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# APPOINT DEAN, COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, CHICAGO

**Action:** Appoint Dean, College of Education, Chicago

**Funding:** State Appropriated Funds

The Chancellor, University of Illinois Chicago, and Vice President, University of Illinois recommends the appointment of Kathryn B. Chval, presently Professor of Learning, Teaching and Curriculum, College of Education, University of Missouri, as Dean of the College of Education, non-tenured, on a twelve-month service basis, on 100 percent time, at an annual salary of $260,000 (equivalent to an annual nine-month base salary of $212,727 plus two-ninths annualization of $47,273), and an administrative increment of $15,000, beginning July 1, 2021, for a total annual salary of $275,000. Dr. Chval has served as Dean Designate of the College of Education under the same conditions and salary arrangement, beginning July 1, 2021, through July 22, 2021.

In addition, Dr. Chval will be appointed to the rank of Professor in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction, College of Education, on indefinite tenure, on an academic year service basis, on zero percent time, non-salaried, effective July 1, 2021.

Dr. Chval succeeds Alfred Tatum, who last served in the role on a permanent basis. Marc Van Overbeke, Associate Professor of Educational Policy Studies and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, College of Education, has been serving in the position on an interim basis since June 16, 2020, while a national search was conducted.

This recommendation was forwarded from the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs in conjunction with the advice of a search committee.[[1]](#footnote-1)

The Board action recommended in this item complies in all material aspects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois *Statutes, the General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure,* and the Board of Trustees policies and directives.

The Interim Executive Vice President and Vice President for Academic Affairs concurs with this recommendation.

The President of the University recommends approval.

KATHRYN B. CHVAL

Education

University of Illinois Chicago, B.A., 1987; M.S.T., 1991; Ph.D., 2001

Professional and Other Experience

Hinsdale Elementary District #181, Illinois, 1987-89, Third Grade Teacher, Madison

Elementary School, Pre-Algebra Instructor/Instructional Aide, The Lane Elementary

School, Elem Elementary School, and Madison Elementary School

University of Illinois at Chicago, 1989-99, Program Associate, Department of

Mathematics, Statistics, and Computer Science, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences;

1999-2003, Program Associate, Big City Teacher Preparation Initiative, College of

Education

National Science Foundation, Arlington, Virginia, 2001-03, Program Director; 2002-03,

Acting Section Head

University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, Summer 2004, Visiting Faculty

Member, Alliance for Catholic Education

University of Missouri, Columbia, 2003-10, Assistant Professor, Learning, Teaching

& Curriculum, College of Education; 2003-15, Co-Director, Missouri Center for

Mathematics and Science Teacher Education; 2010-15, Associate Professor,

Learning, Teaching & Curriculum, College of Education; 2011-15, Associate Dean

for Academic Affairs, College of Education; 2015-16, Acting Dean, College of

Education; 2015-date, Professor, Learning, Teaching & Curriculum, College

of Education; 2016-20, Dean and Joanne H. Hook Dean’s Chair in Educational

Renewal, College of Education; 2019-20, Interim Executive Director, Mizzou

Academy

1. Michael Anthony Pagano, *Chair*, Professor of Public Administration and Dean, College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs, Professor of Political Science, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, and Director for the Government Finance Research Center; Lionel E. Allen Jr., Clinical Assistant Professor of Educational Policy Studies, College of Education; Alejandra Cantero, Business Administrative Associate, Department of Special Education, College of Education; Decoteau Jermaine Irby, Associate Professor of Educational Policy Studies, College of Education; Norma A. Lopez-Reyna, Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Special Education, and Interim Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, College of Education; Daniel M. Maggin, Associate Professor of Special Education and Interim Associate Dean for Research, College of Education; Catherine M. Main, Senior Lecturer, Department of Educational Psychology, College of Education; Ayesha Tasneem Qazi, Doctoral Student, College of Education; Aria Razfar, Professor of Curriculum and Instruction, College of Education, Professor of Medical Education, College of Medicine, and Departmental Affiliate of Linguistics, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences; Kathleen M. Sheridan, Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Educational Psychology, College of Education; Elise Amelia Wilson, Advisor, Doctoral Programs and Financial Aid Advisor, College of Education. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)