



AUBURN UNIVERSITY

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST

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Jamie Harrison
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Dear Jamie,

I am pleased to inform you that you have been awarded a Professional Improvement Leave (PIL) for Spring 2026. This competitive award, granted in recognition of your outstanding contributions and potential for further professional development, includes funding for all of your salary by the university. If your activities involve international travel or human subjects, please confer with the offices of International Programs, Research Security and Research Compliance for approval of these activities.

You are expected to submit a summary of your activities and accomplishments during your leave by the end of Summer 2026. This summary will help us understand the impact of your leave on your professional development and the broader academic community.

Congratulations on this well-deserved recognition. I look forward to your continued contributions to our university and wish you a productive and enriching leave.

Sincerely,

Vini Nathan Ph.D.
Provost & Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs

CC: Jeffrey Fairbrother
Paul Fitchett
Tai Boos