

FACULTY IN THE

Tenure System Research and Teaching (RT) Track

PROMOTION OVERVIEW





Goals for Today

- Understand the basic expectations of your track.
- Learn what you can do right now to prepare for your promotion.
- Identify the resources available to assist you in the process.

Expectations



RT Track

Assistant / Associate / Professor (RT)

This tenure track is for basic scientists employed at $\geq 50\%$ FTE

Faculty must demonstrate:

A strong **research focus** with a **competitive and funded** independent research program

Generation of new knowledge through creative and original research

Strong evidence of **high-quality scholarly activity** including **independent peer-reviewed publications**

Excellence in **teaching**

Service/leadership on local and regional committees

Peer recognition at national level



Research & Scholarly Activity

RECORD OF RESEARCH & SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY IS BASED ON:

- RESEARCH RELATED HONORS & RECOGNITION
- INVITED COLLOQUIA, SYMPOSIA & PRESENTATIONS
- PUBLICATIONS, PAPERS & OTHER WORKS
 - Including quality and impact of publications, consistency of productivity and number of publications, originality of work, faculty role in the execution of the project
- SPONSORED RESEARCH ACTIVITY
 - Active federal funding is given the most weight
- ADOPTION OF PRACTICES OR PRODUCTS BY ONE'S PEERS
- MEMBERSHIP IN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES OR REVIEW COMMITTEES
- SENIOR COLLABORATOR ATTESTATION FORMS
 - For ASST to ASSOC: to document your contributions in collaborative projects
- FACULTY STATEMENT OF CURRENT AND PLANNED RESEARCH, CREATIVE OR SCHOLARLY WORK

Prepare Now

RECORD OF SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

- Keep your CV up-to-date and consider organizing scholarly activity by areas of P&T Dossier.
 - Invited Colloquia, Symposia & Presentations
 - Other Invited Presentations (Lectures & Workshops)
 - Publications or Other Creative Works
 - Books/Monographs and/or Chapters in Books
 - Edited volumes
 - Refereed journal articles
 - Refereed conference abstracts / proceedings
 - Other articles: Bulletins, Technical Reports, Book Reviews
 - Creative works
 - Patents
 - Papers/Poster Sessions Presented at Professional Meetings
 - Other Scientific Contributions



- Focus on high-impact peer-reviewed articles.
- Number and quality of first or senior author publications since joining UIC will be scrutinized.
 - Underline senior author for all publications.
- Reviewers will look for independence from your mentors / Head

F. SPONSORED RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

In chronological order, list sponsored research activities for a period not longer than the most recent five years (post-doctoral data may not be included). List all grant applications, even if unfunded. For faculty who are on a Q contract; who are in the non-tenure track having switched from the tenure track, or a visiting appointment; who were moved into the tenure track from the non-tenure track or from visiting appointments; or who started their probationary year higher than T1, please include data since the last personnel action or for the past five years, whichever period is longer (*post-doctoral data may not be included*).

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#	Date of Submission	Role of Candidate*	PI Name (if other than candidate)	Agency	Title of Proposal	Amount** Requested	Amount** Funded Not Funded = NF Declined = DC	Amount Attributable to Candidate	Funding Period
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*List name of PI if other than candidate.

In multi-investigator projects, list both the amount attributable to candidate and the total amount, e.g., \$123,000/\$375,750. **Indicate whether amount is total cost (TC), i.e. direct + indirect, or total direct cost (TDC). Funding and submissions are subject to verification by the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research.

“Sponsored Research Activities” form

from the College of Medicine’s p&t forms
(required for research tracks)



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EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

- Teaching quality must be well documented, from multiple types / sources of evaluation over time.
 - Discuss with your department head the mechanisms for collecting trainee **and** peer evaluations of all aspects of your educational activities [classroom/lecture, small group, clinical, etc.]
- Keep track of your trainees and their achievements
 - Names, dates of training, your specific role, notable achievements or honors
- Keep track of your teaching and education related activities
 - *Annual Report of Faculty Teaching Effort* form



1.a. Annual Report of Faculty Teaching Effort at UIC- AYxx-xx

Name: _____ Department: _____

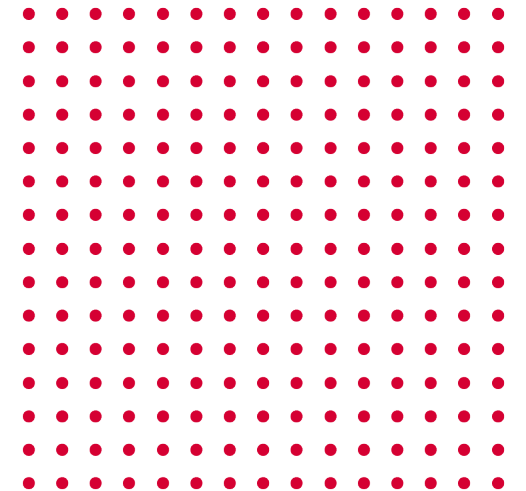
	DESCRIPTION OF TEACHING ACTIVITIES (Provide additional detail in the sections cited in parentheses.)	Scheduled Contact Hours per Year	Preparation Hours per Year	Total Hours per Year
1.0	Course and program planning, organization and coordination			
1.1	Classroom/Laboratory course			
1.2	Clinical clerkship			
1.3	Residency or fellowship			
1.4	Continuing medical education			
2.0	Lectures and seminars			
2.1	Course leading to profession or graduate degree			
2.2	Course for residents or fellows			
2.3	Continuing medical education			
2.4	Course leading to undergraduate degree			
2.5	Course leading to technical certificate			
3.0	Laboratory or other scheduled small group teaching			
3.1	Planner, coordinator, supervisor of the session			
3.2	Supportive role in laboratory or small group session			
4.0	Clinical teaching/attending			
4.1	Undergraduate clinical teaching			
4.2	Resident teaching rounds			
4.3	Combined resident/medical student rounds			
4.4	Ad hoc clinical teaching			
5.0	Research training/independent study			
5.1	Medical student			
5.2	Masters degree candidates			
5.3	Ph.D. candidate			
5.4	Resident			
5.5	Postdoctoral fellow			
6.0	Counseling/guidance			
6.1	Medical or graduate student			
6.2	Resident or fellow			
7.0	Educational committee work			
7.1	Local education committee			
7.2	College/campus education committee			
7.3	Education committee for national organization			
8.0	Curriculum development			
9.0	Other (describe on a continuation page)			
	TOTALS			

Please note: One report for each of the three years prior to review should be provided. Hours attributed to teaching should correspond to the % effort engaged in teaching, and be reported separately from clinical and research time.

“Annual Report of Faculty Teaching Effort” form

from the College of Medicine’s
p&t forms

(required for all tracks)



(type Faculty Member name here) (signature)
Faculty Member

(type Dept/Head name here) (signature)
Department/Head



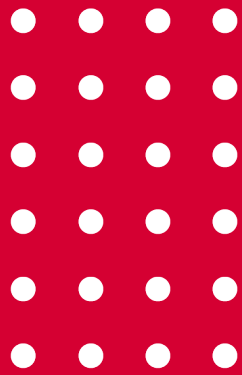
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SERVICE / LEADERSHIP



- Keep your CV up-to-date and consider organizing service activity by areas of P&T Dossier.
 - Administrative Service
 - Major administrative titles
 - Service to Unit/College
 - Committee assignments; special contributions to academic unit, representing Unit or College to outside agencies.
 - Service to University
 - Interdepartmental service; member of University governing body or committee; representative of University to outside agencies
 - Service to Students
 - Activities related to student groups/organizations, special counseling services and student-run clinics, etc.
 - Service to Profession/Discipline
 - Professional activities including office in professional organizations, editorship, grant review activity
 - Public Service

- Include start/end dates of all service activities
- OK to include explanation of significance and/or your role



Personal Statements

AREAS OF FOCUS FOR PERSONAL STATEMENTS

- Teaching Goals, Approaches and Accomplishments
- Current and Planned Research, Creative or Scholarly Work
- Current and Planned Service Activities
- Efforts to Promote DEI
- Interdisciplinary Work (optional)

In General...

- Personal statements in the P&T Dossier are really weighed heavily by Committee and are a great way for you to sell yourself and your accomplishments.
- Use clear, simple language in terms someone outside your field can understand. Ensure that your statement explains what you do, why it matters, why you care and what excites you!
- Provide details on current efforts and accomplishments as well as future plans.
- Personal statements are limited to one page, no smaller than 10pt font



Resources

- **Unit Resources**

- Head, Faculty/Staff support for P&T process
- Senior faculty in the department or faculty who have recently gone through promotion process

- **[COM Faculty Affairs Website](#)**

- Website has COM criteria, departmental norms (where available), COM/University policies and procedures, and promotion forms.
- COM Office of Faculty Affairs staff
 - Pauline Maki, PhD – Associate Dean for FA (pmaki1@uic.edu)
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- **[Office of the Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs Website](#)**

- [P&T Mentoring Workshops](#)
- [P&T Guidelines, Forms and Resources](#)



