

April 29, 2026

TO: Members of the Board of Trustees

FROM: Pamir Alpay, Ph.D.  
Interim Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

RE: Reappointment of Professor David Weber, Ph.D. to the Deloitte Foundation  
Professorship of Accounting in the School of Business for the period August 23,  
2026, through August 22, 2029



**RECOMMENDATION:**

That the Board of Trustees approve the Professor David Weber, Ph.D. to the Deloitte Foundation Professorship of Accounting in the School of Business for the period August 23, 2026, through August 22, 2029.

**RESOLUTION:**

“Be it resolved that the University of Connecticut Board of Trustees reappoint Professor David Weber, Ph.D. to the Deloitte Foundation Professorship of Accounting in the School of Business for the period August 23, 2026, through August 22, 2029.”

**BACKGROUND:**

The Deloitte Foundation Professorship of Accounting was established to recognize a researcher, scholar, and teacher who has made significant contributions to the field of accounting. The decision to reappoint Professor Mathieu was made following the recommendation of Interim Dean Greg Reilly. His recommendation is based on consultation with the relevant associate deans, department heads, and the Department Head of Accounting in the School of Business.

Professor Weber received his Ph.D. from the University of Colorado and joined the UConn faculty in 2005. He received tenure in 2013, and was promoted to Professor in 2021. His academic interests center on financial reporting and taxation, and he has been honored with awards for both his research and his teaching. His research has been published in leading journals such as *Journal of Accounting Research*, *The Accounting Review*, *Contemporary Accounting Research*, *Review of Accounting Studies*, and others. He has served on the Editorial Board of the *Journal of the American Taxation Association* and as a Trustee of the American Taxation Association. He is a member of the American Accounting Association, the American

Taxation Association, the National Tax Association, and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Professor Weber is also a CPA and worked in public accounting prior to his academic career.

In addition to his research, Professor Weber is an outstanding teacher and has received the Undergraduate Accounting Teaching Award, 2014–2015, 2007–2008, and named Beta Alpha Psi Professor of the Year, 2021–2022. He is actively engaged in the training and research of Ph.D. students and has served on twelve doctoral dissertation committees, chairing or co-chairing five.