University of Cincinnati
Board of Trustees
Summary of Actions Taken at the Regular Meeting Held

December 16, 2020

The following is a list of recommendations approved by the Board of Trustees at their regular meeting held on December 16, 2020 and filed in the Office of the Board of Trustees. The recommendations are listed under the committee(s) that initially reviewed and approved them.

A. Academic and Student Affairs Committee

1. The Board of Trustees approved the appointment, reappointment, tenure, or emeritus status of the following:

**Emeritus Status**

Gayle Elliott  
Professor Emerita  
Experience-Based Learning and Career Education  
Effective August 15, 2020

Jennifer Pearce, MSN  
Professor Emerita  
UC Blue Ash  
Department of Nursing  
Effective January 1, 2021

Barbara Tobias, MD  
Professor – Clinical Emerita  
College of Medicine  
Department of Family and Community Medicine  
Effective January 1, 2021

James Westheider, PhD  
Professor Emeritus  
UC Clermont  
Department of Social Sciences  
Effective September 25, 2020

Robert Wood, PhD  
Professor Emeritus  
College of Medicine  
Department of Pediatrics  
Effective October 10, 2020

**Academic Unit Head Appointments**

Jeffrey Rubel, JD, MPA  
Unit Head  
UC Clermont  
Department of Business, Law and Technology  
Effective January 1, 2021 – December 31, 2025
New Faculty Appointments

Tingting Yu, PhD  
Associate Professor with Tenure  
College of Engineering and Applied Science  
Department of Electrical Engineering and  
Computer Science  
Effective January 1, 2021

2. Approval of the 2020 Campus Completion Plan
3. Approval of a New Undergraduate Degree – Bachelor of Science, Exercise Science

B. Finance and Administration Committee

1. Approval of Ohio Department of Higher Education (ODHE) Efficiency Report
2. Approval of a Lease to Purchase 121 East McMillan Street, Cincinnati
3. Approval of Revised Clifton Court Hall Approval of Five Naming Request  
   - Edward J. Latessa Conference Room  
   - In Honor of Carl J. Parks, BS ’60, MBA ‘63  
   - The LAM Foundation Professorship for LAM Research  
   - The Robert G. Luke, MD Endowed Chair in Nephrology  
   - Theodore M. Berry Directorship of the Jones Center for Race, Gender and Social  
     Justice Endowment Fund

C. Governance and Internal Affairs Committee

1. Approval of Revision of Board Rule 30-31-09 - Time off from work: Paid  
   Parental Leave
2. Approval of Election of Officers

D. Non-Committee Items

1. Approval to Reappoint Patrick Limbach as Vice President for Research