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Ladder Rank Professor		**Project Scientist**	
Assistant	2	Assistant	20
Associate	3	Associate/Full	21
Full	4		
		Specialist	
Acting Professor		Assistant	22
Assistant	5	Associate/Full	23
Associate/Full			
		Academic Administrator/Coordinator	
Teaching Professors		Academic Administrator	24
Assistant Teaching Professor (LPSOE)	6	Academic Coordinator	25
Associate Teaching Professor (LSOE)	7		
Teaching Professor (Sr. LSOE)	8	**Unit 18**	
		Lecturer-Unit 18 (Pre-6-Years)	
Professor in Residence, Professor of Clinical X		Lecturer-Unit 18 (Continuing)	26
Assistant Professor in Residence and Assistant	9	Summer Session Lecturer- Unit 18	
Assistant Professor Clinical X		Supervisor of Teacher Education – Unit 18 (Pre-6 Years)	27
Associate/Full Professor in Residence	10	Supervisor of Teacher Education – Unit 18 (Continuing)	
Associate/Full Professor Clinical X			
		Other Academic Series	
Adjunct Professor - Salaried		Educator Without Salary	
Assistant	11	Lecturer, Miscellaneous – Part-Time / Guest Lecturer	28
Associate	12	Research Associate/Fellow (SIO Only)	
Full	13		
		Health Sciences Clinical Professor	29
Adjunct Professor – Non-salaried			
Assistant	14	**HS Clinical Instructors/Professor**	
Associate	15	Non-Salaried	30
Full	16	Voluntary	
Professor of Practice		**Librarians**	
Salaried (all ranks)	17	All Ranks	31
Non-salaried (all ranks)			
		Continuing Educator	32
Research Scientist		Coordinator of Public Programs	
Assistant	18		
Associate/Full	19	**Conferral of Emeritus Status**	33
		Professor of Graduate Division	33

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ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (LRF)

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]	Chancellor
Appointment (Steps I-IV) [D,1,2,P]	A	A	A				
Appointment (Steps V & VI) [P]	R	R	R		R	A	
Non-Salaried Appointment With Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment (0% No Step) [D,1,2,P]	R	R	R		R	A	
Reappointment (1st Review Only) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Merit (1st Review Only) [D,1]	A	A	A				
No-Change (1st Review Only) [D,1]	A	A	A				
Reappointment/Merit/No-Change After 1st Review	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated Merit	R	R	R		R	A	
Appraisal	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion	R	R	R	R	R	R	A
Termination	R	R	R	R	R	R	A
Visiting appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				
Voluntary Reduction in Time	R	R	R			A	

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ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (LRF)

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Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	R	A
Non-Salaried Appointment With Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment (0% No Step) [D,1,2,P]	R	R	R		R	A	
1st Deferral[1,2]	A	A	A				
2nd Consecutive Deferral	R	R	R			A	
Merit [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
1st No-Change [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Consecutive No-Change	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated Merit	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Career Equity Review (LRF only)	R	R	R		R	A	
Recall	A	A	A				
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R			A	
Visiting appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				
Voluntary Reduction in Time	R	R	R			A	

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PROFESSOR (LRF)

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Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	R	A
Non-Salaried Appointment With Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment (0% No Step) [D,1,2,P]	R	R	R		R	A	
1st Deferral [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
2nd Consecutive Deferral	R	R	R			A	
Merit [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
1st No-Change [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Consecutive No-Change	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated 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	A	A	A				
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R			A	
Visiting appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				
Voluntary Reduction in Time	R	R	R			A	

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ACTING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]	Chancellor
Appointment (Steps I-IV) [D,1,2,P]	A	A	A				
Appointment (Steps V & VI) [D,1,2,P]	R	R	R		R	A	
Reappointment (1st Review Only) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Regularization (Steps I-IV) [D,1,2,P]	A	A	A				
Regularization (Steps V & VI) [D,1,2,P]	R	R	R		R	A	
Voluntary Reduction in Time	R	R	R			A	

ACTING ASSOCIATE/FULL PROFESSOR

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]	Chancellor
Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment [D,1,2]	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Merit [D,1,2]	R	R	R	R	R	A	
No-Change [D,1,2]	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Regularization [D,1,2,P]	R	R	R	R	R	R	A
Voluntary Reduction in Time	R	R	R			A	

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ASSISTANT TEACHING PROFESSOR (LPSOE)

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]	Chancellor
Appointment (Steps I-IV) [D,1,2,P]	A	A	A				
Appointment (Steps V, & VI) [P]	R	R	R		R	A	
Reappointment (1st Review Only) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Merit (1st Review Only) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
No-Change (1st Review Only) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Reappointment/Merit/No-Change After 1st Review	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated Merit	R	R	R		R	A	
Appraisal	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion	R	R	R	R	R	R	A
Termination	R	R	R		R	R	A
Voluntary Reduction in Time	R	R	R			A	

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ASSOCIATE TEACHING PROFESSOR (LSOE)

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Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	R	A
1st Deferral [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
2nd Consecutive Deferral	R	R	R			A	
1st No-Change [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Consecutive No-Change	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit Advancement (Steps I-V Without a New Off-Scale Salary component) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated Merit	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion to Teaching Professor	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Recall	A	A	A				
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R			A	
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FULL TEACHING PROFESSOR (LSOE)

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Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	R	A
1ST Deferral [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
2nd Consecutive Deferral	R	R	R			A	
1st No-Change [D,1,2]	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) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit Advancement to Step VI	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated 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	
Recall	A	A	A				
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R			R	
Voluntary Reduction in Time	R	R	R			A	

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ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN RESIDENCE

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

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Appointment (Steps I-IV) [D,1,2,P]	A	A	A				
Appointment (Steps V & VI) [P]	R	R	R		R	A	
Reappointment (1st Review Only) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Merit (1st Review Only) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
No-Change (1st Review Only) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Reappointment/Merit/No-Change After 1st Review	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated 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 [1,2]	A	A	A				
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A				

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ASSOCIATE/FULL PROFESSOR OF CLINICAL (e.g., Medicine) X

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Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment (Appointees with End Dates) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
1st Deferral [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
2nd Consecutive Deferral	R	R	R			A	
Merit [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
1st No-Change [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Consecutive No-Change	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated 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	A	A	A				
Recall As Exception to Policy	R	R	R			A	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A				

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ASSISTANT ADJUNCT PROFESSOR – SALARIED

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Appointment (Steps I-IV) [D,1,2,P]	A	A	A				
Appointment (Steps V & VI) [P]	R	R	R		R	A	
Reappointment/Merits/No Change (1st Review Only) [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Reappointment/Merit/No-Change After 1st Review [D,1,2]	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated Merit	R	R	R		R	A	
Appraisal	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				
Layoff/IRIT^ Due to Programmatic Changes [1,2]	A	A	A		R		
Layoff/IRIT^ Due to Budget/Lack of Work [1,2]	A	A	A				
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A				

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ASSOCIATE ADJUNCT PROFESSOR - SALARIED

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Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Merit [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
1st No-Change [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Consecutive No-Change	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated Merit	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Recall	A	A	A				
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R			A	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				
Layoff/IRIT^ Due to Programmatic Changes	A	A	A		R		
Layoff/IRIT^ Due to Budget/Lack of Work	A	A	A				
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A				

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ADJUNCT PROFESSOR - SALARIED

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]	Chancellor
Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Merit [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
1st No-Change [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Consecutive No-Change	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit or No-Change with Off-Scale Requested as Policy Exception	R	R	R		R	A	
Accelerated 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	A	A	A				
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R			A	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				
Layoff/IRIT^ Due to Programmatic Changes	A	A	A		R		
Layoff/IRIT^ Due to Budget/Lack of Work	A	A	A				
Voluntary Reductions in Time	A	A	A				

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ASSISTANT ADJUNCT PROFESSOR – NONSALARIED

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]	Chancellor
Non-Salaried Appointment With Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment (0% No Step) [D,1,2,T,P]	A	A	A				
Appointment Without Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment (No Step, Step I-IV) [D,1,2,T,P]	A	A	A				
Appointment Without Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment (Step V & VI) [P]	R	R	R		R	A	
Reappointment if Less Than 6 Years Since Campus Review [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Reappointment – Every 6 Years Within Rank	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Accelerated Merit	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				

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ASSOCIATE ADJUNCT PROFESSOR – NONSALARIED

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]	Chancellor
Non-Salaried Appointment With Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment (0% No Step) [D,1,2,T,P]	A	A	A				
Appointment Without Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment if Less Than 6 Years Since Campus Review [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Reappointment – Every Six Years Within Rank	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Accelerated Merit	R	R	R		R	A	
Promotion	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Recall	A	A	A				
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R			A	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				

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ADJUNCT PROFESSOR – NONSALARIED

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Ad Hoc Committee	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]	Chancellor
Non-Salaried Appointment With Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment (0% No Step) [D,1,2,T,P]	A	A	A				
Appointment Without Existing Salaried Faculty Appointment [P]	R	R	R	R	R	A	
Reappointment if Less Than 6 Years Since Campus Review [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Reappointment – Every Six Years Within Rank	R	R	R		R	A	
Merit [D,1,2]	A	A	A				
Accelerated 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	A	A	A				
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R			A	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A				

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PROFESSOR OF PRACTICE – SALARIED

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]
Appointment [1,2, +]	R	R	R	R	A
Reappointment/1st No-Change if Less Than 6 Years Since Last Review [1,2, +]	A	A	A		
Consecutive No-Change [1,2, +]	R	R	R	R	A
Reappointment/Merit Every Six Years After 1st Review [1,2, +]	R	R	R	R	A
Visiting Appointment [1,2, +]	A	A	A		
Layoff/IRIT^ Due to Programmatic Changes [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Layoff/IRIT^ Due to Budget/Lack of Work [1,2]	A	A	A		
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A		

PROFESSOR OF PRACTICE – NONSALARIED

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]
Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A		
Consecutive No-Change [1,2]	R	R	R	R	A
Reappointment/Merit/No-Change if Less Than 6 Years Since Last Review [1,2]	A	A	A		
Reappointment/Merit Every Six Years After 1st Review[1,2]	R	R	R	R	A
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A		

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ASSISTANT RESEARCH SCIENTIST

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]
Appointment (Step I-IV) [1,2]	A	A	A		
Appointment (Step V-VI) [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Reappointment (First Review Only) [1,2]	A	A	A		
Merit Advancement (First Review Only) [1,2]	A	A	A		
No-Change (First Review Only) [1,2]	A	A	A		
Reappointment/Merit/No-Change, After 1st Review [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Merit Advancement or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase (Standard) [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Accelerated Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Appraisal [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Promotion [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Promotion With Acceleration [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A		
Layoff/IRIT [^,1,2]	A	A	A		
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following 8 or more years ≥ 50%) [1,2,3]	A	A	A		
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A		

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ASSOCIATE/FULL RESEARCH SCIENTIST

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	CAP	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]
Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A		
First No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A		
Consecutive No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Merit Advancement or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase (Standard) [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Accelerated Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Promotion to Full Research Scientist [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Merit Advancement to Research Scientist, Step VI [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Merit Advancement to Research Scientist, Above Scale [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Further Above-Scale Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	R	
Recall [1,2]	A	A	A		
Recall as Exception to Policy [1,2]	R	R	R		A
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A		
Layoff/IRIT [^,1,2]	A	A	A		
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following 8 or more years at ≥ 50%) [1,2,3]	A	A	A		
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A		

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ASSISTANT PROJECT SCIENTIST

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Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Reappointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
First No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Consecutive No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase [1,2]	A	A	A	
Accelerated Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
Appraisal [1,2]	A	A	A	
Promotion [1,2]	A	A	A	
Promotion With Acceleration [1,2]	A	A	A	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Layoff/IRIT [^,1,2]	A	A	A	
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following 8 or more years ≥ 50%) [1,2,3]	A	A	A	
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A	

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Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Consecutive No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase (Standard) [1,2]	A	A	A	
Accelerated Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
Promotion to Full Project Scientist [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement to Project Scientist, Step VI [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement to Project Scientist, Above Scale [1,2]	A	A	A	
Further Above-Scale Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
Recall	A	A	A	
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R	A
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Layoff/IRIT [^,1,2]	A	A	A	
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following eight or more years at ≥ 50%) [1,2,3]	A	A	A	
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ASSISTANT SPECIALIST

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]
Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Reappointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
First No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Consecutive No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase [1,2]	A	A	A	
Accelerated Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
Promotion [1,2]	A	A	A	
Promotion With Acceleration [1,2]	A	A	A	
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Layoff/IRIT [^,1,2]	A	A	A	
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following 8 or more years ≥ 50%) [1,2,3]	A	A	A	
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A	

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	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]
Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Consecutive No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase (Standard) [1,2]	A	A	A	
Accelerated Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
Promotion to Full Specialist [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement to Specialist, Step VI [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit Advancement to Specialist, Above Scale [1,2]	A	A	A	
Further Above-Scale Merit Advancement [1,2]	A	A	A	
Recall	A	A	A	
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R	A
Visiting Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Layoff/IRIT [^,1,2]	A	A	A	
Notice of Non-Reappointment (following eight or more years at ≥ 50%) [1,2,3]	A	A	A	
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A	

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ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATOR

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]
Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Reappointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit [1,2]	A	A	A	
1st No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Consecutive No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit or No-Change With Off-Scale Salary Increase [1,2]	A	A	A	
Accelerated Merit [1,2]	A	A	A	
Promotion [1,2]	A	A	A	
Recall	A	A	A	
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R	A
Layoff/IRIT ^[1,2]	A	A	A	
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A	

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^IRIT= INVOLUNTARY REDUCTION IN TIME

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Authority and Review Chart *Technical Edits September 2026*

ACADEMIC COORDINATOR

	GC School Dean, VC for Research	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]
Appointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Reappointment [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit [1,2]	A	A	A	
1st No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Consecutive No-Change [1,2]	A	A	A	
Merit or No-Change With Of-Scale Salary Increase [1,2]	A	A	A	
Accelerated Merit [1,2]	A	A	A	
Promotion [1,2]	A	A	A	
Recall	A	A	A	
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R	A
Layoff/IRIT ^,[1,2]	A	A	A	
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A	A	A	

R = REVIEW
A = AUTHORITY
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LECTURER – UNIT 18 (PRE-6-YEAR)

	GC School Dean[U]	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment	A	A	A
Layoff/IRIT ^	A	A	A

LECTURER – UNIT 18 (CONTINUING & SR. CONTINUING)

	GC School Dean[U]	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences	Sr. AVC for Acad. Affairs[1,2]
Appointment/Reappointment	A	A	A	
Merit	A	A	A	
Accelerated Merit	A	A	A	
Promotion to Sr. Continuing Lecturer	A	A	A	
No-Change	A	A	A	
Recall	A	A	A	
Recall as Exception to Policy	R	R	R	A
Layoff/IRIT ^	A	A	A	

SUMMER SESSION LECTURER – UNIT 18

	GC School Dean[U]	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment	A	A	A
Layoff/IRIT ^	A	A	A

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[2]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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SUPERVISOR OF TEACHER EDUCATION – UNIT 18 (PRE 6-YEAR)

	GC School Dean[U]	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment	A	A	A
Layoff/IRIT ^	A	A	A

SUPERVISOR OF TEACHER EDUCATION – UNIT 18 (CONTINUING)

	GC School Dean[U]	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment/Reappointment	A	A	A
Merit Advancement	A	A	A
Accelerated Merit	A	A	A
No Change	A	A	A
Layoff/IRIT ^	A	A	A

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EDUCATOR WITHOUT SALARY

	GC School Dean	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment	A	A	A

LECTURER – MISCELLANEOUS – PART-TIME & GUEST LECTURER

	GC School Dean	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment	A	A	A

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE & RESEARCH FELLOW (SIO ONLY)

	GC School Dean	VC Marine for Marine Sciences	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment		A	

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HEALTH SCIENCES CLINICAL PROFESSOR

	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment	A
Reappointment	A
Merit	A
1st No-Change	A
Consecutive No-Change	A
Appraisal	A
Accelerated 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^ Due to Programmatic Changes	A
Layoff/IRIT^ Due to Budget/Lack of Work	A
Recall	A
Voluntary Reduction in Time	A

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^ IRT = INVOLUNTARY REDUCTION IN TIME

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HEALTH SCIENCES CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR – NON-SALARIED
HEALTH SCIENCES CLINICAL PROFESSOR – NON-SALARIED

	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment	A
Reappointment	A
Promotion	A
Termination	A

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

	VC for Health Sciences
Appointment	A
Reappointment	A
Promotion	A
Termination	A

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Authority and Review Chart

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ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN

	University Librarian
Appointment	A
Merit	A
No-Change/Reappointment	A
Promotion/Career Status	A
Termination	A

ASSOCIATE LIBRARIAN

	University Librarian
Appointment	A
Merit	A
No-Change/Reappointment	A
Career Status	A
Promotion	A
Termination	A

LIBRARIAN

	University Librarian
Appointment	A
Merit	A
No-Change/Reappointment	A
Career Status	A
Termination	A

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CONTINUING EDUCATOR

	Dean of Extended Studies
Appointment	A
Merit	A
No-Change/Reappointment	A

COORDINATOR OF PUBLIC PROGRAMS

	Dean of Extended Studies
Appointment	A
Merit	A
No-Change/Reappointment	A
Accelerated Merit	A
Promotion	A

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Conferral of Emeritus Status

	Authority
Tenure/Security of Employment Series With Senate Membership	Automatic (No Review Needed)
Non-Tenure/Non-Security of Employment With Senate Membership	Chancellor (Request Reviewed by APS)
Non-Tenure/Non-Security of Employment Without Senate Membership	Chancellor (Request Reviewed by CAP)

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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).

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  Incorporation of delegations to VC’s and General Campus Deans for Assistant, Step IV, non-exceptional RTAD, Research Scientist series, and Layoffs/Reductions in Time.

  Incorporation of existing authority for emeritus status requests, existing delegation for non-salaried LRF appointments, and delegation of exceptional RTAD to SAVC/EVC.