

ACADEMIC LEAVE COMMITTEE REPORT TO THE UNIVERSITY SENATE

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The Academic Leave Committee received thirteen applications for sabbatic leave during the academic year 2007-2008. The committee recommended that the twelve eligible candidates be granted academic leave. One applicant did not meet the criteria to be considered for an academic leave as specified in the bylaws under section IV.A.1, which states that an "Applicant must have completed six (6) years of full time service at the University or six (6) years of full time service since a previous sabbatic leave". In a letter to President Schmotter dated November 14, 2007, the Committee recommended the twelve eligible candidates. Dr. Schmotter subsequently granted sabbatic leave to all of the recommended candidates.

The Academic Leave committee received one application for a faculty-retraining grant. In a letter to President Schmotter dated April 2, 2008 the committee highly recommended the applicant. Dr. Schmotter subsequently granted a faculty-retraining grant to the candidate whose application was highly recommended.

Respectfully submitted,



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