MEMORANDUM

To: All faculty

From: Cristina Amon

Date: April 7, 2014

Re: Establishment of the Toronto Institute of Advanced Manufacturing (TIAM) as an Extra-Departmental Unit:

I am pleased to announce that on April 7, 2014, Faculty Council approved that the Toronto Institute of Advanced Manufacturing (TIAM) be established as an Extra-Departmental Unit, effective immediately.

An EDU is a multidisciplinary, multi-departmental research and/or academic unit with a defined research domain in a particular area of academic work that exists to foster research and scholarly interest in the area.

The Toronto Institute of Advanced Manufacturing has the mandate to provide innovation and leadership in advanced manufacturing through research and development, training and education in Ontario, Canada, and worldwide.

Professor Hani Naguib is director of the Institute. On behalf of the Faculty, we are very grateful to Professor Naguib for his leadership and dedication to the Toronto Institute of Advanced Manufacturing and the multidisciplinary research that it is undertaking.