

## OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS

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Dr. Ivan Sheehan Associate Professor School of Public and International Affairs Liberal Arts and Policy Building, Room 404 University of Baltimore 1420 North Charles Street Baltimore, MD 21201-5779

University of Maryland, Baltimore

University of Maryland, College Park

1865

**Bowie State University** 

1866

**Towson University** 

**University of Maryland** Eastern Shore

1898

Frostburg State University

**Coppin State University** 

**Salisbury University** 

1925

University of Baltimore

University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science

**University of Maryland** University College

University of Maryland, Baltimore County

Dear Dr. Sheehan:

I am pleased to inform you that the University System of Maryland (USM) Board of Regents (BOR) has selected you as a recipient of a 2016 USM Regents' Faculty Award for Excellence in Mentoring. This award is the highest honor that the Board bestows to recognize exemplary faculty achievement. Each year, up to 17 awards in five categories – mentoring; public service; research/scholarship/creative activity; teaching; and, innovation—are presented. Your selection as a recipient of one of these awards is in recognition of your outstanding accomplishments.

The Regents will recognize your achievements at a special breakfast ceremony, as well as during the public session of the full board meeting on Friday, April 15, 2016 at the University of Maryland University College (UMUC). Directions to UMUC, parking instructions, and additional details on the presentation of the awards will follow from the Chancellor's Office. The USM Communications Office will collaborate with your home institution's Communications staff to ensure that your colleagues in the USM and individuals in the larger community are informed of this recognition of your accomplishments.

On behalf of the Board of Regents, I thank you for your contributions. Your success brings honor to all of us who are a part of the USM.

Sincerely,

James L. Shea

Chair

James Brady, Chair, Committee on Education Policy & Student Life cc:

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