The College of Social and Behavioral Sciences



Policy:

Tenure-Review Criteria for Part-Time Faculty

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Tenure-eligible faculty who hold less than 1.0 FTE appointments will be reviewed for tenure using the following criteria:

- 1. The mandatory tenure review will normally take place during the individuals sixth year of appointment (unless the individual applies for, and receives, a delay of tenure clock for any of the reasons specified in the <u>University Handbook for Appointed Personnel</u>).
- 2. The individual will normally be expected to have taught a number of courses proportionate to the number normally expected of full-time tenure candidates in his or her unit, and at the same level of teaching quality expected of full-time tenure candidates. For example, a .51 appointee will be expected to have taught half the number of courses normally taught by a 1.0 appointee. Similar expectations govern the evaluation of other instructional activities, such as independent study courses and service on graduate, thesis, and dissertation committees.
- 3. The individual will normally be expected to have contributed an amount of service and outreach activities proportionate to the amount usually expected of full-time tenure candidates, and at the same level of quality expected of full-time tenure candidates.
- 4. The individual will normally be expected to have conducted the same amount of research and publication, and at the same level of quality, as that expected of full-time tenure candidates.

- 5. If the individual's FTE appointment changes during his or her pre-tenure period, then expectations regarding the total quantity of teaching, service, and outreach will be adjusted appropriately to reflect the entire pre-tenure period.
- 6. The normal expectations described above may be adjusted for good reason in individual cases, with the written approval, in advance, of the unit administrator and the dean.

Knowledge