

**Authority and Review Chart**  
(Effective November 2021)

<b><u>Ladder Rank Professor</u></b>		<b><u>Project Scientist</u></b>	
Assistant	<a href="#">2</a>	Assistant	<a href="#">20</a>
Associate	<a href="#">3</a>	Associate/Full	<a href="#">21</a>
Full	<a href="#">4</a>		
		<b><u>Specialist</u></b>	
<b><u>Acting Professor</u></b>		Assistant	<a href="#">22</a>
Assistant	<a href="#">5</a>	Associate/Full	<a href="#">23</a>
Associate/Full			
		<b><u>Academic Administrator/Coordinator</u></b>	
<b><u>Teaching Professors</u></b>		Academic Administrator	<a href="#">24</a>
Assistant Teaching Professor (LPSOE)	<a href="#">6</a>	Academic Coordinator	<a href="#">25</a>
Associate Teaching Professor (LSOE)	<a href="#">7</a>		
Teaching Professor (Sr. LSOE)	<a href="#">8</a>	<b><u>Unit 18</u></b>	
		Lecturer-Unit 18 (Pre-6-Years)	
<b><u>Professor in Residence, Professor of Clinical X</u></b>		Lecturer-Unit 18 (Continuing)	<a href="#">26</a>
Assistant Professor in Residence and Assistant	<a href="#">9</a>	Summer Session Lecturer- Unit 18	
Assistant Professor Clinical X		Supervisor of Teacher Education – Unit 18 (Pre-6 Years)	<a href="#">27</a>
Associate/Full Professor in Residence	<a href="#">10</a>	Supervisor of Teacher Education – Unit 18 (Continuing)	
Associate/Full Professor Clinical X			
		Educator Without Salary	
<b><u>Adjunct Professor - Salaried</u></b>		Lecturer, Miscellaneous – Part-Time / Guest Lecturer	<a href="#">28</a>
Assistant	<a href="#">11</a>	Research Associate/Fellow (SIO Only)	
Associate	<a href="#">12</a>		
Full	<a href="#">13</a>	Health Sciences Clinical Professor	<a href="#">29</a>
<b><u>Adjunct Professor – Non-salaried</u></b>		<b><u>HS Clinical Instructors/Professor</u></b>	
Assistant	<a href="#">14</a>	Non-Salaried	<a href="#">30</a>
Associate	<a href="#">15</a>	Voluntary	
Full	<a href="#">16</a>		
		<b><u>Librarians</u></b>	
<b><u>Professor of Practice</u></b>		All Ranks	<a href="#">31</a>
Salaried (all ranks)	<a href="#">17</a>		
Non-salaried (all ranks)		Continuing Educator	<a href="#">32</a>
		Coordinator of Public Programs	
<b><u>Research Scientist</u></b>			
Assistant	<a href="#">18</a>		
Associate/Full	<a href="#">19</a>		

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**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (LRF)**

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	GC Provost/ Council of Provosts	GC School Dean	GC Vice Chancellor for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1,2</sup> (steps I, II & III)	*	A		A	A				
Appointment (steps IV, V, & VI)	*	R		R	R		R	A	
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
Merit <sup>1</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
No change <sup>1</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
Reappointments/merits/ no-changes after 1 <sup>st</sup> review		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Appraisal		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Promotion with acceleration		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Termination		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				

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**Authority and Review Chart**  
**ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (LRF)**

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Appointment	*	R		R	R	R	R	R	A
1 <sup>st</sup> deferral <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
2 <sup>nd</sup> consecutive deferral		R		R	R			A	
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
1 <sup>st</sup> no change <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Consecutive no change		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Career equity review (LRF only)		R		R	R		R	A	
Recall		R		R	R			A	
Recall as Exception to Policy		R		R	R				A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				

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# **Authority and Review Chart** **PROFESSOR (LRF)**

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Appointment	*	R		R	R	R	R	R	A
1 <sup>st</sup> deferral <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
2 <sup>nd</sup> consecutive deferral		R		R	R			A	
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
1 <sup>st</sup> No change <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Consecutive no change		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit to/through Step VI		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Merit Advancement to Professor, Above Scale		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Further above-scale merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Career equity review (LRF only)		R		R	R		R	A	
Recall		R		R	R			A	
Recall as Exception to Policy		R		R	R			R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				

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## Authority and Review Chart ACTING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

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Appointment <sup>1,2</sup> (steps I, II & III)	*	A		A	A				
Appointment <sup>1,2</sup> (steps IV, V, VI)	*	R		R	R		R	A	
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
Regularization <sup>1</sup> (Steps I and II) <sup>1,2</sup>	*	A		A	A				
Regularization <sup>1</sup> (Steps IV, V, VI)	*	R		R	R		R	A	

## ACTING ASSOCIATE/FULL PROFESSOR

	GC Provost/ Council of Provosts	GC School Dean	GC Vice Chancellor for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Merit		R		R	R	R	R	A	
No Change		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Regularization		R		R	R	R	R	R	A

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## ASSISTANT TEACHING PROFESSOR (LPSOE)

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Appointment (Steps I, II & III) <sup>1,2</sup>	*	A		A	A				
Appointment (Steps IV, V, & VI)	*	R		R	R		R	A	
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
Merit <sup>1</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only) <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
No change <sup>1,2</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
Reappts/merits/ no-changes after 1 <sup>st</sup> review		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Appraisal		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Promotion with acceleration		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Termination		R		R	R		R	R	A

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Appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	*	R		R	R	R	R	R	A
1 <sup>ST</sup> deferral <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
2 <sup>nd</sup> consecutive deferral		R		R	R			A	
1 <sup>st</sup> no change <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Consecutive no change		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit Advancement (Steps I-V without a new off-scale salary component) <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion to Teaching Professor		R		R	R	R	R	A	

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# **Authority and Review Chart** **FULL TEACHING PROFESSOR (LSOE)**

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Appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	*	R		R	R	R	R	R	A
1 <sup>ST</sup> deferral <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
2 <sup>nd</sup> consecutive deferral		R		R	R			A	
1 <sup>st</sup> no change <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Consecutive no change		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit Advancement (Steps I-V & VII-IX without a new off-scale salary component) <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit Advancement to Step VI		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit Advancement to Teaching Professor, Above Scale		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Further Above-Scale Merit Advancement		R		R	R	R	R	A	

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## ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN RESIDENCE

## ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL (e.g., Medicine) X

	GC Provost/ Council of Provosts	GC School Dean	GC Vice Chancellor for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1,2</sup> (steps I, II & III)	*	A		A	A				
Appointment (steps IV, V, VI)	*	R		R	R		R	A	
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
Merit <sup>1,2</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
No change <sup>1,2</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
Reappointments/merits/ no-changes after 1 <sup>st</sup> review		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Appraisal		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Termination		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				

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Appointment	*	R		R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup> (Appointees with End Dates)		A		A	A				
1 <sup>st</sup> deferral <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
2 <sup>nd</sup> consecutive deferral		R		R	R			A	
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
1 <sup>st</sup> no change <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Consecutive no change		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion to Full Professor in Residence or Clinical X		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Merit Advancement to Step VI		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Merit Advancement to Professor In Residence or Clinical X, Above Scale		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Further Above-Scale Merit Advancement		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Recall		R		R	R			A	
Recall As Exception To Policy		R		R	R			R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				

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Appointment <sup>1,2</sup> (steps I, II & III)	*	A		A	A				
Appointment (steps IV, V, VI)	*	R		R	R		R	A	
Reappointment/Merits/No Change <sup>1,2</sup> (1 <sup>st</sup> review only)		A		A	A				
Reappointments/merits/ no-changes after 1 <sup>st</sup> review		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Appraisal		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>^</sup> due to programmatic changes (steps I,II, & III) <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A		R		
Layoff/IRIT <sup>^</sup> due to programmatic changes ( steps IV & above)		R		R	R		R	A	
Layoff/IRIT <sup>^</sup> due to budget/lack of work (steps I,II, & III) <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>^</sup> due to budget/lack of work (steps IV & above)		R		R	R			A	

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Appointment	*	R		R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
1 <sup>st</sup> no change <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Consecutive no change		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Recall		R		R	R			A	
Recall as Exception to Policy		R		R	R			R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Layoff//IRIT <sup>A</sup> due to programmatic changes		R		R	R		R	A	
Layoff//IRIT <sup>A</sup> due to budget/lack of work		R		R	R			A	

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<sup>1</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CANDIDATE, DEPARTMENT, REVIEWING ADMINISTRATOR (e.g., Dean or Vice Chancellor), OR SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC PERSONNEL (CAP), EVC IS AUTHORITY  
<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY  
<sup>A</sup>IRIT= INVOLUNTARY REDUCTION IN TIME  
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**Authority and Review Chart**  
**ADJUNCT PROFESSOR - SALARIED**

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	GC Provost/ Council of Provosts	GC School Dean	GC Vice Chancellor for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment	*	R		R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
1 <sup>st</sup> no change <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Consecutive no change		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS salary increase		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception		R		R	R		R	A	
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit to/through Step VI		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Merit to Above Scale		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Further above-scale merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Recall		R		R	R			A	
Recall as Exception to Policy		R		R	R			R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>A</sup> due to programmatic changes		R		R	R		R	A	
Layoff/IRIT <sup>A</sup> due to budget/lack of work		R		R	R			A	

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<sup>1</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CANDIDATE, DEPARTMENT, REVIEWING ADMINISTRATOR (e.g., Dean or Vice Chancellor), OR SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC PERSONNE (CAP)L, EVC IS AUTHORITY  
<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY  
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## ASSISTANT ADJUNCT PROFESSOR – NONSALARIED

	GC Provost/ Council of Provosts	GC School Dean	GC Vice Chancellor for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment with existing salaried faculty appointment <sup>1,2,3</sup>	*	A		A	A				
Appointment without existing salaried faculty appointment (No Step, Step I, II & III) <sup>1,2,3</sup>	*	A		A	A				
Appointment without existing salaried faculty appointment (steps IV, V, VI)	*	R		R	R		R	A	
Reappointment if less than 6 years since campus review <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Reappointment – every 6 years within rank		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>A</sup> due to programmatic changes with existing faculty apt.		A		A	A		R		
Layoff/IRIT <sup>A</sup> due to programmatic changes without a concurrent faculty apt (steps I, II, & III)		A		A	A		R		
Layoff/IRIT <sup>A</sup> due to programmatic changes without a concurrent apt (steps IV & above)		R		R	R		R	A	
Layoff/IRIT <sup>A</sup> due to budget/lack of work with a concurrent apt.		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>A</sup> due to budget/lack of work without a concurrent apt.		R		R	R			A	

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A = AUTHORITY

<sup>1</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CANDIDATE, DEPARTMENT, REVIEWING ADMINISTRATOR (e.g., Dean or Vice Chancellor), OR SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC PERSONNE (CAP)L, EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>INCLUDES TEMPORARY (PERIOD UP TO 1 YEAR) NON-SALARIED ADJUNCT APPOINTMENTS FOR LADDER RANK FACULTY LEAVING UC SAN DIEGO

<sup>A</sup>IRIT= INVOLUNTARY REDUCTION IN TIME

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## ASSOCIATE ADJUNCT PROFESSOR – NONSALARIED

	GC Provost/ Council of Provosts	GC School Dean	GC Vice Chancellor for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment with existing salaried faculty appointment <sup>1,2,3</sup>	*	A		A	A				
Appointment without existing salaried faculty appointment <sup>1,2,3</sup>	*	R		R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment if less than 6 years since campus review <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Reappointment – every six years within rank		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Promotion		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Recall		R		R	R			A	
Recall as Exception to Policy		R		R	R			R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to programmatic changes with a concurrent apt.		A		A	A		R		
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to programmatic changes without a concurrent apt.		R		R	R		R	A	
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to budget/lack of work with a concurrent apt.		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to budget/lack of work without a concurrent apt.		R		R	R			A	

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<sup>1</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CANDIDATE, DEPARTMENT, REVIEWING ADMINISTRATOR (e.g., Dean or Vice Chancellor), OR SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC PERSONNEL (CAP), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>INCLUDES TEMPORARY (PERIOD UP TO 1 YEAR) NON-SALARIED ADJUNCT APPOINTMENTS FOR LADDER RANK FACULTY LEAVING UC SAN DIEGO

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## ADJUNCT PROFESSOR – NONSALARIED

	GC Provost/ Council of Provosts	GC School Dean	GC Vice Chancellor for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment with existing salaried faculty appointment <sup>1,2,3</sup>	*	A		A	A				
Appointment without existing salaried faculty appointment	*	R		R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment if less than 6 years since campus review <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Reappointment – every six years within rank		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Accel. merit		R		R	R		R	A	
Merit to/through Step VI		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Advancement to Adjunct Professor, Above Scale		R		R	R	R	R	R	A
Promotion		R		R	R	R	R	A	
Recall		R		R	R			A	
Recall as Exception to Policy		R		R	R			R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to programmatic changes with a concurrent apt.		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to programmatic changes without a concurrent apt.		R		R	R			A	
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to budget/lack of work with a concurrent apt.		A		A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to budget/lack of work without a concurrent apt.		R		R	R			A	

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<sup>1</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CANDIDATE, DEPARTMENT, REVIEWING ADMINISTRATOR (e.g., Dean or Vice Chancellor), OR SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC PERSONNEL (CAP), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>INCLUDES TEMPORARY (PERIOD UP TO 1 YEAR) NON-SALARIED ADJUNCT APPOINTMENTS FOR LADDER RANK FACULTY LEAVING UC SAN DIEGO

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## PROFESSOR OF PRACTICE – SALARIED

	GC School Dean	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>3</sup>	R	R	R		R	A	
Reappointment/Merit/ 1 <sup>st</sup> no change if less than 6 years since last review <sup>1,2,3</sup>	A	A	A				
Consecutive no change <sup>3</sup>	R	R	R		R	A	
Reappointment/merit every six years after 1 <sup>st</sup> review <sup>3</sup>	R	R	R			A	
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2,3</sup>	A	A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to programmatic changes	R	R	R		R	A	
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to budget/lack of work	R	R	R			A	

## PROFESSOR OF PRACTICE – NONSALARIED

	GC School Dean	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1,2,3</sup>	A	A	A				
Consecutive no change <sup>3</sup>	R	R	R		R	A	
Reappointment/Merit/No Change if less than 6 years since last review <sup>1,2,3</sup>	A	A	A				
Reappointment/merit every six years after 1 <sup>st</sup> review <sup>3</sup>	R	R	R			A	
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2,3</sup>	A	A	A				
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to programmatic changes	A	A	A		R		
Layoff/IRIT <sup>4</sup> due to budget/lack of work	A	A	A				

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A = AUTHORITY

<sup>1</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CANDIDATE, DEPARTMENT, REVIEWING ADMINISTRATOR (e.g., Dean or Vice Chancellor), OR SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC PERSONNEL (CAP), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>PROFESSORS OF PRACTICE APPOINTED AT 50% TIME OR MORE MAY SERVE A MAXIMUM OF SIX YEARS IN THE SERIES

<sup>4</sup>IRIT= INVOLUNTARY REDUCTION IN TIME

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**Authority and Review Chart**  
**ASSISTANT RESEARCH SCIENTIST**

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	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1, 2, 6</sup> (steps I, II & III)	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
Appointment (steps IV, V and VI)					R	A	
Reappointment <sup>1,2,6</sup> (first review only)	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
Merit advancement <sup>1,2,6</sup> (first review only)	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
No change <sup>1,2,6</sup> (first review only)	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
Reappointment, merit advancement, no change, after first review	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary increase (standard)	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary requested as exception to policy	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated merit advancement <sup>1, 2</sup>	R	R	R		R	A	
Appraisal	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Promotion with acceleration	R	R	R		R	A	
Visiting appointment <sup>2</sup>	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time <sup>2</sup>	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following 8 or more years ≥ 50%) <sup>2,3</sup>	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				

A = AUTHORITY

<sup>1</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CANDIDATE, DEPARTMENT, REVIEWING ADMINISTRATOR (e.g., Dean or Vice Chancellor), OR SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC PERSONNEL (CAP), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>IF NOTICE OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO [APM 137 – NON-SENATE APPOINTEES/TERM APPOINTMENTS](#), THE DEAN OR VICE CHANCELLOR IS AUTHORITY FOR THE NOTICE OF ACTION OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT

<sup>4</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR AN APPOINTEE IN A GENERAL CAMPUS DEPARTMENT, THE DIVISIONAL DEAN IS AUTHORITY

<sup>5</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR AN APPOINTEE IN A GENERAL CAMPUS ORU, THE VICE CHANCELLOR FOR RESEARCH IS AUTHORITY

<sup>6</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT THEN CAP REVIEWS

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## ASSOCIATE/FULL RESEARCH SCIENTIST

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment				R	R	A	
Merit advancement <sup>1,2,6</sup>	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
First no change <sup>1,2,6</sup>	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
Consecutive no change	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary increase (standard)	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary requested as exception to policy	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated merit advancement	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion to Full Research Scientist	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Merit advancement to Research Scientist, Step VI	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Merit advancement to Research Scientist, Above Scale	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Further above-scale merit advancement	R	R	R		R	A	
Recall (standard)	R	R	R			A	
Recall as exception to policy	R	R	R			R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time <sup>2</sup>	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following 8 or more years at ≥ 50%) <sup>2,3</sup>	A <sup>4,5</sup>	A	A				

A = AUTHORITY

<sup>1</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CANDIDATE, DEPARTMENT, REVIEWING ADMINISTRATOR (e.g., Dean or Vice Chancellor), OR SENATE COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC PERSONNEL (CAP), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>IF NOTICE OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO [APM 137 – NON-SENATE APPOINTEES/TERM APPOINTMENTS](#), THE DEAN OR VICE CHANCELLOR IS AUTHORITY FOR THE NOTICE OF ACTION OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT

<sup>4</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR AN APPOINTEE IN A GENERAL CAMPUS DEPARTMENT, THE DIVISIONAL DEAN IS AUTHORITY

<sup>5</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR AN APPOINTEE IN A GENERAL CAMPUS ORU, THE VICE CHANCELLOR FOR RESEARCH IS AUTHORITY

<sup>6</sup>IF THERE IS DISAGREEMENT THEN CAP REVIEWS

**Authority and Review Chart**  
**ASSISTANT PROJECT SCIENTIST**

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	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
First no change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Consecutive no change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary increase <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary requested as exception to policy <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Accelerated merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Appraisal <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Promotion <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Promotion with acceleration <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following 8 or more years ≥ 50%) <sup>1,2,3</sup>	A	A	A		

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A = AUTHORITY

<sup>1</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR AN APPOINTEE WHO REPORTS DIRECTLY TO THE DEAN OR VC, EVC/SR. AVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC/SR. AVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>IF NOTICE OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO [APM 137 – NON-SENATE APPOINTEES/TERM APPOINTMENTS](#), THE DEAN OR VICE CHANCELLOR IS AUTHORITY FOR THE NOTICE OF ACTION OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT

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## ASSOCIATE/FULL PROJECT SCIENTIST

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assista nt VC for Academic Affairs	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
No change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Consecutive no change <sup>2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary increase (standard) <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary requested as exception to policy <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Accelerated merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Promotion to Full Project Scientist <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement to Project Scientist, Step VI <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement to Project Scientist, Above Scale <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Further above-scale merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Recall (standard)				A	
Recall as exception to policy				R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following eight or more years at ≥ 50%) <sup>1,2,3</sup>	A	A	A		

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A = AUTHORITY

<sup>1</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR AN APPOINTEE WHO REPORTS DIRECTLY TO THE DEAN OR VC, EVC/SR. AVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC/SR.AVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>IF NOTICE OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO [APM 137 – NON-SENATE APPOINTEES/TERM APPOINTMENTS](#), THE DEAN OR VICE CHANCELLOR IS AUTHORITY FOR THE NOTICE OF ACTION OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT

**Authority and Review Chart**  
**ASSISTANT SPECIALIST**

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	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
First no change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Consecutive no change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary increase <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary requested as exception to policy <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Accelerated merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Promotion <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Promotion with acceleration <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following 8 or more years $\geq 50\%$ ) <sup>1,2,3</sup>	A	A	A		

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<sup>1</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR AN APPOINTEE WHO REPORTS DIRECTLY TO THE DEAN OR VC, EVC/SR. AVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC/SR. AVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>IF NOTICE OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO [APM 137 – NON-SENATE APPOINTEES/TERM APPOINTMENTS](#), THE DEAN OR VICE CHANCELLOR IS AUTHORITY FOR THE NOTICE OF ACTION OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT

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**ASSOCIATE/FULL SPECIALIST**

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	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
No change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Consecutive no change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary increase (standard) <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement or no change with off-scale salary requested as exception to policy <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Accelerated merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Promotion to Full Specialist <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement to Specialist, Step VI <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit advancement to Specialist, Above Scale <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Further above-scale merit advancement <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Recall (standard)				A	
Recall as exception to policy				R	A
Visiting appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A		
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following eight or more years at ≥ 50%) <sup>1,2,3</sup>	A	A	A		

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<sup>1</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR AN APPOINTEE WHO REPORTS DIRECTLY TO THE DEAN OR VC, EVC/SR. AVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>3</sup>IF NOTICE OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO [APM 137 – NON-SENATE APPOINTEES/TERM APPOINTMENTS](#), THE DEAN OR VICE CHANCELLOR IS AUTHORITY FOR THE NOTICE OF ACTION OF NON-REAPPOINTMENT

# **Authority and Review Chart** **ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATOR**

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	GC School Dean	GC Vice Chancellor for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Reappointment if less than 6 years since campus review <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Reappointment if 6 or more years since last campus review <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
1 <sup>st</sup> no change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A		A		
Consecutive no change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Merit or no change with OS salary increase <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Accel. Merit <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Promotion <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Layoff/IRIT <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		

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<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC/SR.AVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>4</sup>IRIT= INVOLUNTARY REDUCTION IN TIME

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**Authority and Review Chart**  
**ACADEMIC COORDINATOR**

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	GC School Dean	GC Vice Chancellor for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs <sup>1,2</sup>	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Reappointment <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Merit <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
1 <sup>st</sup> no change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Consecutive no change <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Merit or no change with OS salary increase <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Merit or no change with OS requested as policy exception <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Accel. Merit <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Promotion <sup>1,2</sup>	A	A	A	A		
Layoff/IRIT <sup>^</sup>	A	A	A	A		

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<sup>2</sup>IF THE PROPOSED ACTION IS FOR A NEAR RELATIVE AS DEFINED IN [APM 520, EMPLOYMENT OF NEAR RELATIVES](#), EVC IS AUTHORITY

<sup>^</sup>IRIT= INVOLUNTARY REDUCTION IN TIME

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**Authority and Review Chart***Technical Edits January 2026***LECTURER – UNIT 18 (PRE 6-YEAR)**

	GC School Dean <sup>1</sup>	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		

**LECTURER – UNIT 18 (CONTINUING)**

	GC School Dean <sup>1</sup>	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment/ Reappointment <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		
Merit <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		
Accel. Merit <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		
Promotion to Sr. Continuing Lecturer <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		
No change <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		

**SUMMER SESSION LECTURER – UNIT 18**

	GC School Dean <sup>1</sup>	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time <sup>1</sup>	A	A	A		

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## SUPERVISOR OF TEACHER EDUCATION – UNIT 18 (PRE 6-YEAR)

	GC School Dean <sup>1</sup>	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A	A	A		
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A		

## SUPERVISOR OF TEACHER EDUCATION – UNIT 18 (CONTINUING)

	GC School Dean <sup>1</sup>	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment/Reappointment	A	A	A		
Merit Advancement	A	A	A		
Accelerated Merit Advancement	A	A	A		
No Change	A	A	A		
Layoff/Involuntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A		

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**Authority and Review Chart**  
**EDUCATOR WITHOUT SALARY**

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	GC School Dean	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A	A	A		

**LECTURER – MISCELLANEOUS – PART-TIME & GUEST LECTURER**

	GC School Dean	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A	A	A		

**RESEARCH ASSOCIATE & RESEARCH FELLOW (SIO ONLY)**

	GC School Dean	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment		A			

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**Authority and Review Chart**  
**HEALTH SCIENCES CLINICAL PROFESSOR**

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	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A		
Reappointment	A		
Merit	A		
1 <sup>st</sup> no change	A		
Consecutive no change	A		
Appraisal	A		
Accel. merit/Off-scale	A		
Merit Advancement or No Change with Off-Scale Salary Incentive	A		
Career review (promotion, Step VI)	A		
Promotion	A		
Layoff/IRIT <sup>^</sup> due to programmatic changes	A		
Layoff/IRIT <sup>^</sup> due to budget/lack of work	A		
Return to Active Duty	A		

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	HS Associate/Assistant VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A		
Reappointment	A		
Promotion	A		
Termination	A		

**HEALTH SCIENCES CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR, VOLUNTARY****HEALTH SCIENCES CLINICAL PROFESSOR, VOLUNTARY**

	HS Associate VC for Academic Affairs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A		
Reappointment	A		
Promotion	A		
Termination	A		

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**ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN**

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	University Library	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A		
Merit	A		
No change/Reappointment	A		
Promotion/Career Status	A		
Termination	A		

**ASSOCIATE LIBRARIAN**

	University Library	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A		
Merit	A		
No change/Reappointment	A		
Career Status	A		
Promotion	A		
Termination	A		

**LIBRARIAN**

	University Library	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A		
Merit	A		
No change/Reappointment	A		
Career Status	A		
Termination	A		

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CONTINUING EDUCATOR

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	Assoc. VC of Public Programs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A		
Merit	A		
No change/Reappointment	A		

COORDINATOR OF PUBLIC PROGRAMS

	Assoc. VC of Public Programs	EVC for Acad. Affairs	Chancellor
Appointment	A		
Merit	A		
No change/Reappointment	A		
Accel. merit	A		
Promotion	A		

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**Revision History**

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- July 29, 2021      Update to Teaching Professor Series delegations in alignment with Delegation DA3811 effective July 2, 2021.  
  
Inclusion of Dean Designee, Halicioğlu Data Science Institute delegation of authority for Researchers, Project Scientist, and Specialists in alignment with delegation DA3765, DA3766, and DA3767, respectively.  
  
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- July 25, 2022      Addition of Promotion to the section for Lecturer – Unit 18 (Continuing).