

Resolution 23-18*Award of Tenure*

WHEREAS, The Board of Trustees of Governors State University (the “Board” and “University,” respectively) was created on January 1, 1996, by Public Act 89-4 to operate, manage, control, and maintain University in accordance with the rights, powers, and duties vested by law in the Board; and

WHEREAS, The Board is comprised of eight members, seven of whom are appointed by the Governor of Illinois with the advice and consent of the Senate, and one of whom is a University student selected by student peers; and

WHEREAS, According to Article 20.1 of the collective bargaining agreement by and between the University and the University Professionals of Illinois, “Tenure is a status awarded by the Board upon the positive recommendation of the University President following an extensive evaluation process”; and

WHEREAS, According to Article 20.7(a) of the collective bargaining agreement by and between the University and the University Professionals of Illinois, an employee who does not satisfy the years of service may apply for consideration for tenure by exception on the basis of exceptional teaching/performance of primary duties and research/creative activity or service;

WHEREAS, Dr. Quincy Martin III, Ed.D., Assistant Professor of Education and Interdisciplinary Leadership, a valued member of the College of Education, has significant achievements in research/creative activities having 14 peer-reviewed publications, 4 peer-reviewed presentations, and 10 invited presentations among other scholarly activities including grant writing, and giving keynote addresses; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Martin continues his academic and professional leadership at Governors State University in his role as Assistant Professor and track leader of Higher Education Administration within the interdisciplinary leadership doctoral program within the College of Education; and

WHEREAS, The Division Chair of Education within the College of Education has decided to recommend the award of tenure by exception to Dr. Martin; and

WHEREAS, Dean Shannon Dermer supports the award of tenure by exception to Dr. Martin; and

WHEREAS, Provost Beverly Schneller supports the award of tenure by exception to Dr. Martin; and

WHEREAS, The President, Dr. Cheryl Green, upon advice of the Division Chair of Education, Dr. Timothy Harrington, the Dean of the College of Education, Dr. Shannon Dermer, along with the support of Dr. Beverly Schneller, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs and as a result of an independent review of Dr. Martins research/creative activities, teaching/primary duties and service, recommend the Board award Dr. Martin with tenure by exception;


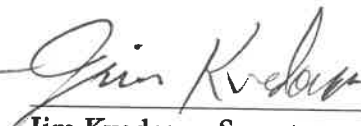
Now, therefore, it is:

Resolved, that the Board adopts the recommendation of the President to award tenure by exception to Dr. Martin;

Resolved, that in recognition of Dr. Martin's accomplishments, the Board grants him all rights and privileges of a tenured professor with Governors State University within the College of Education as an Associate Professor of Education and Interdisciplinary Leadership; and

Resolved, that President Green shall take all reasonable and necessary steps to effectuate this Resolution.

Approved December 9, 2022


Angela M. Sebastian, Chair
Board of Trustees
Jim Kvedaras, Secretary
Board of Trustees