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MEMORANDUM

TO: Jay Akridge, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Diversity

FROM: Gary Bertoline, Dean and Distinguished Professor 

DATE: January 31, 2019

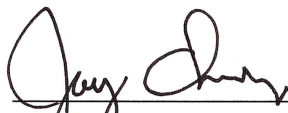
RE: Appointment of McNelly Professorship of Technology

This is to request approval to appoint Dr. Bedrich Benes, Professor of the Department of Computer Graphics Technology, as the next George W. McNelly Professorship of Technology, effective April 15, 2019. The McNelly review team unanimously approved Dr. Benes, see attached condensed curriculum vita, full vita, and letters of support detailing his distinguished career. Also find attached a description of the McNelly Professorship.

We request that Dr. Benes be appointed the McNelly Professorship for a five year term. He will be provided with a \$20,000 discretionary allocation from college resources.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Approved:



Jay Akridge
Provost and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs and Diversity

2/2/19

Date



Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr.
President

2/20/19

Date