

Faculty Senate Resolution 2010-2011-06
Recommendation of *Emeritus* Status for Professor John Hoaglund

- **WHEREAS** John Hoaglund has served as an integral and committed member of the Christopher Newport University community as a member of the instructional faculty for thirty-nine years, and
- **WHEREAS** John Hoaglund has served his discipline with great distinction as a scholar, mentor, and faculty member for more than forty years, and
- **WHEREAS** John Hoaglund has contributed prolifically to his disciplines of logic, critical thinking, philosophy, ethics, and aesthetics by authoring, editing, introducing, or translating 10 books, including the critically acclaimed and widely adopted textbook, *Critical Thinking* (now in its fourth edition), by authoring at least 33 scholarly articles and reviews, many of which have been translated into multiple languages and published in national and international journals including *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Inquiry*, *Argumentation*, *Primum Philosophari*, *Informal Logic*, *Journal of Aesthetic Education*, *British Journal of Aesthetics*, and *American Philosophical Quarterly*, and by presenting more than 60 papers and addresses at national and international congresses, conferences, annual meetings, institutes, and seminars, and
- **WHEREAS** John Hoaglund is a respected international expert in the fields of critical thinking, logic, and aesthetics, who has served for many years on the Executive Committee and as President of the Association for Informal Logic and Critical Thinking, and as member of numerous national and international scholarly associations including the American Philosophical Association, the American Society for Aesthetics, the British Society of Aesthetics, the International Society for the Study of Argumentation, and the Society for Business Ethics, and
- **WHEREAS** John Hoaglund has been honored with numerous prestigious distinctions including a fellowship as a Senior Fulbright Research Fellow, University of Bergen, Norway; participation in a National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar in Music Criticism at Berkeley; the awarding of an American Council of Learned Societies Travel Grant Competition; the granting of a John F. Kennedy Institute Doctoral Thesis Award; and the awarding of a Berlin Senate Merit Scholarship, and
- **WHEREAS** John Hoaglund fostered the steady and fruitful growth of the Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies by serving as chair for nine years, by enlarging the department to include Religious Studies, and

- **WHEREAS** John Hoaglund instituted, developed, and tirelessly sustained the Critical Thinking Program at Christopher Newport University by serving as Director of the Center for Critical Thinking, as the Director of an externally funded Funds for Excellence Project for “Faculty and Curriculum Development in Critical Thinking,” and as the Director of 4 national conferences on critical thinking, and
- **WHEREAS** John Hoaglund has been noted as a leading scholar and teacher in the Directory of American Scholars, the International Who's Who of Education, Who's Who in America, Who's Who Among America's Teachers, Who's Who in American Education, and Who's Who in the World, and
- **WHEREAS** John Hoaglund represented his CNU colleagues by serving for many years on the Executive Committee, and as Vice President and President of CNU Chapter of the American Association of University Professors, and
- **WHEREAS** in the light of such distinguished scholarship, leadership, and service to Christopher Newport University and his decision to retire, the faculty of the Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies and The Dean of the College of Arts and Humanities have recommended that his relationship to the university be continued beyond the date of his retirement;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Faculty Senate of Christopher Newport University hereby recommends that the title of Professor Emeritus be conferred upon John Hoaglund, Dr. Phil. (Free University, Berlin), with all the rights, honors, and privileges attendant to such status.