

My comments to Karly Graham (author of SN article):

- (1) When you accuse someone sending abusive insulting emails you NEED to produce ONE document to prove it. MSU couldn't produce any. After I was fired by MSU with the charge of sending abusive emails, two reporters Christiana Ford and Ashley Graham asked MSU produce my emails, by appealing to FOIA, and they got it, and found out there wasn't any insults there. The content of my emails were merely my repeated appeals to Admin to correct my academic record.
- (2) I did teach both of my ASSIGNED courses in Spring /2015 semester properly. They were the advanced undergrad course Math 425 (complex analysis), and advanced grad course Math 996. These two courses are considered to be very heavy teaching load by any standards in MSU math dept. My Math 996 class produced 5 PhD's from that class, and also the class notes were published by Oxford Press as a book. Both of my classes had more than required number of students to run properly and they did. But still both Chair K. Promislow and Grad Chair J. Wolfson attempted to disrupt my teaching by playing games by changing course numbers, just to put me in a position a professor not teaching his course (see documents in <https://selmanakbulut.com/Events.pdf>). But their attempt was unsuccessful. Clearly, they acted this way because at the time I was asking Math dept to replace the Grad chair Wolfson, who was found to be guilty by OIE, for practicing discrimination against ME students of muslim origin. But nevertheless at the end Spring 2015 semester Chair K. Promislow issued a public apology for disrupting my teaching, and gave me one course release in the following year just to make up for his ill actions. But strangely, he refused to remove "Abrogation of Duty" penalty from my record which he obtained from Provosts office, which was not OK with me.
- (3) In Summer of 2019, in MSU court, Promislow admitted LYING at least in 3 occasions and falsifying my academic records just to keep his "abrogation of Duty" in my academic record. He admitted another lie of misreporting my NSF grant balances (with Associate dean Richard Schwartz's help, who lied right along with him). All these are in the COURT records http://selmanakbulut.com/msu_court.html http://selmanakbulut.com/final_remarks.pdf It will be my lifelong goal to bring this liar (and his accomplices) to justice. I'm only beginning.
- (4) MSU's Dismissal Committee consisted of: Judge W. Whitbeck, profs J.Reifenberg, J. Smith, G. Strasburg. Charging Party was dean Duxbury (leading), K.Promislow, and the university attorney Theresa Kelly (she is well known from the Nassar case). Dean Duxbury never showed up to any of the hearings. At the end DC's report said that "This case was about \$600" (of course it was not) and concluded that "Charging Party has proved the charges against Dr. Akbulut, we recommend dismissal for cause". New incoming pres Stanley, and BoT rubber stamped this absurd decision.