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Dr. Dean Jobin-Bevans
Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities
Lakehead University
Thunder Bay, Ontario

Dear Dr. Jobin-Bevans,

With the unanimous support of the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies, I would like to request that Dr. Hugh Stevenson be appointed as a Professional Associate to our department at Lakehead University Orillia. Dr. Stevenson has had an illustrious career with the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP), has served in a voluntary consulting role in the development and coordination of the Criminology program at Lakehead Orillia, has taught several courses in the program on a sessional basis, and has provided valuable assistance to multiple faculty members in making research contacts within the OPP and negotiating research agreements between Lakehead and the OPP. Dr. Stevenson has been vital to the establishment and success of Lakehead's Criminology program. This appointment will better position him to supervise student research projects in Criminology, and it will help to further develop Lakehead's important relationship with the OPP, which have their headquarters in Orillia. He meets all criteria of a Professional Associate, which is a deserving title for the work he does and will continue to do.

I have attached his CV for your consideration. If you require any further information please let me know.

Sincerely.

Dr. Michael Stevenson

Chair, Department of Interdisciplinary Studies