

## Initial Announcement (note the time the email was sent)

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To: ...

Subject: At  $2^0:2^1$  AM on  $2^2/2^3/2^4$  I have decided ...

Ambuj:

What better time and day to make this announcement than now!

At  $2^0:2^1$  AM on  $2^2/2^3/2^4$  or at 1:10 AM on 100/1000/10000 all base 2 or in decimal at 1:02 AM on 4/8/16.

I have decided to separate from the university on June 29 and retire on July 1st, 2016.

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Teo

## Retirement Party Remarks

Even though I would like to say many things, I will limit them to three.

Following my announcement at 1:02 on 4/8/16, that is

at 2<sup>0</sup>: 2<sup>1</sup> on 2<sup>2</sup> / 2<sup>3</sup> / 2<sup>4</sup>

I am retiring after 2<sup>5</sup> (32) professorship years at UCSB plus 2<sup>0</sup> decades at other universities.

In 2<sup>5</sup> (32) more years it will be my 2<sup>6</sup> year in the Santa Barbara area. It will also be the year 2<sup>11</sup> (2048) when I will turn 10<sup>2</sup> years old. If you are good to CS and don't increase tuition (beyond 2<sup>14</sup>), you will be invited to my 10<sup>2</sup> birthday party and to my 2<sup>7</sup> birthday party too. Just so that you remember it, my 2<sup>7</sup> birthday will be during the Tricentennial. I have saved some new 2<sup>{something else}</sup> for then.

At this point I am the oldest CS professor at UCSB and the one who has been a professor the longest, though, not the longest at UCSB. Peter holds that record now. However, if his retirement papers are processed before mine, I will also have that record, even if it is for just a fraction of a second.

On another topic and speaking of records. I have had five fantastic results, more than anyone who is or has been a CS professor at UCSB. Eventhough, more than 1/3rd of my publications have been single-authored, all these results have been joint work with my wife Dorothy. It is clear that I have been the most productive (other would say re-productive) CS professor at UCSB. The way things look, this record will stand for decades to come.

With respect to current and past staff members at CS (UCSB), I believe my family also holds that record too.

