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## **Information on late faculty members from the Department of Physics, University of Michigan**

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<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/physics>  
[http://um2017.org/2017\\_Website/Entry\\_Page.html](http://um2017.org/2017_Website/Entry_Page.html)

### **Donald I. Meyer 1926 - 2012**

at UM 1957-1996 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/donald-i-meyer>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/donald-i-meyer/memoir>

<http://obits.mlive.com/obituaries/annarbor/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&pid=157105785>

### **William C. Parkinson 1919 – 2012**

at UM 1947-1988 Professor of Physics; also before as student

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/william-c-parkinson>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/william-c-parkinson/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/william-c-parkinson/obituary-0>

### **Wayne E. Hazen 1914 - 2010**

at UM 1947-1984 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/wayne-e-hazen>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/wayne-e-hazen/obituary>

<http://obits.mlive.com/obituaries/annarbor/obituary.aspx?n=wayne-e-hazen&pid=146420368>

**Alfred Z. Hendel 1916 - 2010**

at UM 1958-1987 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/search/node/Fred%20Hendel>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/alfred-z-hendel/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/alfred-z-hendel/obituary>

**C. Thornton Murphy 1938- 2010**

at UM 1964–1967 Assistant Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/c-thornton-murphy>

<http://home.fnal.gov/~carrigan/channeling/Murphy.html>

**Ernst Katz 1913 - 2009**

at UM 1946-1979 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/ernst-katz-0>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/ernst-katz/obituary>

<http://www.anthroposophy.org/nc/articles/article-detail/archive/2010/11/article/ernst-katz-teacher-of-anthroposophy-359.html>

see [http://www.rsarchive.org/RelAuthors/KatzErnst/AGM\\_Address.php](http://www.rsarchive.org/RelAuthors/KatzErnst/AGM_Address.php)

**Mark Skalsey 1950 - 2008**

at UM 1976-2008 Associate Research Scientist and Lecturer; also before as student

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/mark-skalsey>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/mark-skalsey/obituary>

## **Oliver E. Overseth 1929 - 2008**

at UM 1961-1992 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/oliver-e-overseth>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/oliver-e-overseth/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/oliver-e-overseth/obituary>

<http://cerncourier.com/cws/article/cern/37335>

## **Michael Bretz 1973 - 2008**

at UM 1973-2008 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/michael-bretz>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/michael-bretz/obituarymemoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/michael-bretz/obituary>

## **H. Richard Crane 1907 - 2007**

at UM 1934-1978 Professor of Physics; Chair of Department of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/h-richard-crane>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/h-richard-crane/obituary>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/h-richard-crane/scholar-teacher>

[http://www.ur.umich.edu/0607/May07\\_07/obits.shtml](http://www.ur.umich.edu/0607/May07_07/obits.shtml)

[http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4564\\_1.html](http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4564_1.html)

<http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/568.html>

## **Noah Sherman 1921 - 2006**

at UM 1952-1978 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/noah-sherman>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/noah-sherman/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/noah-sherman/obituary>

[http://www.ur.umich.edu/0607/Apr16\\_07/obits.shtml](http://www.ur.umich.edu/0607/Apr16_07/obits.shtml)

**John Bardwick III 1931 - 2005**

at UM 1965-1996 Associate Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/john-bardwick-iii>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/john-bardwick-iii/obituary>

**Marcellus L. Wiedenbeck 1919 - 2001**

at UM 1945-1986 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/marcellus-l-wiedenbeck>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/marcellus-l-wiedenbeck/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/marcellus-l-wiedenbeck/obituary>

**Robert S. Tickle 1930 - 2000**

at UM 1960-1999 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/robert-s-tickle>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/robert-s-tickle/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/robert-s-tickle/memorial>

Tickle, Robert S. — of Scio Township, Washtenaw County,

Candidate for supervisor of Scio Township, Michigan.

1992 Nov 3: Robert S. Tickle (Rep), elected unopposed.

1996 Nov 5: Robert S. Tickle (Rep), elected unopposed.

**Peter A. Franken 1928 - 1999**

at UM 1956-1973 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/peter-franken>

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peter\\_Franken](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peter_Franken)

<http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4612.html>

[http://www-personal.umich.edu/~jenszorn/1JZArt/1\\_Art\\_Sculpt\\_\\_EAZ%20/FrankenObitUM.html](http://www-personal.umich.edu/~jenszorn/1JZArt/1_Art_Sculpt__EAZ%20/FrankenObitUM.html)

### **Joaquin M. Luttinger 1923 – 1997**

at UM 1953–1958 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/joaquin-m-luttinger>

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Joaquin\\_Mazdak\\_Luttinger](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Joaquin_Mazdak_Luttinger)

### **Robley C. Williams 1908 - 1995**

at UM 1935–1950 Professor of Physics and Bio Physics; Professor of Astronomy

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/robley-c-williams>

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Robley\\_C.\\_Williams](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Robley_C._Williams)

### **Bruce B. Cork 1916 – 1994**

at UM 1968–1974 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/bruce-b-cork>

<http://www.lbl.gov/Publications/Currents/Archive/Oct-14-1994.html>  
LBL In Memoriam

### **Arthur Rich 1937 - 1990**

at UM 1966-1990 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/arthur-rich>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/arthur-rich/memorial>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/arthur-rich/obituarymemoir>

see [http://ur.umich.edu/9899/Apr12\\_99/12.htm](http://ur.umich.edu/9899/Apr12_99/12.htm)

**Kent M. Terwilliger 1924 – 1989**

at UM 1952-1989 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/kent-m-terwilliger>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/kent-m-terwilliger/memorial>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/kent-m-terwilliger/obituarymemoir>

**Charles Wilbur (Pete) Peters 1918 - 1989**

at UM 1948-1983 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/charles-wilbur-peters-0>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/charles-wilbur-peters/memorial>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/charles-wilbur-peters/memoir>

**George E. Uhlenbeck 1900 - 1988**

at UM 1927-1935, 1939-1960 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/george-e-uhlenbeck>

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[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/George\\_Uhlenbeck](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/George_Uhlenbeck)

<http://www.nytimes.com/1988/11/02/obituaries/george-e-uhlenbeck-dies-at-87-co-discoverer-of-electron-s-spin.html>

[http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4922\\_1.html](http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4922_1.html)

**W. Wallace McCormick 1906 - 1987**

at UM 1947-1977 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/w-wallace-mccormick>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/w-wallace-mccormick/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/w-wallace-mccormick/memorial>

see <http://www.goodreads.com/book/show/7207674-fundamentals-of-university-physics>

### **William L. Williams 1937 - 1986**

at UM 1965-1986 Professor of Physics and Bio Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/william-l-williams>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/william-l-williams/memorial>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/william-l-williams/obituarymemoir>

### **Sir Gordon Brims Black McIvor Sutherland 1907-1980**

at UM 1949–1956 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/sir-gordon-brims-black-mcivor-sutherland>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/sir-gordon-brims-black-mcivor-sutherland/bio>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/sir-gordon-brims-black-mcivor-sutherland/classroom-profile>

<http://www.emma.cam.ac.uk/about/masters/?id=21>

### **Ralph Alanson Sawyer 1895 - 1978**

at UM 1919-1965 Professor of Physics; Dean of Graduate School; Director of the Michigan Memorial Phoenix Project

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/ralph-alanson-sawyer>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/ralph-alanson-sawyer/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/ralph-alanson-sawyer/classroom-profile>

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[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ralph\\_A.\\_Sawyer](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ralph_A._Sawyer)

[http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4856\\_1.html](http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4856_1.html)

<http://quod.lib.umich.edu/b/bhlead/umich-bhl-85820?rgn=main;view=text>

### **Samuel A. Goudsmit 1902 - 1978**

at UM 1927-1946 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/samuel-goudsmit>

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[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Samuel\\_Goudsmit](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Samuel_Goudsmit)

<http://prl.aps.org/edannounce/PhysRevLett.101.010002>

[http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4640\\_1.html](http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4640_1.html)

### **Oskar Klein 1898 – 1977**

at UM 1923–1925 Instructor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/oskar-klein>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/oskar-klein/bio>

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Oskar\\_Klein](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Oskar_Klein)

### **David M. Dennison 1901 - 1976**

at UM 1927-1970 Professor of Physics; Chair of Department of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/david-m-dennison>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/david-m-dennison/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/david-m-dennison/memorial>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/david-m-dennison/henry-russel-lecturer>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/david-m-dennison/follows-father039s-footsteps>

## **Otto Laporte 1902 - 1971**

at UM 1927-1971 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/otto-laporte>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/otto-laporte/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/otto-laporte/memorial>

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Otto\\_Laporte](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Otto_Laporte)

[http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4731\\_1.html](http://www.aip.org/history/ohilist/4731_1.html)

## **Harrison McAllister Randall 1870 – 1969**

at UM 1901-1940 Professor of Physics; Chair Department of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/harrison-mcallister-randall>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/harrison-mcallister-randall/memoir>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/harrison-mcallister-randall/bio>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/harrison-mcallister-randall/bio-0>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/harrison-mcallister-randall/naming-building>

<http://www.aps.org/programs/outreach/history/historicsites/summer.cfm>

## **James M. Cork 1894-1957**

at UM 1922–1957 Professor of Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/james-m-cork>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/james-m-cork/memorial>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/james-m-cork/obituariymemoir>

## **Karl Eugen Guthe 1866 - 1955**

at UM 1893–1900 Professor of Physics; Dean of the Graduate Department

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/karl-eugen-guthe>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/karl-eugen-guthe/bio-0>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/karl-eugen-guthe/bio-1>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/karl-eugen-guthe/bio>

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/karl-eugen-guthe/memorial>

**William Guy Peck 1820 – 1892**

at UM 1855–1857 Professor of Civil Engineering, Physics

<http://um2017.org/faculty-history/faculty/william-guy-peck>

[http://umhistory.dc.umich.edu/history/Faculty\\_History/P/Peck,\\_William\\_Guy.html](http://umhistory.dc.umich.edu/history/Faculty_History/P/Peck,_William_Guy.html)