

Personnel and Tenure Committee Charter

Purpose

The duties of the Personnel and Tenure Committee shall include reporting to the Board and providing policy advice on items delegated to the Board of Trustees pursuant to the following sections of the UNC Policy Manual under 100.1.99 Appendix 1 - DELEGATIONS OF DUTY AND AUTHORITY TO BOARDS OF TRUSTEES:

- I. ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL
 - A. Appointment and Compensation
 - C. Personnel Policies

IV. HONORARY DEGREES, AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

Meetings

The Personnel & Tenure Committee meets as necessary between regular Board meetings.

Membership

The Personnel and Tenure Committee shall be comprised of at least three (3) but no more than five (5) members as determined by the Board Chairperson. The committee Chair shall be appointed by the Board Chairperson.

Staff Designee

The Provost & Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs shall provide staff to support the Committee.

Adopted: March 19, 2021

Relevant Sections of 100.1.99 Appendix 1 - DELEGATIONS OF DUTY AND AUTHORITY TO BOARDS OF TRUSTEES

I. ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

A. Appointment and Compensation

- 1. Upon recommendation of the chancellor, the board of trustees of a special responsibility constituent institution with management flexibility for personnel appointments shall, for all positions exempt from the State Personnel Act except the position of the chancellor, appoint, promote, and set the compensation for such employees consistent with the policies and salary ranges set by the Board of Governors and the regulations and guidelines established by the Office of the President.
- 2. Personnel actions at a constituent institution, other than a special responsibility constituent institution with management flexibility, shall be governed as follows:
 - a. With respect to all faculty positions with permanent tenure and all senior administrative positions, namely vice chancellors, provosts, deans and directors of major educational and public service activities, the chancellor, following consultation with the board of trustees, shall forward to the president recommendations with respect to such appointments, promotions, and compensation; if the president concurs in such recommendations, the president shall forward them to the Board of Governors for approval. Notwithstanding the requirements of this paragraph, a board of trustees may promote in rank a faculty member with permanent tenure, upon the recommendation of the chancellor, and without approval by the Board of Governors.
 - b. With respect to all faculty and administrative positions other than those identified in subparagraph 2a above, and other than those subject to the State Personnel Act, the chancellor shall forward the chancellor's recommendations for appointment, promotion and compensation to the board of trustees; subject to applicable provisions of the University *Code* and to such policies as may be established by the Board of Governors, the action of the board of trustees with respect to such personnel actions shall be final.

C. Personnel Policies

The board of trustees may adopt personnel policies not otherwise prescribed by state law, the University *Code*, or policies of the Board of Governors, for personnel in all categories of university employment. Policies adopted by a board of trustees regarding academic tenure and promotion shall be effective upon review by the senior vice president for academic affairs and the vice president and general counsel, and approved by the president.

IV. HONORARY DEGREES, AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

The board of trustees shall be responsible for approving the names of all individuals on whom it is proposed that an honorary degree or other honorary or memorial distinction be conferred by the institution, subject to such policies as may be established by the Board of Governors.