University Board of Trustees Appoints Named Professorships

Northwestern’s Board of Trustees has appointed 10 faculty members to named professorships. The faculty and their appointments are:

Jaehyuk Choi, dermatology, has been named the Ruth K. Freinkel, MD, Research Professor

Richard D'Aquila, medicine: infectious diseases, has been named the Howard Taylor Ricketts Professor of Medicine

Francis Giles, medicine: hematology/oncology, has been named the Johanna Dobe Professor Hematology/Oncology

Daniela Matei, medicine: hematology/oncology and obstetrics and gynecology: gynecologic oncology, has been named the Diana, Princess of Wales, Professor of Cancer Research

Kelly Michelson, pediatrics: critical care, has been named the Julia and David Uihlein Professor of Bioethics

Aaron Naber, mathematics, has been named the Kenneth F. Burgess Professor of Mathematics

Guillermo Oliver, medicine: nephrology, has been named the Thomas D. Spies Professor of Lymphatic Metabolism

Thomas Shanley, pediatrics, has been named the Founders’ Board Centennial Professor

Michael Terry, orthopaedic surgery, has been named the Dr. Charles and Leslie Snorf Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery

Robert Vogelzang, radiology, has been named the Albert Nemcek Education Professor of Radiology

Northwestern Creates Faculty Diversity Award and Grant

Northwestern has developed two new funding programs in an ongoing effort to foster and recognize faculty excellence in diversity and equity.

The Provost Award for Faculty Excellence in Diversity and Equity celebrates outstanding people or groups who are working collaboratively to build a more diverse, inclusive, and equitable climate at Northwestern. Two $5,000 awards will be given each year.

The Provost Grant for Faculty Innovation in Diversity and Equity funds novel and innovative practices that will enhance education and research through improved diversity and inclusion. Funding is expected to range from $2,000 for modest proposals to $25,000 for extensive proposals that may include multiple faculty partners or extend across units or schools.

Learn more.