MIT pays pros 6th most in US
By Wei-Chung Hu
Full professors' salaries at MIT average $43,000 annually, placing it sixth among fifteen schools surveyed by the Association of University Presidents. Associate professors at the Institute earn an average of $30,600 annually, and assistant professors receive $23,469.

"We're much better off now than these figures indicate," said Francis E. Low, MIT provost. "We've made considerable progress in relative standings against our competition." Stanford University is still a major competitor in all fields except architecture, he said.

A recent Oklahoma State University survey of 73 state colleges and universities found the average salary for professors in all disciplines to be $32,126. Associate professors earn an average salary of $28,550, while assistant professors earn $23,017. Salary gaps among disciplines are widening due to market forces, the Oklahoma survey said. New assistant professors of business and management earn an average salary of $38,154, according to the survey.

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activities in an advisory capacity is "not necessarily bad," said Rhonda Beck '82, former member of the Student Center Committee. Having a faculty advisor may contribute to the health of musical and theatrical groups, although it might not be the most important issue in the future, she said, due to the expense of establishing an independent living facility.

"MIT will provide us with low-interest loans only if there is some financial commitment from the national organization," E. Samuel '84, former Finance Board Chairman, said. "We're still waiting for advice on what we should do." The average age of MIT professors is 49, compared to 52 outside. Associate professors' average age is 46, compared to 38 at other schools, he said.

MIT professors are relatively younger than those at other top schools, Low noted. The average age of MIT professors is 49, compared to 52 outside. Associate professors' average age is 46, compared to 38 at other schools, he said.

Salary differentials also exist at MIT, due to competition for faculty members from other schools, he said. "We don't use our own industrial and commercial competition, but we have to meet external competition," Low commented.

A faculty advisor can also improve communication between activities and the administration, McBay said. "If we had faculty involved serving as advisors in some of these activities, we'd have more support." From MIT.

An advisory committee to the Undergraduate Association (UA) composed of leaders of about 20 student government groups and activities is discussing many of the issues addressed in the recommendations of the Visiting Committee, noted Ira M. Summer '83, UA General Assembly floor leader.

The advisory group should seek more input from the student body at large, rather than just members of governing and activities, others suggested, and the

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