

CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, POMONA

ACADEMIC SENATE

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Dr. Shanthi Srinivas has served California State Polytechnic University, Pomona (Cal Poly Pomona) with exceptional distinction for 28 years from September 1988 to July 2016; and

WHEREAS, She served Cal Poly Pomona in numerous faculty and leadership capacities including Assistant Professor (1988–1991), Associate Professor (1991–1994), and Professor (1994–2016) of Management and Human Resources; Chair of the Management and Human Resources Department (1999–2005); Associate Dean of the College of Business Administration (2005–2007); and Associate Vice President for Academic Planning, Policy, and Faculty Affairs (2011–2016); and

WHEREAS, She served as a Senator on the Academic Senate representing the College of Business Administration (1992–1995); and

WHEREAS, She worked closely and tirelessly on and with Academic Senate standing committees including the Faculty Affairs Committee and Academic Affairs Committee, always providing perspective as well as accurate, comprehensive, and valuable campus-level and system-level information to these committees to help develop policies that serve Cal Poly Pomona faculty and students and the broader academic mission of Cal Poly Pomona; and

WHEREAS, She led as well as significantly contributed to initiatives and tasks related to conversion from a quarter calendar to a semester calendar; and

WHEREAS, As Associate Vice President for Academic Planning, Policy, and Faculty Affairs, she contributed immensely to the success of students, faculty, and the Division of Academic Affairs. Her outstanding accomplishments include initiating mentoring programs for new faculty as well as for new department chairs, a leadership development program for Academic Affairs, implementation of training for diversity awareness, and development of processes for utilization of student success fees to

enhance student advising, classroom modernization, and instructional technology innovation; and

WHEREAS, She tirelessly and selflessly contributed to the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) accreditation process and chaired the Educational Effectiveness Committee that resulted in a rare 10-year reaccreditation for Cal Poly Pomona in 2009; and

WHEREAS, She has provided exceptional leadership to numerous University committees including Special Projects for Enhancing the Classroom Experience Committee, Instructional Technology Committee, PolyTeach Conference Committee, WASC Educational Effectiveness Review Committee, WASC Steering Committee Member, University and Academic Affairs Strategic Planning Committee, Teacher-Scholar Task Force, and many others; and

WHEREAS, She was exceptional in providing support to department chairs, and was instrumental in organizing workshops and training sessions for new department chairs; and

WHEREAS, She received numerous faculty awards including the Outstanding Faculty Award for the Graduate Business Program (1991), Outstanding Faculty Award from the Management and Human Resources Department (1996 and 1998), and Favorite Faculty of the Year award from the Athletics Department (2004); therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Academic Senate of California State Polytechnic University, Pomona, express its sincere appreciation to Dr. Shanthi Srinivas for her outstanding contributions to the faculty and Academic Senate of Cal Poly Pomona; and be it further

RESOLVED, That this resolution be permanently recorded in the Minutes and Archives of the Academic Senate in recognition of Dr. Shanthi Srinivas.