

Faculty Review Process: Appointment, Promotion and Tenure

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First Stop – Academic Affairs Website

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Urgent Issues: Improper Conduct, Office of the Ombuds, Suicide Prevention, Disability Management, Impairment & Addiction, Whistleblower

CCFL: FDD, Mentoring, Wellness Grand Rounds, Faculty Development, Leadership

Academic Information Systems: Advance, AP Recruit

Resources: Researchers, Educators, Clinicians, Leaders

Academic Personnel



Academic Personnel

Links to APM, all policies and forms

Recruitment/Retention, Retirement/Separations, Advancement/Reviews, Leaves, Compensation/Benefits, Academic Employee Labor Relations, Other – Policies, Reports

Official Policies

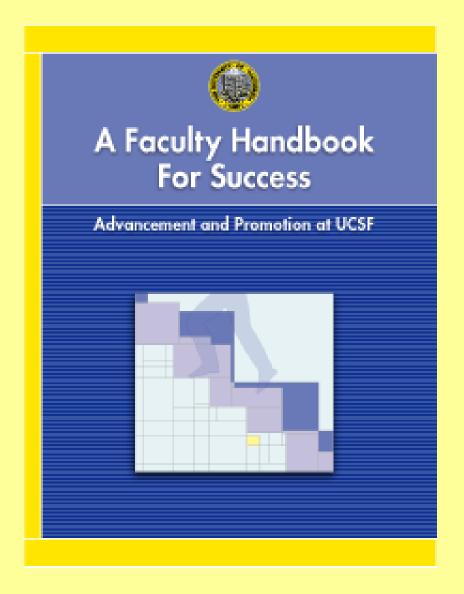
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Policies

http://academicaffairs.ucsf.edu/academic-personnel/

UC system
 Academic Personnel Manual (APM)
 http://www.ucop.edu/acadpersonnel/apm/





http://www.ucsf.edu/senate/facultyhandbook/index.html



People

Department

Mentor, Chair

Service Center

Academic Personnel Analyst

School

Vice/Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

Dentistry – Peter Sargent

Medicine – Elena Fuentes-Afflick, Renee Binder,

Paul Garcia

Nursing – Shari Dworkin

Pharmacy – Thomas Kearney

Campus

Vice Provost, Academic Affairs – Brian Alldredge Asst Vice Provost – Cynthia Lynch Leathers



Details all faculty should know

- Series, rank, step
- Salary, covered compensation, sources of \$, compensation plan
- Responsibilities
 - % time research "protected time"
 - % teaching, % clinical practice
 - Service required
- Support
 - Space
 - Mentoring
 - Equipment, facilities for research
 - Administrative/clerical support
 - Benefits, parking



UCSF Faculty Appointments

Series

- 5 - UC is different from most universities

Rank

- Assistant, Associate, Professor

Step

- Assistant I to VI
- Associate I to V
- Professor I to IX and Above Scale

UCSF Faculty Series (paid)

- Academic Senate members
 - Professor ladder rank tenure track
 - Professor In Residence
 - Professor of Clinical X
- Non-Senate
 - Adjunct Professor
 - Health Sciences Clinical Professor
- (Non-faculty academic)
 - (Research Scientist)



Academic Senate Membership

- Shared governance is real at UCSF
 - Administration and faculty
- Serve on Academic Senate committees
 - APB, P&T, CAP, Research, Fac Welfare, etc
- Vote
- Home loans
- File grievance with P&T
- Professional development leaves



What is expected

	Ladder- rank	In Residence	Clinical X	Adjunct	HS Clinical
Teaching/ mentoring	+++	+++	+++	+*	+++
Research/ Creative work	+++	+++	++	+++*	+
Professional competence	+++	+++	+++	+*	+++
Service	+++	+++	+++	+*	++



^{*} One or more components must be +++

Rules and Privileges

	Ladder- rank	In Residence	Clinical X	Adjunct	HS Clinical
Tenure/length of Appointment	Yes	Varies*	Yearly	Yearly	Yearly
Senate member	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
Sabbatical/ Professional leave	Yes	Yes**	Yes**	Yes***	Yes***
Appraisal	Yes	Yes	Yes	On request	On request
8 year rule	Yes	Yes	Yes	No#	No#
% time	100	100	100	Any	Any

^{*} appointed without end date at Assoc/Prof level, no tenure

^{*} no 8 year rule at UCSF, but applies to other campuses



^{**} professional leave possible; *** professional leave allowed by exception

Academic Advancement

Criteria (APM)

- Teaching and mentoring
- Research & other creative activities
- Professional competence
- University & public service

Weighting of Criteria

- Series-dependent
- Department-defined



Evaluating Teaching & Mentoring

Direct Teaching

- Professional students
- Graduate students
- Residents, fellows

Course / Program Administration Advising and mentoring (including other faculty) Data sources

- CV (quantity of teaching; type of mentoring)
- Structured evaluations of teaching
- Letters from students, trainees, mentees



Evaluating Research / Creative Work

Productivity

- Original peer-reviewed publications / dissemination
- Progression / trajectory

Independent Contributions

- Authorship (first or senior author)
- Principal investigator
- Collaborative (team science) research contributions
 essential, creative and unique contributions

Significance

- Funding sources (competitive extramural support)
- Quality of journal publications
- Thematic focus
- Letters of support (credentials of evaluator)



Evaluating Professional Competence

Professional Capabilities

- Peer evaluations
- Trainee assessments
- Board certification / recertification

Invited Presentations / Publications Editorial / Reviewer Activities Grant Reviewer Professional Organization Activities Honors and Awards



Evaluating Service

University Service

- Department / Programs
- School
- Academic Senate
- System-wide

Professional Service

- Professional society or publication service

Community / Public Service Diversity / Equal Opportunity



Guidelines for accelerated advancement

- Exceptional performance in one area
 - Prestigious competitive grant beyond expectations
 - Competitive professional service award for national/international service
 - Sustained level of outstanding achievement
 - Unusual productivity
 - Extraordinary service administrative, innovative program, 3 year service on major committee (e.g. IACUC/CHR/Admissions [varies by School])
- Meet all other expectations for action



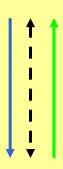
Academic Personnel Review

Faculty cv, reference names

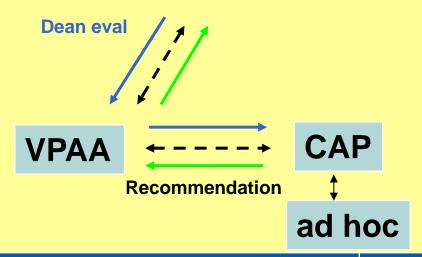
Department/Service Center



ref letters teach eval fac vote Chair letter



Academic Affairs Vice/Assoc Dean





ADVANCE

Faculty Information System

- A resource for academic career information
- Online tool to facilitate the appointment, merit and promotion process
- NIH Biosketch

Goals

- Reduce the time for the review
- Increase transparency of the appointment/advancement process
- Enable search of faculty data

How?

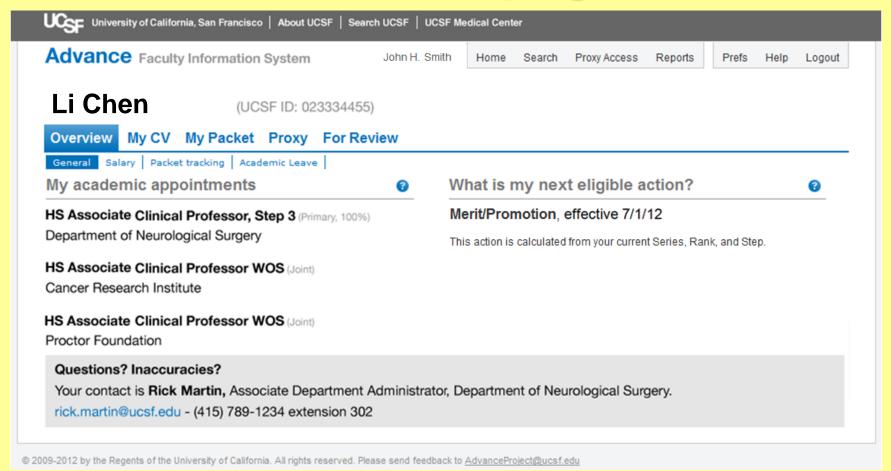
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For training

http://academicaffairs.ucsf.edu/advance/guidesfaculty.php

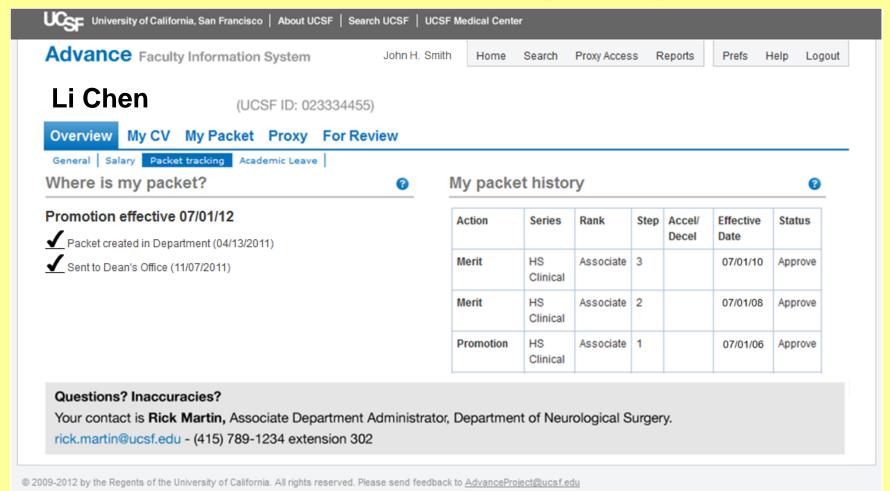


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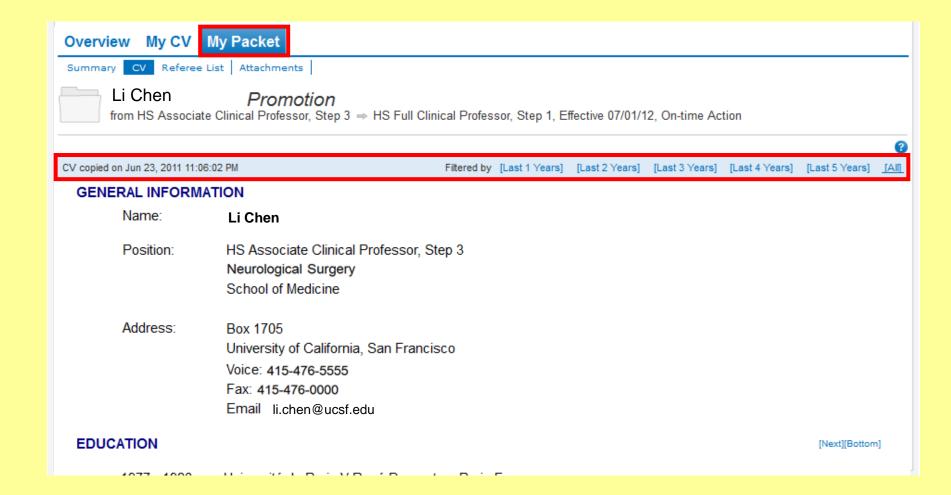


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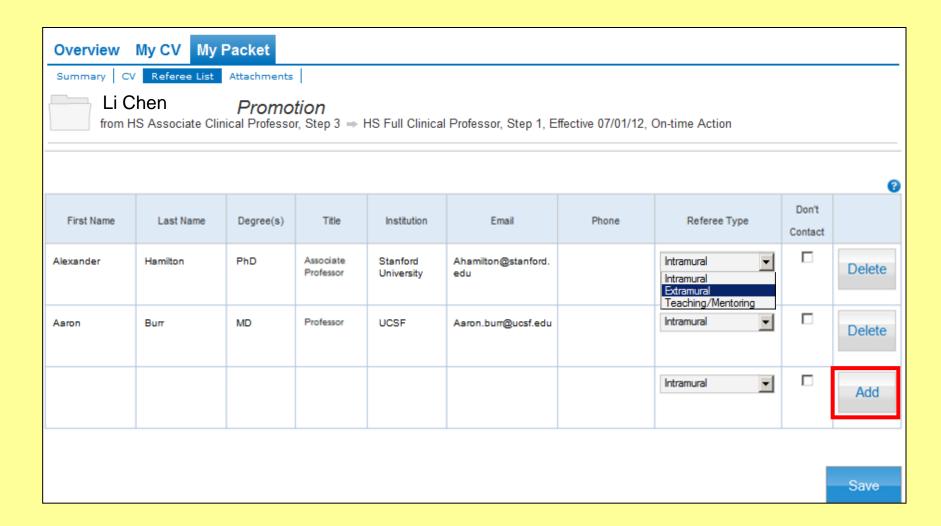


The Packet CV





The Referee List





Your Promotion Packet Contains:

CV

Student & peer teaching evaluations
Letters of evaluation (≥ 3 internal; ≥ 3 external)
Faculty vote or concurrence
Departmental recommendation letter

Your CV

- Develop a system for recordkeeping ADVANCE
- Comply with all department deadlines
- Accuracy and clarity are your responsibility
- Use paragraphs (e.g., teaching/research summaries) wisely
- Report percentile scores for grants not funded

Letters of Evaluation

- Begin cultivating professional relationships early
- Be strategic in your choices (discuss with mentors, department chair)
- Letters should come from individuals at higher academic rank
- Contact prospective letter writers to gauge their willingness to write a supportive letter
- Your department may request more internal and external letters than is required



Committee on Academic Personnel Who are those guys?

CAP is a multidisciplinary and hard-working group of senior faculty from Senate, Adjunct and Health Science Clinical series

- 9 members from different Academic Senate series and up to 2 faculty members from Adjunct or Health Sciences Clinical series
- Appointed by Academic Senate Committee on Committees for 3 year terms
- Representing different schools, departments and disciplines



Committee on Academic Personnel When does CAP get involved?

CAP reviews faculty at major events:

- Appointments
- Appraisals
- Promotion to Associate or Full Professor
- Change in Series
- Accelerations (>1 yr and/or consecutive accelerations)
- Merit advancement to Professor Step VI and to Above Scale



CAP's Responsibility

CAP provides a thorough review of the entire faculty packet, including but not limited to CV, letters, and teaching evaluations

- CAP may request additional information
- CAP may seek review by an ad hoc committee if an action is controversial or more specific expertise is needed

CAP provides a recommendation to the VPAA on whether to approve, disapprove or modify the action



Summary

- Know your series and what is required
- Have good mentors and use them
- Seek collaborators and help when needed
- Be outstanding in teaching, research, professional competence, service
- Be successful!