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Faculty Council
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

RE: Annual Report of the Committee on Appointments, Promotions and Tenure

January 11, 2021

Dear Members of the Faculty Council,

The Committee on Appointments, Promotions and Tenure (APT Committee) “is advisory to the provost in any faculty personnel matter deemed important by the provost or the committee” and specifically with respect to:

- appointments, reappointments, and promotions that confer permanent tenure
- promotions to a higher rank of persons holding permanent tenure at the rank of associate professor or assistant professor
- appointments to distinguished professorships that are not restricted by the terms of the endowment to a particular school or department
- review of school and department APT policies

The 2021 APT Annual Report to the Faculty Council below includes a table summarizing the Committee’s decisions from January to December 2020 and the Committee’s membership roster.

The APT Committee carried out its work through monthly meetings and subcommittee assignments between meetings. The Committee was chaired by Stephen Crews through June 2020 and then by Karin Pfennig as of July of the same year. The Committee reported its recommendations each month to the Provost. In addition, the Committee Chair on occasion communicated to unit Chairs and Deans regarding dossiers and policies.

As shown in the table below, 138 dossiers required a vote by the APT Committee in 2020. One dossier was returned to its respective unit for additional information. Thus, there were a total of 137 distinct dossiers considered last year. Promotion was approved for 136 dossiers, 1 was not approved, 0 were withdrawn, and 0 were returned for reconsideration in 2021.

I am happy to discuss any aspects of the APT Committee’s work.

Sincerely,

Karin Pfennig
Chair, APT
Professor of Biology

Annual APT Committee Report: 2020 Monthly Meeting Outcomes				
Month	Number of Dossiers - Vote Required	Number of Dossiers Approved	Number of Dossiers Not Approved	Number of Dossiers Returned for More Information
January 8, 2020	5	5	0	0
February 12, 2020	12	12	0	0
March 11, 2020	42	40	1	1
April 8, 2020	8	8	0	0
May 8, 2020	20	20	0	0
June 10, 2020	2	2	0	0
July 8, 2020	12	12	0	0
August 12, 2020	4	4	0	0
September 9, 2020	8	8	0	0
October 7, 2020	4	4	0	0
November 4, 2020	14	14	0	0
December 2, 2020	7	7	0	0
Totals	138	136	1	1

Membership roster for calendar year 2020

January to June

Name	Department	School	Constituency	Term expires
Claudio Battaglini	Exercise & Sport Science	Arts & Sciences	Arts & Sciences	2021
Melinda Beck	Nutrition	Public Health	Professional Schools	2022
Lee Berkowitz	Internal Medicine	Medicine	Medicine	2021
Timothy Carter	Music	Arts & Sciences	Arts & Sciences	2020
Mimi Chapman	Social Work	Social Work	Professional Schools	2020
Stephen Crews	Biochemistry and Biophysics	Arts & Sciences	Arts & Sciences	2020
Ashraf Fouad ¹	Endodontics	Dentistry	Professional Schools	2020
Stephen Hooper	Allied Health	Medicine	Medicine	2020
Sandra Hughes-Hassell	Information and Library Sci	SILS	Professional Schools	2022
<i>Karin Pfennig</i>	<i>Biology</i>	<i>Arts & Sciences</i>	<i>Arts & Sciences</i>	<i>2021</i>
Beverly Taylor	English & Comp. Literature	Arts & Sciences	Arts & Sciences	2022
David Weber ²	Infectious Diseases	Medicine	Medicine	2020

¹ Substitute for SeonAe Yeo who was on leave 2019-2020, term end 2021;

² Substitute for Patricia Rivera who was on leave 2019-2020, then resigned, seat filled by Stephen Crews (alternate from the 2020 election)

July to December

Name	Department	School	Constituency	Term expires
Claudio Battaglini	Exercise & Sport Science	Arts & Sciences	Arts & Sciences	2021
Melinda Beck	Nutrition	Public Health	Professional Schools	2022
Lee Berkowitz	Internal Medicine	Medicine	Medicine	2021
Stephen Crews	Biochemistry & Biophysics	Medicine	Medicine	2022
Stuart Gold	Pediatrics	Medicine	Medicine	2023
Sandra Hughes-Hassell	Information & Library Sci	SILS	Professional Schools	2022
Serenella Iovino	Romance Studies	Arts & Sciences	Arts & Sciences	2023
Seth Noar	Journalism and Media	Journalism & Media	Professional Schools	2023
<i>Karin Pfennig</i>	<i>Biology</i>	<i>Arts & Sciences</i>	<i>Arts & Sciences</i>	<i>2021</i>
Gretchen Stuart	OBGYN-Family Planning	Medicine	Medicine	2023
Beverly Taylor	English & Comp. Literature	Arts & Sciences	Arts & Sciences	2022
SeonAe Yeo	Nursing	Nursing	Professional Schools	2021