



MSU Faculty Member Feature

MSU's Canadian Studies Center Welcomes Professor Verter

Vedat Verter, John McConnell Endowed Chair of Business Administration and Chairperson, Supply Chain Management, Michigan State University

In July of 2019, Vedat Verter joined the Broad College of Business here at Michigan State University as the John McConnell Endowed Chair of Business Administration and Chairperson of the Supply Chain Management Department. Verter was previously a McGill University Professor and brings 24 years of experience from the Desautels Faculty of Management in Montreal, Quebec, Canada. Professor Verter's areas of research are service chain design, hazardous materials logistics, sustainable operations, and healthcare operations management. His work is presented in more than 70 research articles in refereed journals and is often cited, particularly in the field of healthcare such as preventive, primary, emergency, acute, and chronic care processes. He is a Founding Director of the NSERC CREATE Program in Healthcare Operations and Information Management, which is a seven-University PhD/PDF training program across Canada. He is the Editor-in-Chief of *Socio-Economic Planning Sciences*, an international journal focused on public sector decision making. Sanjay Gupta, The Eli and Edythe L. Broad Dean, stated that SCM faculty members hold Professor Verter "in high esteem as a scholar and leader" as they "expressed strong enthusiasm for his candidacy."