From:

Bates, Sherry [BOARD]

Sent:

Monday, September 21, 2015 1:50 PM

To:

Lehman, Josh M [BOARD]

Subject:

Fwd: UI Presidential Search

Sherry Bates Regent Board of Regents, State of Iowa 712-652-3832 regentsb@iastate.edu

# Begin forwarded message:

From: Ben Gillig < benjamin-gillig@uiowa.edu > Date: September 2, 2015 at 4:11:53 PM CDT

To: < regentbr@iastate.edu >, < regentkm@iastate.edu >

 $\textbf{Cc:} < \underline{\textbf{regentma@iastate.edu}} >, < \underline{\textbf{regentsb@iastate.edu}} >, < \underline{\textbf{regentpc@iastate.edu}} >,$ 

<<u>regentmd@iastate.edu</u>>, <<u>regentrj@iastate.edu</u>>, <<u>regentlm@iastate.edu</u>>,

<re>regentss@iastate.edu>, <uipres-search@uiowa.edu></re>

Subject: UI Presidential Search

President Rastetter and President Pro Tem Mulholland:

This is Ben Gillig - I was president of the University of Iowa Graduate and Professional Student Government during the 2013-2014 year when we worked together to implement the tuition freeze and secure state funding for the new pharmacy building.

I am writing for two reasons. First, I want to thank you for the unprecedented involvement students have had in selecting and interviewing the finalists for the UI presidency - we deeply appreciate the opportunity to add our voices to the deliberations.

Second, I want to express an opinion: the Board of Regents should select Joseph Steinmetz as the next UI President. Dr. Steinmetz had far and away the most comprehensive vision for what the university can become, and the best plan for how to get there. His experience as Provost of Ohio State, a \$5.4 billion/year enterprise, puts him in a unique position to move the University of Iowa to the next level.

The Regents should **not** appoint Bruce Harreld. I understand that the novelty of selecting a non-traditional candidate has inherent appeal. But that appeal pales when compared to the manifest risks. Mr. Harreld has not demonstrated that his experiences in business and industry will translate to successful management of an AAU campus, and Mr. Harreld **does not enjoy the support of many UI students.** There are always risks in picking a president, but the risks of picking Mr. Harreld are unjustified when his qualifications are compared with those of the other finalists.

Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to the Board's decision.

Ben

Benjamin Gillig PhD Candidate, Educational Policy JD Class of 2017 University of Iowa

From:

Bates, Sherry [BOARD]

Sent:

Monday, September 21, 2015 1:51 PM

To:

Lehman, Josh M [BOARD]

Subject:

Fwd: University of Iowa Presidential Search

Sherry Bates Regent Board of Regents, State of Iowa 712-652-3832 regentsb@iastate.edu

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From: "Gilbert, Miriam" < miriam-gilbert@uiowa.edu >

**Date:** September 2, 2015 at 8:45:12 AM CDT

To: "regentsb@iastate.edu" <regentsb@iastate.edu> Subject: University of Iowa Presidential Search

Dear Regent Bates,

I write as an emeritus faculty member of the University of Iowa, someone who taught at the University for 44 years, and retired two years ago. I've watched all four of the public forums with the four candidates for the new President of the University of Iowa.

Three of these candidates seem to me strong and acceptable, each bringing particular strengths and backgrounds to the position. President Krislov, Provost Bernstein, and Provost Steinmetz have each demonstrated a commitment to higher education, and have worked in highly respected academic institutions; all have experience with public universities. We would be fortunate to have any one of these men as our next president.

But Bruce Harreld, in spite of his impressive business background, brings none of that experience with him. To some, this difference may seem appealing, a way of thinking "outside the box." Even granted that appeal, I cannot support his candidacy. It was genuinely appalling to find that he submitted a CV that is at best sloppy, and at worst false. We don't accept such behavior in our own students, so why would we want a President who, rather than serving as a positive role model (an issue he brought up himself), has participated in academic fraud by misrepresenting his current business venture. He himself said "Shame on me" when questioned about this issue. I say "Shame on us" if we hire such a person as the next president of the university.

Sincerely yours,

Miriam Gilbert Professor Emerita of English The University of Iowa

From:

Bates, Sherry [BOARD]

Sent:

Monday, September 21, 2015 1:50 PM

To: Subject: Lehman, Josh M [BOARD]

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Fwd: AAUP Press Release

Attachments:

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From: "Tachau, Katherine H" < katherine-tachau@uiowa.edu>

Date: September 2, 2015 at 5:03:30 PM CDT

To: "'regentbr@iastate.edu'" <regentbr@iastate.edu>, "'regentkm@iastate.edu'" <regentkm@iastate.edu>, "'regentma@iastate.edu'" <regentma@iastate.edu>,

Cc: "bdonley@iastate.edu" <bdonley@iastate.edu>

**Subject: RE: AAUP Press Release** 

Dear Regents,

My apologies: I failed to attach the press release earlier,

With best wishes to you all,

Katherine

From: Tachau, Katherine H

Sent: Wednesday, September 02, 2015 3:02 PM

To: 'regentbr@iastate.edu' <regentbr@iastate.edu>; 'regentkm@iastate.edu' <regentkm@iastate.edu>; 'regentma@iastate.edu' <regentsb@iastate.edu' <regentsb@iastate.edu>; 'regentpc@iastate.edu' <regentmd@iastate.edu' <regentmd@iastate.edu>; 'regentmd@iastate.edu' <regentmd@iastate.edu>; 'regentrj@iastate.edu' <regentmd@iastate.edu>; 'regentmd@iastate.edu' <regentlm@iastate.edu>;

'regentss@iastate.edu' <regentss@iastate.edu>

Cc: 'bdonley@iastate.edu' <bdonley@iastate.edu>

Subject: AAUP Press Release

Dear Regents,

The University of Iowa Chapter of the American Association of University Professors (AAUP) appreciates and respects that the selection of all regents' university presidents is yours to make.

For many decades, our AAUP chapter has assisted in the due diligence research necessary after the names of public candidates for UI central academic officials. This year, as you may know, we conducted

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an on-line, anonymous survey that was primarily quantitative, as a complement to the Parker Executive Search. We encouraged all faculty, staff, students, and community members to provide comments to the search firm's survey, and not just to us. Like the Search Firm, we used the <u>SurveyMonkey.com</u> site and software. We are providing you with the data summary and explanation that we provided to the UI Faculty Council and to the press, for your information. We have provided the anonymous comments as to strengths and weaknesses of each candidate to the Faculty Council for their consideration, along with all the other responses they have collected. We assume that the comments received by the search firm will be broadly similar to those we have received.

Please do or do not take these data only as you see fit.

With best wishes,

Katherine H. Tachau President, University of Iowa A.A.U.P. Chapter and Professor of History, University of Iowa

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# University of Iowa Chapter, American Association of University Professors

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This week, the University of Iowa Chapter of the American Association of University Professors (AAUP) sponsored an opinion poll concerning the four candidates for the Presidency of the University of Iowa who recently completed the on-campus portion of the interview process. This release is intended to provide some background on this project and to share a portion of the results.

# **Purpose**

The AAUP recognizes that the ultimate decision for the Presidency of the University of Iowa rests with the state of Iowa and its duly appointed representatives, the Board of Regents. At the same time, shared governance is a crucial part of academic leadership, as all four candidates attested in their public forums. Academic leadership cannot be effective without buy-in from all of the stakeholders in the university community, including faculty, students, staff, alumni, and community members.

For this reason, the AAUP initiated this survey project to help obtain a clearer and more objective picture of the views of the University of Iowa stakeholders. In part this was driven by what it perceived to be two key limitations of the process initiated by the Board of Regents and Parker Executive Search. First, the rapid timeline for decision-making meant that the qualitative (free response) comments being collected by Parker would be difficult to summarize and interpret quickly enough, limiting the meaningfulness and utility of their contribution to the discussion. Second, many faculty members and other stakeholders were concerned that these comments were only being collected by a private firm and that consequently there would be no public accountability and the consensus view would be unknown.

Thus, the AAUP conducted an anonymous survey that included rating-scale items along with free-response items to enable a rapid, quantitative synthesis of stakeholders' views. We are sharing the full results with the Faculty Council to assist in their formulation of a recommendation and with the Board of Regents to assist in their decision-making. In the spirit of open governance that has long characterized the University and State of Iowa, we are also sharing a summary of the quantitative results with members of the press and the public.

# **About the Survey**

The survey consisted of 10 questions. It was conducted separately for each candidate, and results were coded by whether the respondent was faculty, staff, student, alumnus, community member or other. Respondents were not asked to compare candidates (consistent with the Board of Regents' request that faculty governance organizations do not provide a "rank order"), but simply to judge each candidate's strengths and weaknesses individually. All responses were anonymous.

Box 1: Questions in the survey. Note phrases in parenthesis were not part of the survey but are used to refer to questions in the presentation of the results.

- 1. This candidate would excel at articulating the University's vision, mission, and values to both internal and external stakeholders (*Articulates Vision*).
- 2. This candidate has the skill set to oversee a \$3.5 billion institutional budget (including UIHC). (Oversees Budget)
- 3. This candidate would excel at securing external funding support for the University. (Secures External Funding)
- 4. This candidate has demonstrated the ability to lead a complex academic research institution and medical center. (Leads Academic Institution)
- 5. This candidate has the ability to promote a shared vision to address challenges and create opportunities, especially in the areas of student recruitment, research support, finances, and improvements to facilities and technology. (Promotes Shared Vision)
- 6. This candidate could work effectively with elected officials, governmental bodies, and the Board of Regents to advance the mission of the University. (Works with Government)
- 7. This candidate could work effectively with the various constituencies of the University, alumni, Foundation, media, and community at large to advance the mission of the University. (Works with constituencies)
- 8. This candidate could effectively establish trust with University students, staff, and faculty. (Establishes trust with UI community)
- 9. This candidate has the knowledge and intellectual vision to support and further the University of lowa's excellence in research, teaching, and public engagement. (Enhances Excellence)
- 10. Is this candidate qualified to be President of the University of Iowa? Y/N (Qualified)

The first 9 questions asked participants to respond using a seven point scale, where 1 indicated "strongly disagree", and 7 indicated "strongly agree". All questions were phrased to reflect positive attributes of the candidate (so a higher score is better). Questions were based on the responsibilities and preferred qualifications listed on the University of Iowa President Job Description (<a href="http://president.uiowa.edu/ui-president-search/university-iowa-president-job-description">http://president.uiowa.edu/ui-president-search/university-iowa-president-job-description</a>). Questions can be seen in Box 1. The final question asked "Is this candidate qualified to be President of the University of Iowa?" and required a simple yes/no response.

In addition, participants were given the option to describe candidate strengths and weaknesses, and to leave other comments in three separate free-response fields. These responses are being shared only with Faculty Council.

A complete graphical and numerical summary of responses to each question is attached below.

This survey – like most online surveys, including that conducted by Parker Executive Search – contains a number of limitations that limit its scientific validity. First, respondents self-selected to provide their views, meaning

that people who are more motivated are more likely to respond and may not be representative of all stakeholders of the University of Iowa. Second, there was no systematic way to get the survey out to all members of the university community, so we relied on word of mouth and flyers handed out at each of the public forums. Third, as with the Parker Executive Search survey, there was no way to prevent people from providing data for the same candidate twice or to ensure that each participant responded to each candidate, without

### **Number of Respondents**

	Marvin Krislov	Michael Bernstein	Joseph Steinmetz	Bruce Harreld	Total
Faculty	112	92	101	137	442
Staff	24	16	18	41	99
Student	23	10	18	36	87
Other	9	3	4	32	48
Total	168	121	141	246	676

compromising anonymity, which we judged to be of paramount importance. Despite these limitations, which are characteristic of most online survey research, we had an excellent response (see Table) and are confident that the results of this survey provide a useful snapshot of the views of a large portion of the University community regarding the Presidential candidates for the University of Iowa.

# About the AAUP, University of Iowa Chapter http://aaup.org.uiowa.edu

President: Katherine Tachau Vice President: Jeffrey Cox Secretary: Richard Valentine Treasurer: Mary Clark

**Executive Committee:** Lois Cox, Frank Durham, Richard Kerber, Michael Moore, Raghu Mudumbai, Thomas Volker, Marian Wilson Kimber

Mission: The University of Iowa Chapter of the America Association of University Professors (AAUP) works to further the Association's mission:

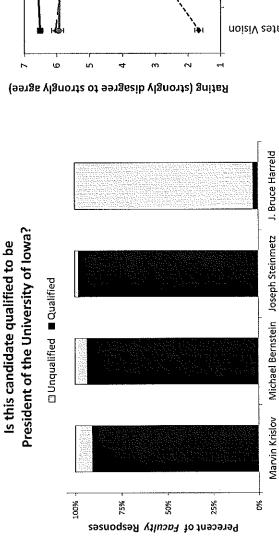
- · to defend academic freedom
- to encourage and facilitate faculty participation in governance, and
- to protect and advance the professional status and interests of faculty

The Chapter disseminates information on higher education principles and practices and conveys the policies and views of the Association to administrators, governing boards, local and state legislative bodies, and the general public.

**Faculty Respondents** 

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Rating Scale Questions (1-7)



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J. Bruce	Harreld	1.66	2.66	2.25	1.21	1.62	2.38	1.71	1.30	1.42		2.9%
Michael Joseph		6.51	6.57	6.49	6.56	6.56	6.61	6.55	6.54	6.67		80.86
	Bernstein Steinmetz	5.92	5.90	5.69	5.78	5.83	5.88	5.87	5.63	5.93		93.5%
Marvin	Krislov	6.04	5.85	5.79	5.50	6.05	60.9	6.19	6.22	6.08		%6.06

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Summary of Numeric Results (7 = strongly agree)

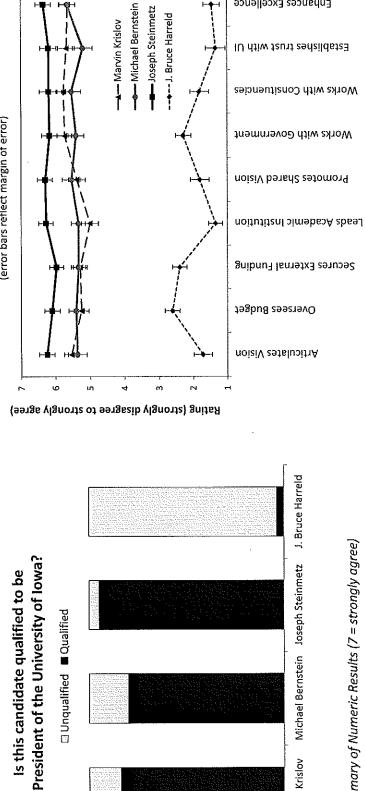
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# Other Respondents (students, staff, community members)

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# Rating Scale Questions (1-7)

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Michael Bernstein	29
Joseph Steinmetz	40
J. Bruce Harreld	109
Total Responses	234

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	Krislov	Bernstein	Steinmetz	Harreld
Articulates Vision	5.54	5.37	6.25	1.72
Oversees Budget	5.25	5.40	6.10	2.61
Secures External Funding	5.29	5.33	5.98	2.39
Leads Academic Institution	5.00	5.33	6.28	1.34
Promotes Shared Vision	5.38	5.53	6.30	1.80
Works with Government	5.73	5.40	6.18	2.28
Works with Consituencies	5.77	5.53	6.20	1.81
Establishes trust with UI	5.68	5.20	6.20	1.33
Enhances Excellence	5.64	5.66	6.35	1.45
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From:

Bates, Sherry [BOARD]

Sent:

Monday, September 21, 2015 1:52 PM

To:

Lehman, Josh M [BOARD]

Subject:

Fwd: A good rec on the Tulane provost for U of I presidency

Sherry Bates
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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Bates, Sherry [BOARD]" < regentsb@iastate.edu>

Date: August 28, 2015 at 10:20:26 AM CDT

To:

Subject: Re: A good rec on the Tulane provost for U of I presidency

Thank you, This is an important decision and this is appreciated very much.

Sherry

Sherry Bates
Regent
Board of Regents, State of Iowa
712-652-3832
regentsb@iastate.edu

On Aug 28, 2015, at 9:51 AM,

wrote:

Hi Sherry,

So happens that the chairperson of the Tulane University board of trustees is a college classmate of mine, a great guy in New Orleans. I and I went to Vanderbilt together and have stayed reasonably close over all the years since then. He's also been a board member at Vandy.

So anyway, I thought he'd be interested in reading the DM Register story this morning on the Tulane Provost Michael Bernstein being a finalist for the University of Iowa presidency, and sent him the link.

got back to me with the message below. I don't know Bernstein at all, but my friend's assessment of him is so good, I thought I should put it in the hands of the Regent I know best. So here 'tis!



From:

Sent: Friday, August 28, 2015 9:21 AM

To:

Subject: Re: U of Iowa trying to woo your TU provost

Thanks Michael has been an outstanding Provost at TU, and though we would hate to lose him, he is a guy who deserves a Presidency, and he would indeed be an excellent catch for U of I. Besides his other excellent academic and personal credentials, Michael played a very big role in bringing back post Katrina Tulane, and thereby post K New Orleans, and so he is a guy who can calmly and effectively navigate in all conditions. His long time President, the somewhat legendary Scott Cowen, who led TU and NO back from the abyss, would give Michael glowing recommendations, as would I as current Chair of the Board of TU. Let me know if that would be helpful in any way. Thx, and hope all is well with you. One day your travels need to take you to NO! Meanwhile, the countdown is on- just three months until basketball, and a mere six until baseball!! Take care and all the best.



On Aug 28, 2015, at 7:26 AM

wrote:

Good morning

Thought you'd be interested in seeing the Des Moines Register story this morning on Tulane's provost Michael Bernstein now being a finalist for the presidency of the University of Iowa:

http://www.desmoinesregister.com/story/news/education/2015/08/28/michael-bernstein-named-finalist-university-iowa-president/71294920/

Sounds like he'd be a real catch for the U of I.

Hope all's well with the



From: Lehman, Josh M [BOARD]

Sent: Wednesday, August 26, 2015 6:54 AM

To: Andringa, Mary [BOARD]; 'Bates, Sherry'; 'Cownie, Patty'; 'Dakovich, Milt'; 'Johnson,

Rachael'; 'McKibben, Larry'; 'Mulholland, Katie'; 'Rastetter, Bruce'; 'Sahai, Subhash'

Cc: 'Anderson, Terry'; 'England, Danelle'; 'Hobson, Sara'; 'Johnson, Stephanie'; 'McComb,

Carla'; 'Pruismann, Linda'; Aimee Claeys; Andrea Anania; Bob Donley; Brad Berg; Chris Schnell; Diana Gonzalez; Dianne Smith; Jason Pontius; Jean Friedrich; Joan Racki; Joe Murphy; Keith Saunders; Laura Dickson; Mark Braun; Mary Braun; Patrice Sayre; Tim

Cook; Todd Stewart

**Subject:** First Finalist for UI Presidency

Regents-

This will be released this morning. The links will be active when the information is public.

Josh

8-26-2015

Contact: Josh Lehman

515-242-5095

# **Iowa Board of Regents Announces First Finalist for UI Presidency**

Today the Board of Regents, State of Iowa announced the first finalist to become the next president of the University of Iowa.

Marvin Krislov, JD, current President of Oberlin College, will visit campus on Thursday, August 27 to meet with faculty, staff and students, members of the community, and local elected officials. You can review Krislov's curriculum vitae on the UI presidential search website (president.uiowa.edu/candidates-campus-visits).

Krislov will also participate in a public forum:

• Thursday, August 27, 4:45 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Ballroom of the lowa Memorial Union (if questions conclude prior to 6:15 p.m. the forum will end).

Live video streaming of the public forum and a recording upon its conclusion will available on the <u>UI</u> <u>presidential search website</u>. A mult box will also be available at the public forum for reporters covering the event.

Krislov is one of four finalists invited to participate in a final round of interviews at the University of Iowa. Following the campus visits, the Board of Regents will convene a meeting on September 3 to interview the candidates and select a new president. Members of the campus and the general public are encouraged to provide feedback to the Board through a website set up by Parker Executive Search, which can be accessed at the <u>UI presidential search website</u>.

Note to media: A high resolution photograph can be downloaded at the following link: <a href="https://www.flickr.com/photos/uinews/">https://www.flickr.com/photos/uinews/</a>.

Josh Lehman **Senior Communications Director** Board of Regents, State of Iowa 515-242-5095 (o) 515-450-7068 (c) regents.iowa.gov

From:

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Sent:

Thursday, August 27, 2015 6:39 AM

To:

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McKibben, Larry; Mulholland, Katie; Rastetter, Bruce; Sahai, Subhash

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Anderson, Terry; England, Danelle; Hobson, Sara; Johnson, Stephanie; McComb, Carla; Pruismann, Linda; Aimee Claeys; Andrea Anania; Bob Donley; Brad Berg; Chris Schnell; Diana Gonzalez; Dianne Smith; Jason Pontius; Jean Friedrich; Joan Racki; Joe Murphy; Keith Saunders; Laura Dickson; Mark Braun; Mary Braun; Patrice Sayre; Tim Cook; Todd

Stewart

Subject:

Second Finalist

Regents,

The second candidate will be announced this morning.

Josh

8-27-2015

Contact: Josh Lehman

515-242-5095

# **Iowa Board of Regents Announces Second Finalist for UI Presidency**

Today the Board of Regents, State of Iowa announced the second finalist to become the next president of the University of Iowa.

Michael Bernstein, Ph.D., Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost at Tulane University, will visit campus on Friday, August 28 to meet with faculty, staff and students, members of the community, and local elected officials. You can review Bernstein's curriculum vitae on the <u>UI presidential search website</u> (president.uiowa.edu/candidates-campus-visits).

Bernstein will also participate in a public forum:

• Friday, August 28, 4:45 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. in the Main Lounge of the Iowa Memorial Union (if questions conclude prior to 6:15 p.m. the forum will end).

Live video streaming of the public forum and a recording upon its conclusion will be available on the <u>UI</u> <u>presidential search website</u>. A mult box will also be available at the public forum for reporters covering the event.

Bernstein is one of four finalists invited to participate in a final round of interviews at the University of Iowa. Following the campus visits, the Board of Regents will convene a meeting on September 3 to interview the candidates and select a new president. Members of the campus and the general public are encouraged to provide feedback to the Board through a website set up by Parker Executive Search, which can be accessed at the <u>UI presidential search website</u>.

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From: Lehman, Josh M [BOARD]

**Sent:** Sunday, August 30, 2015 6:37 AM

To: Andringa, Mary [BOARD]; Bates, Sherry; Cownie, Patty; Dakovich, Milt; Johnson, Rachael;

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Stewart

**Subject:** UI President Candidate 3

Regents,

The following will be released this morning.

Josh

8-30-2015

Contact: Josh Lehman

515-242-5095

# **Iowa Board of Regents Announces Third Finalist for UI Presidency**

Today the Board of Regents, State of Iowa announced the third finalist to become the next president of the University of Iowa.

Joseph Steinmetz, Ph.D., Executive Vice President and Provost at The Ohio State University, will visit campus on Monday, August 31 to meet with faculty, staff and students, members of the community, and local elected officials. You can review Steinmetz's curriculum vitae on the <u>UI presidential search website</u> (president.uiowa.edu/candidates-campus-visits).

Steinmetz will also participate in a public forum:

• Monday, August 31, 4:45 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Ballroom of the Iowa Memorial Union (if questions conclude prior to 6:15 p.m. the forum will end).

Live video streaming of the public forum and a recording upon its conclusion will be available on the <u>UI</u> <u>presidential search website</u>. A mult box will also be available at the public forum for reporters covering the event.

Steinmetz is one of four finalists invited to participate in a final round of interviews at the University of Iowa. Following the campus visits, the Board of Regents will convene a meeting on September 3 to interview the candidates and select a new president. Members of the campus and the general public are encouraged to provide feedback to the Board through a website set up by Parker Executive Search, which can be accessed at the <u>UI presidential search website</u>.

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From: Lehman, Josh M [BOARD]

**Sent:** Monday, August 31, 2015 6:28 AM

To: Andringa, Mary [BOARD]; Bates, Sherry; Cownie, Patty; Dakovich, Milt; Johnson, Rachael;

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The fourth lowa presidential candidate will be released this morning.

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# **Iowa Board of Regents Announces Fourth Finalist for UI Presidency**

Today the Board of Regents, State of Iowa announced the fourth finalist to become the next president of the University of Iowa.

Bruce Harreld, MBA, Managing Principal at Executing Strategy, LLC, will visit campus on Tuesday, September 1 to meet with faculty, staff and students, members of the community, and local elected officials. You can review Harreld's curriculum vitae on the UI presidential search website (president.uiowa.edu/candidates-campus-visits).

Harreld will also participate in a public forum:

• Tuesday, September 1, 4:45 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Ballroom of the Iowa Memorial Union (if questions conclude prior to 6:15 p.m. the forum will end).

Live video streaming of the public forum and a recording upon its conclusion will be available on the <u>UI</u> <u>presidential search website</u>. A mult box will also be available at the public forum for reporters covering the event.

Harreld is one of four finalists invited to participate in a final round of interviews at the University of Iowa. Following the campus visits, the Board of Regents will convene a meeting on September 3 to interview the candidates and select a new president. Members of the campus and the general public are encouraged to provide feedback to the Board through a website set up by Parker Executive Search, which can be accessed at the <u>UI presidential search website</u>.

Note to media: A high resolution photograph can be downloaded at the following link: https://www.flickr.com/photos/uinews/.

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