabolic diseases, and children's mental health.

Alan Diamond (Pathology)

Dr. Alan Diamond, PhD, has been at UIC for 11 years, serving 5 years as the Head of the Department of Human Nutrition and moving to the Department of Pathology in 2008. He has served as the Director for Graduate Studies in Human Nutrition and is currently the Co-DGS in Pathology. His has a consistent record of funded research that focuses on cancer prevention and he regularly serves on national peer review committees.

COLLEGE OF NURSING

Diana Wilkie (Biobehavioral Health Science)

Dr. Diana Wilkie, a professor and the Harriet H. Werley Endowed Chair for Nursing Research in the College of Nursing, serves as the Director of the UIC Center for End-of-Life Transition Research. Her research has been continuously funded for 23 years in amounts totaling more than \$24 million and has focused on palliative care topics, namely pain and symptom management and promoting end-of-life education for health professionals.

SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

David DuBois (Community Health Sciences)

David L. DuBois is a Professor in the Division of Community Health Sciences within the School of Public Health. His research focuses on factors that contribute to youth resilience, particularly self-esteem and mentoring relationships, and how these can be utilized to enhance positive health outcomes through community-based programs. He has received Federal funding for his research from the National Institute of Mental Health as well as the Institute of Education Sciences. He is currently a Distinguished Fellow of the William T. Grant Foundation and is also a Fellow of the American Psychological Association and Society for Community Research and Action.

Jesus Ramirez-Valles (Community Health Sciences)

Jesus Ramirez-Valles is a scholar, filmmaker, and an advocate of Latino and GLBT health. He produced a documentary, *Tal Como Somos, Just As We Are*, on the lives of Latino gay men, transgenders, and people living with HIV/AIDS. He is working on a book manuscript, "Compañeros: Activism, Race, and Sexuality in the Times of AIDS." He has received awards from NIH and the Rockefeller Foundation, and currently is a Fellow at the Great Cities Institute. For twenty years he has worked on health promotion in the US and Latin America. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan.

Lorraine Conroy (Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences)

Lorraine Conroy is Professor of Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences in the School of Public Health. She also directs the Occupational and Environmental Health and Safety Education and Research Center, a training grant funded by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health. She joined the faculty at UIC in 1988 and has been instrumental in building the program in occupational safety and health, including new programs in occupational and environmental epidemiology and occupational safety. She received her BS in chemical engineering from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, her MS in Environmental Health Sciences (Industrial Hygiene) and her ScD in Environmental Science and Physiology from Harvard University, School of Public Health. She is certified in the comprehensive practice of industrial hygiene (CIH) by the American Board of Industrial Hygiene. She is a member of the Safety and Occupational Health Study Section and a reviewer for the *Journal of Occupational and Environmental Hygiene* and the *Annals of Occupational Hygiene*.