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BR# 11-18

RESOLUTION

honoring

DR. JOSEPH B. FARHAT

upon being awarded

THE CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
2011 UNIVERSITY-LEVEL TRUSTEES TEACHING AWARD

April 7, 2011

- WHEREAS, Through Board resolution #07-09, the Board of Trustees reaffirmed its commitment to support and recognize exemplary teaching by establishing university-level awards to be given to assistant or associate professors in good standing and in tenure track or tenure positions, and whose teaching practice and professional interactions leading to educational improvement exemplify the Connecticut State University System values, standards of excellence and continuous commitment to maximize student learning, and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Farhat, an associate professor in the Department of Finance at Central Connecticut State University (CCSU), is widely regarded in the university community as an exemplary junior faculty for his effectiveness and commitment to the evidence-based improvement of teaching and learning, for his effective use of technology to engage students and maximize their learning, and for his ability to make relevant and effective linkages between learning in the classroom and the current world of business and finance, and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Farhat has been selected through a proper peer-review process at CCSU and his nomination has been reviewed by the Committee of CSU Professors, therefore be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees commends Dr. Farhat for his excellence in teaching and his effective collegial interactions leading to educational improvements, congratulates him on receipt of the University-Level Trustees Teaching Award, and extends its best wishes for continued success, and be it further
- RESOLVED, That the Chancellor of the Connecticut State University System will work with the university President to ensure maximum visibility for this award through local and statewide print and electronic media.

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DR. CRISTOPHER J. TOROCKIO

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WHEREAS, Dr. Torockio, an associate professor in the English Department at Eastern Connecticut State University (ECSU), is widely regarded in the university community as an exemplary junior faculty for his ability to connect teaching with his thriving fiction writing career, for his contributions to curriculum development, for his inclusive, inspiring and empowering teaching style, particularly effective with first-generation college students, and for his success in making fiction writing a stepping stone to further writing, including the supervision of Honors Thesis work, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Torockio has been selected through a proper peer-review process at ECSU and his nomination has been reviewed by the Committee of CSU Professors, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees commends Dr. Torockio for his excellence in teaching and his effective collegial interactions leading to educational improvements, congratulates him on receipt of the University-Level Trustees Teaching Award, and extends its best wishes for continued success, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Chancellor of the Connecticut State University System will work with the university President to ensure maximum visibility for this award through local and statewide print and electronic media.

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DR. MISTY M. GINICOLA

upon being awarded

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April 7, 2011

- WHEREAS, Through Board resolution #07-09, the Board of Trustees reaffirmed its commitment to support and recognize exemplary teaching by establishing university-level awards to be given to assistant or associate professors in good standing and in tenure track or tenure positions, and whose teaching practice and professional interactions leading to educational improvement exemplify the Connecticut State University System values, standards of excellence and continuous commitment to maximize student learning, and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Ginicola, an assistant professor in the Counseling and School Psychology Department at Southern Connecticut State University (SCSU), is widely regarded in the university community as an exemplary junior faculty for her successful efforts to engage a broad range of students across the disciplines, for her commitment to teaching that extends beyond the confines of the classroom, for her dedication to student mentoring and the facilitation of their social and personal development, for her work in advancing diversity and multiculturalism at the university, and for her scholarly approach to teaching and learning, and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Ginicola has been selected through a proper peer-review process at SCSU and her nomination has been reviewed by the Committee of CSU Professors, therefore be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees commends Dr. Ginicola for her excellence in teaching and her effective collegial interactions leading to educational improvements, congratulates her on receipt of the University-Level Trustees Teaching Award, and extends its best wishes for continued success, and be it further
- RESOLVED, That the Chancellor of the Connecticut State University System will work with the university President to ensure maximum visibility for the award through local and statewide print and electronic media.

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DR. GALINA BAKHTIAROVA

upon being awarded

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2011 UNIVERSITY-LEVEL TRUSTEES TEACHING AWARD

April 7, 2011

- WHEREAS, Through Board resolution #07-09, the Board of Trustees reaffirmed its commitment to support and recognize exemplary teaching by establishing university-level awards to be given to assistant or associate professors in good standing and in tenure track or tenure positions, and whose teaching practice and professional interactions leading to educational improvement exemplify the Connecticut State University System values, standards of excellence and continuous commitment to maximize student learning, and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Bakhtiarova, an associate professor in the Department of World Languages and Literature at Western Connecticut State University (WCSU), is widely regarded in the university community as an exemplary junior faculty for her contributions to the creating a vision for the study of languages, literature and cultures, as exemplified by a rigorous and competitive Spanish language program that advances a proficiency oriented communicative approach and includes a global immersion component, and for her championing of effective collegial work as a departmental Chairperson, and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Bakhtiarova has been selected through a proper peer-review process at WCSU and her nomination has been reviewed by the Committee of CSU Professors, therefore be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees commends Dr. Bakhtiarova for her excellence in teaching and her effective collegial interactions leading to educational improvements, congratulates her on receipt of the University-Level Trustees Teaching Award, and extends its best wishes for continued success, and be it further
- RESOLVED, That the Chancellor of the Connecticut State University System will work with the university President to ensure maximum visibility for the award through local and statewide print and electronic media.

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THE CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
2011 SYSTEM-LEVEL TRUSTEES TEACHING AWARD


April 7, 2011

- WHEREAS, Through Board resolution #07-09, the Board of Trustees reaffirmed its commitment to support and recognize outstanding teaching in the CSUS by establishing a *system-level teaching award* competition among the four university-level awardees in the Trustees Teaching Award program, and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Bakhtiarova, an associate professor in the Department of English at Western Connecticut State University, has been deemed by the System Review Committee of CSU Professors deserving of special distinction for her contributions to overhauling the World language and literature program at WCSU, for her numerous programs to immerse students in language study in both the U.S. and abroad, for her mentorship of students that has profoundly influenced their lives, for her being a role model of a scholar-teacher for her students by having articles and chapters published in peer-reviewed journals and books, for her talents as a teacher to the broader Danbury community, hosting events such as the "Dia de los Muertos" celebration that has become an institution at WCSU, and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Bakhtiarova has been selected by the System Review Committee of CSU Professors to receive the highest mention among the distinguished group of university level awardees, therefore be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees commends Dr. Bakhtiarova for her academic and teaching achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the System-Level Trustees Teaching Award and extends its best wishes for continued success, and be it further
- RESOLVED, That the Chancellor of the Connecticut State University System will work with the university President to ensure maximum visibility to this award through local and statewide print and electronic media.

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