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<td>Assistant Professor</td>
<td>Demonstrate some evidence of Professional and/or Scholarly achievement and activity, related to either the underlying discipline or to pedagogy. Positive supporting letters</td>
<td>Teaching of excellent quality • Participation in teaching of students • Strong recent teaching evaluations</td>
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<td>Associate Professor</td>
<td>Demonstrate evidence of Professional and/or Scholarly achievement and activity, related to either the underlying discipline or to pedagogy. Positive supporting letters Some possible examples are listed here: • Publishing results in peer-reviewed journals or refereed conference proceedings • Authoring/co-authoring books or book chapters • Presenting talks or workshops at academic conferences • Creating new instructional materials • Developing and coordinating educational programs across campus • Writing or significantly revising a course manual • Development of community outreach or community-oriented programs</td>
<td>Well-defined course teaching role Strong recent teaching evaluations Teaching of truly exceptional quality which can be exemplified by: • Receiving teaching award • Receiving recognition from professional organizations for education-related activities.</td>
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### Criteria for Promotion and Acceleration in the SSPPS: Teaching Professor Series

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| **Promotion to Associate Rank**  | Demonstrate evidence of Professional and/or Scholarly achievement and activity, related to either the underlying discipline or to pedagogy. Some possible examples are listed here:  
  - Authoring/co-authoring books or book chapters  
  - Publishing results in peer-reviewed journals or refereed conference proceedings  
  - Presenting talks or workshops at academic conferences  
  - Creating new instructional materials  
  - Developing and coordinating educational programs across campus  
  - Writing or significantly revising a course manual  
  - Development of community outreach or community-oriented programs  | Defined teaching program with excellent teaching evaluations  
  (examples of evidence: teaching quantification form listing classroom courses, small-group teaching in all settings, mentoring of students, teaching evaluations)  
  Possible Examples of Excellence in Teaching  
  - Holistic Teaching Evaluations  
  - Teaching awards  
  - New Educational Innovations  
  - Course assessments that document learning  
  - Evidence of successful mentoring and training of a diverse population of students or faculty  
  - Evidence of Equity-Minded Teaching Practices  
  - New Course Development  
  - Major Curriculum Revision  
  - Evidence-Based Course Design  
  - Evidence that teaching has evolved and improved | Demonstrate Excellence in Teaching Service to professional organizations | Service on at least one department, school, or University committee (may be an ad hoc committee instead of standing committee) and demonstration of public service (e.g., ad hoc manuscript reviews, professional organization committees)  
(examples of evidence: biobibliography) |
| **Promotion to Full Professor Rank** | Same as above | Same as above but at least one additional example of Excellence in Teaching since last file review | Demonstrate Excellence in Teaching Service to professional organizations | Service on more than one major department, school, or university committee and demonstration of public service (e.g., ad hoc manuscript reviews, professional organization committees)  
(examples of evidence: biobibliography) |
| **Advancement to Step VI** | Same as above | Same as above but at least one additional example of Excellence in Teaching since last file review | Same as above | Service on more than one major department, school, or university committee and demonstration of public service (e.g., ad hoc manuscript reviews, professional organization committees)  
(examples of evidence: biobibliography) |
### Advancement to Above Scale

|               | Same as above | Same as above but must have shown longitudinal evidence of Excellence in teaching by several examples of Excellence in Teaching over several years. | Same as above | Same as above |

### Accelerations

|               | Productivity in teaching must be at least twice that for normal advancement. University service and publication of pedagogical material must not be deficient. |