



Memorandum

Date: February 15, 2019
To: Andrew S. Weyrich, Vice President for Research
From: Joanne Yaffe, Chair, University Research Committee
Subject: Distinguished Scholarly and Creative Research Awards-2019

It is with great pleasure that I inform you of the University Research Committee's recommendation for recipients of the Distinguished Scholarly and Creative Research Award for 2019. Many outstanding faculty members received nominations for this prestigious award. After careful deliberations, our sub-committee selected the following four faculty members for the Distinguished Scholarly and Creative Research Awards for 2019.

Mladen Bestvina, Distinguished Professor, Mathematics

Lisa Diamond, Professor, Psychology

Feng Liu, Professor and Chair, Materials Science and Engineering

Valeria Molinero, Jack and Peg Simons Endowed Professor of Theoretical Chemistry

With your approval, please forward our recommendations to President Ruth Watkins for her approval.

Approved: _____

Date: _____

2-25-19

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