

Faculty Appointments, Promotions, and Tenure Committee Charge

Description and Charge

The Faculty Appointments, Promotions, and Tenure Committee (FAPTC) considers all appointments, promotions, and tenure decisions. The FAPTC provides its recommendations to the Dean.

Membership

The FAPTC consists of at least five voting members are self-nominated/peer-nominated and peer-selected via the Faculty Council's and Subcommittee on Standing Committees procedures. Members must be tenured faculty members at the rank of professor or associate professor. Only those at or above the rank sought may vote on promotion cases. SOMME faculty with tenure in ASU units are eligible to serve on the FAPTC. One of the five members is a representative of the Faculty Council. This individual is selected by vote within the Faculty Council.

- The chair is elected from among the current FAPTC members by the members of the FAPTC. They serve a one-year term and may be renewed for an indefinite number of terms.
- The senior administrator(s) designated by the dean to oversee faculty affairs serve in ex-officio support role(s) for the FAPTC and facilitate communications with the dean.
- The FAPTC provides its recommendations on faculty to the Dean.

Quorum

A simple majority of the members shall constitute a quorum. A simple majority vote of those present is required for a motion to pass.

APPROVALS

Dean, School of Medicine and Advanced Medical Engineering: March 3, 2025