

Agendum  
Oakland University  
Board of Trustees Formal Session  
June 8, 2015

**RESOLUTION HONORING SCOTT A. SHERMETARO**  
**STUDENT LIAISON TO THE OAKLAND UNIVERSITY**  
**BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

1. **Division and Department:** Student Affairs.
2. **Introduction:** On December 1, 1994, the Oakland University Board of Trustees approved the positions of Student Liaisons to the Board. The role of the Student Liaison is to serve as a resource to the Board regarding student issues. The Student Liaisons serve for a one or two-year term beginning in June each year; provide a cross-section of student views and opinions; and make periodic reports regarding Board activities to student groups.
3. **Previous Board Action:** None.
4. **Budget Implications:** None.
5. **Educational Implications:** Student Liaisons gain invaluable educational and career experience through their interaction with the governing board of a complex, public institution. As the voice of students, they are able to provide a cross-section of student views and opinions to the Board of Trustees.
6. **Personnel Implications:** None.
7. **University Reviews/Approvals:** All resolutions honoring Student Liaisons are reviewed and approved by the Vice President for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management.
8. **Recommendation:** It is recommended that the Board of Trustees adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Mr. Scott A. Shermetaro, a senior undergraduate student majoring in Mechanical Engineering with minors in Economics and Spanish Language, was appointed by the President as Student Liaison to the Oakland University Board of Trustees in June 2014 with his term of office to end June 30, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Shermetaro attended Board meetings and provided a cross-section of student views and opinions; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Shermetaro demonstrated a concern for facilitating communication between the Board and the student body; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Shermetaro informed student groups of his Student Liaison responsibilities and made periodic Board activity reports to those student groups; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Shermetaro at all times demonstrated leadership skills at the Board meetings in his role as Student Liaison; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees recognizes the fact that Mr. Scott A. Shermetaro has served as a Student Liaison with dedication and distinction; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees commends Mr. Shermetaro for his outstanding academic achievements, involvement in diverse extracurricular activities at Oakland University, and service as a Student Liaison to the Oakland University Board of Trustees; and, be it further


RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be provided to Mr. Shermetaro to convey the esteem in which he is held by the Board of Trustees; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees publicly expresses its deep appreciation to Mr. Shermetaro and extends to him its best wishes for continued success in all of his future endeavors.

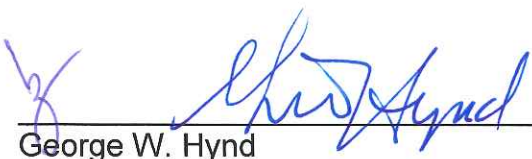
9. **Attachments:** None.

Submitted to the President

on June, 2015 by

  
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Glenn McIntosh, Vice President  
for Student Affairs

Recommended on 6/1, 2015  
to the Board for Approval by

  
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George W. Hynd  
President