

## IN RECOGNITION OF OVER 30 YEARS OF DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO STUDENTS AND COLLEAGUES

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HAS CONFERRED UPON .

### Dr. Samuel Hoff

ON THIS 19<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2019
THE STATUS OF

# Professor Emeritus

WITH ALL THE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES PERTAINING THERETO

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#### DELAWARE STATE UNIVERSITY

#### Office of the President

September 19, 2019

Appointment of Dr. Samuel Hoff As Professor Emeritus of History and Political Science Delaware State University

In recognition of thirty years of exemplary service as a faculty member, and whereas-

- Dr. Hoff served the University loyally and with exceptional capacity as a scholar, teacher, department chairperson, graduate director, Law Studies director, internship di- rector, honor society advisor, and in many other capacities, and whereas—
- Dr. Hoff established a strong national record of scholarship and publication in the field of Political Science, becoming also a reliable commentator for multiple media sources, and whereas—
- Dr. Hoff initiated the Law Studies Program and negotiated Delaware State University's first collaborative agreement with a major law school, and whereas—
- Dr. Hoff participated actively as a Faculty Senator for many years, and engaged in virtually every University-wide committee, and whereas—
- Dr. Hoff received Faculty Excellence Awards in Teaching, Research, and Service upon the nominations of his peers, and whereas—
- Dr. Hoff sponsored numerous important student activities, including the University Public Speaking Contest, Debate Team, and Model UN, and whereas—
- Dr. Hoff contributed financially both to support student travel, activities, and scholarships, and whereas—
  - In all respects Dr. Hoff carried himself for three decades as a true scholar, teacher, and representative of this great University—

Today, by the authority vested in us, as the President and Board of Trustees of Delaware State University, we take great pride in approving the appointment of Dr. Samuel Hoff as Professor Emeritus of History and Political Science, with all rights and privileges thereto appertaining, with the expectation that he will continue in his association with the University for many years to come, as he has so faithfully served since 1989.

Given this 19th Day of September, 2019, under our hands,

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Dr. Wilma Mishoe President

Dr. Devona Williams Chairperson, Board of Trustees