

Cristina Amon, Dean

MEMORANDUM

2018/19-13

- To: Members of the Division of Engineering Science Chairs and Directors
- From: Cristina Amon

Date: June 5, 2019

Re: Appointment of Interim Chair, Division of Engineering Science

I am very pleased to announce the appointment of Professor Will Cluett as Interim Chair of the Division of Engineering Science for a term of one-year, effective July 1, 2019. Professor Will Cluett joined the Department of Chemical Engineering and Applied Chemistry in 1986, was promoted to Associate Professor in 1991, and to Full Professor in 1995.

Will has an outstanding and extensive record of administrative experience within the Faculty. From 1997–2003 he was Chair, First Year, and also held the position of Vice-Dean Undergraduate from 1998-2003. From 2005-2011 he served as Chair of the Division of Engineering Science, during which time he implemented a number of key initiatives in the areas of student experience, student recruitment, curriculum renewal, alumni engagement and overall administration of the unit, many of which are still in effect today.

Will is also an outstanding teacher, reflected in his numerous teaching awards, including the Bill Burgess Teacher of the Year Award for Large Classes in the Department of Chemical Engineering and Applied Chemistry in 2014, the Sustained Excellence in Teaching Award from the Faculty of Applied Science and Engineering in 2016, and the President's Teaching Award from the University in 2018.

Please join me in in expressing gratitude to Will for serving in this important leadership role for the Faculty.

On behalf of the Faculty, I also extend thanks to Professor Deepa Kundur for her great leadership of Engineering Science since 2017, and wish her great success as she moves into her new position as Chair, Edward S. Rogers Sr. Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering.