



UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO

To: Faculty, Staff and Students in Arts
Members, Executive Council
Editors, Daily Bulletin and Imprint

From: Feridun Hamdullahpur, President

Date: 8 February 2016

Re: **Reappointment – Dean, Faculty of Arts**

It is my pleasure to announce the reappointment of Professor Douglas Peers as dean of the Faculty of Arts for a second term of three years, commencing on July 1, 2016. This reappointment was recommended by the nominating committee established under Policy 45 and has been approved by Senate and the Board of Governors.

Professor Peers came to Waterloo from York University in 2011. He is a highly regarded scholar and educator, and experienced administrator and leader. During his first term as dean, he established himself as a valued member of the senior administrative team. As such, his reappointment enjoys support, both within and outside of the Faculty of Arts.

I am delighted that Doug is willing to continue as dean and look forward to working with him for a second term. I know that he can count on the support of the university community as the Faculty of Arts continues to strive towards even greater national and international prominence.