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From reports around the College of Business, Horne Professor Michael Dugan is becoming most of the School of Accountancy. He is the MPA Director as well as on most committees that need an Accounting representative. With Stan Clark departed and Roderick Posey phasing-out (admittedly difficult to observe the difference), that leaves Charles Jordan without many allies with which to fight. Jordan may be tiring of the long commute and not care. With this work comes a lot of money, much more than is apparent from any budget book. Dugan is also in constant need of public and private ego stroking which is starting to wear thin in certain circles. Assuming he is worth any of this time and money, do you think this will speed any departures from Accounting? From your experience, is there something in the DNA of academics in Accounting that must have someone on which to fixate?

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