

■ School of Education

Dr. Gerald Porter, Dean

August 30, 2007

Dr. Lin Lin Childhood/Early Childhood Education Department SUNY Cortland

Dear Dr. Lin:

I am pleased to report that you have been most highly recommended by me to receive a discretionary salary increase for your meritorious contributions during the 2006-2007 academic year. This recommendation has been based on the DSI policies outlined in the May 7, 2007 memorandum from Joanne Barry, Assistant Vice President of Human Resources. My recommendation took into consideration the materials you submitted, the recommendation of your chair, the input of former Dean Edward Caffarella, and the funds available for DSI recognition. Most significantly, this recommendation acknowledges the high caliber of your work and serves as a material indicator of the School's appreciation of your research, teaching and service contributions.

Should you wish to appeal this recommendation, you must direct your appeal to the Provost no later than September 17, 2007. I wish you the very best in your continued scholarly endeavors, and I look forward to your future contributions to the life of our academic community.

Appreciatively,

Gerald Porter

Dean

Cc: Dr. Elizabeth Davis-Russell, Provost

Dr. Cynthia Benton, Chair, Childhood/Early

Childhood Education Department