Ke-Li Xu

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Subject: Keli Fellowship Award

I am pleased to announce that Ke LI Xu has been awarded a Ray A. Rothrock '77 Fellowship. This Fellowship program is intended to recognize annually up to three newly-promoted, highly recommended associate professors from the College of Liberal Arts with three-year awards of \$5000 per year. The award is intended to encourage and support the completion of exceptionally promising post-promotion projects and continued outstanding teaching that should lead to a successful recommendation for promotion to professor in 5-6 years and would enable the recipient to make singular contributions in research, teaching, and service to the department, college, and university.

The Rothrock Fellowship program started in 2007. The College has awarded two to four Rothrock Fellowships per year since 2007. This is the first time our department has had a Rothrock Fellow.

Please join me in congratulating Keli on this well-deserved award.

Tim