Appeal Process for Promotion and/or Tenure

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Responsible University Office:

Office of the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Responsible University Administrator:

Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Any candidate for promotion and/or tenure may appeal a negative decision reached at any level in the university promotion and tenure process. Unless a candidate withdraws from consideration for promotion and/or tenure (see Procedure 12.02.99.R0.03, Section 7), a candidate for promotion and/or tenure must receive consideration at all levels of the university promotion and tenure process. There is no appeal of a decision by the Board of Regents.

After receiving notice of a negative decision, a faculty member may appeal the decision by submitting a letter of appeal to the appropriate person or group. The letter of appeal must comply with all requirements set forth in Procedure 12.02.99.R0.03, Section 8.

See <u>Procedure 12.02.99.R0.03</u>, Section 8, for more information on the appeal process for promotion and/or tenure; and <u>Rule 12.01.99.R1</u>, Section 6, for more information on the procedures for appeals at the university level.