



WRIGHT STATE UNIVERSITY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

APPOINTMENT OF DR. JASON ANDERSON TO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE WRIGHT STATE UNIVERSITY CENTER FOR CIVICS, CULTURE, AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

RESOLUTION 25-XX

WHEREAS, Section 3352.16 of the Ohio Revised Code, adopted under Substitute House Bill 101 of the 135th General Assembly, established the Wright State University Center for Civics, Culture, and Workforce Development “the Center” as an independent academic division within the University reporting directly to the President; and

WHEREAS, the Center is directed to provide instruction on (1) the foundations of free societies; (2) the American Constitutional order, which includes the United States armed forces; (3) responsible and informed citizenship; (4) the purpose and role of Wright-Patterson Air Force Base; and support the workforce needs of the Base; and

WHEREAS, The Center at Wright State University has been granted special authority to waive out-of-state surcharges for military-connected students and recognizing military service for academic credit, and position Wright State University as being Ohio’s most military-friendly campus; and

WHEREAS, the Center is to serve as a catalyst for dialogue and conversation among members of the campus community, placing a strong foundation for responsible and informed citizenship; and

WHEREAS, the Center is led by an Executive Director selected by the Academic Council with the advice and consent of the Wright State Board of Trustees; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Jason Anderson, Ph.D., is an experienced and well-accomplished officer in the United States Air Force, graduating from the United States Air Force Academy, serving as a flight commander, and most recently, leading the Digital Innovation and Integration Center of Excellence at the Air Force Institute of Technology; and

WHEREAS, the Academic Council unanimously recommends Dr. Jason Anderson, Ph.D., to serve as the inaugural Executive Director of the Wright State University Center for Civics, Culture, and Workforce Development, subject to the advice and consent of the Board of Trustees; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Wright State University Board of Trustees hereby appoints Dr. Jason Anderson, Ph.D. to Executive Director of the Wright State Center for Civics, Culture, and Workforce Development, effective December 16, 2024.