

CITY TECH			
DEPARTMENT LEVEL	SCHOOL LEVEL	COLLEGE LEVEL	APPEALS
Department Peers Committee: Two committees of Associate and Full, respectively. Chair has all eligible candidate observed in Fall and invited candidates to be interviewed by Peers Committee Chair convenes the Peer committees.	No role	 Ad-hoc Committee: President appoints 2 committees of 5 or 6 members for Associate and Full respectively. Two members for each must be members of College P&B. Must be chaired by member of P&B. Forward reports to the President prior to presentation at College P&B. Candidate will be considered recommended by 5-1 or 4-1 vote. 	Appeals may be made to the Personnel Appeals Committee
 Peer Committees: Elect a representative to be interviewed by the Ad-hoc Committee Draft a written report prepared and voted on by Peer Committee Members sign report, and may append comments. Chair holds conference with conference to discuss peer report. Chair drafts a meeting memo signed by Chair and candidate. Candidate also receives unsigned copy of the report. 		 College-Wide P&B: Ad-hoc report and vote present to College P&B in Spring President in consultation with Provost and Academic Deans makes final recommendation Recommendation provided to College P&B at the first meeting in Sept.	

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PART III - PROMOTION PROCEDURES

A.

- 1) At the beginning of each academic year, the director of instructional staff relations issues a personnel calendar which includes deadline dates for the promotion process. The office of instructional staff relations will also send to each department chair a listing of those faculty eligible to apply for promotion and will notify each eligible candidate. Any individual who does not receive notification and questions the eligibility listing should contact the director of instructional staff relations.
- 2) During the fall semester, the president appoints two ad hoc promotion committees each consisting of five or six members of the faculty to examine in depth the candidacies of the applicants for promotion to the rank of associate professor and professor.
 - a) The ad hoc committee on promotion to associate professor will be composed of either five or six members of the faculty holding the rank of associate professor or professor. At least two of its members must be from the College P&B Committee with the ad hoc committee chaired by a member of the College P&B Committee.
 - b) The ad hoc committee on promotion to professor will be composed of either five or six members of the faculty holding the rank of professor. At least two of its members must be from the College P&B Committee with the ad hoc committee chaired by a member of the College P&B Committee.
- 3) Applications of candidates as well as the required evaluations must be filed with the director of instructional staff relations by the announced deadline dates.
- B. The promotion process to the senior ranks originates with an evaluation by the departmental peers committee. For promotion to the rank of professor, the peers committee is composed of all full professors in the department; for promotion to the rank of associate professor, the committee consists of all associate and full professors in the department. The following procedures are to be followed at the departmental level:
 - 1) Department Chairs:
 - a) have all eligible candidates observed during the fall semester, review the observations with the candidates within a three week period, and prepare the appropriate memoranda;
 - b) determine from the candidates whether they wish to appear before the peer committee:
 - c) convene the peer committee to discuss each candidate and to elect a representative to be interviewed by the ad hoc committee. It is the peer committee's responsibility to evaluate each candidate using the college's performance criteria for promotion. These evaluations should result in a written report prepared by and voted on by the peer committee. The report should be signed by each of the members of the peer committee. These signatures indicate that the peers have read the report and are aware that they may append comments. Minority reports may be filed.
 - d) hold a conference with each applicant to discuss the peer committee evaluation report and minority report (if any). This discussion should be reflected in a memorandum signed by the chair and the applicant, a copy of which should be given to the applicant. The candidate should also receive an unsigned copy of the report including any appended comments.

- e) submit the reports, observations and memoranda together with the name(s) of the elected peer(s) to the director of instructional staff relations via the academic dean by the deadline date.
- 2) In those instances where a candidate makes application for promotion and does not fit the above model, the following procedures will apply:
 - a) Where the department chair is the only peer in the department, the academic dean shall act as a second peer with the department chair writing the report;
 - b) Where the department chair makes application and there are no other peers, the evaluation is performed by the academic dean;
 - c) Where the department chair makes application and there is only one peer, the academic dean and the peer constitute the evaluating body with the peer writing the report;
 - d) Where the department chair makes application and there are two or more peers, the academic dean convenes the peers, an election is held for a peers' chair, the academic dean leaves, and committee of peers evaluates all candidates with the chair of the committee writing the report;
 - e) Where the department chair does not make application and is not a peer, the department chair convenes the peers, participates in the evaluation discussions, but does not vote.
- C. During the spring semester, the ad hoc committees review all applications, personnel files and relevant materials and interview candidates, elected peers, academic deans, the provost and department chairs. The affirmative action officer may also request to be interviewed. The committees will forward their reports to the president prior to their being presented to the College P&B Committee late in the spring semester.
 - 1) A candidate will be considered recommended with a vote of 5-1 or 4-1.
 - 2) In cases where a committee member is a member of the same department as the candidate, the committee member will recuse him/herself from the interviewing and voting processes. A candidate will then be considered recommended with a vote of 4-1 or 3-1.
- D. After action is taken by the College P&B Committee, the president, in consultation with the provost and academic deans, will review the applications of all candidates and will make his/her final recommendations known to the College P&B Committee at its first meeting in September.
 - 1) Appeals may be made to the Personnel Appeals Committee.
 - 2) Candidates not recommended for promotion will meet with their department chair and academic dean early in the fall semester and prior to the beginning of the next promotion process so that the substance of the ad hoc committee's report relative to their candidacy may be shared with them. A record of this meeting will be summarized in a memorandum and placed in the candidate's personnel file.

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PART IV - PERSONNEL APPEALS COMMITTEE

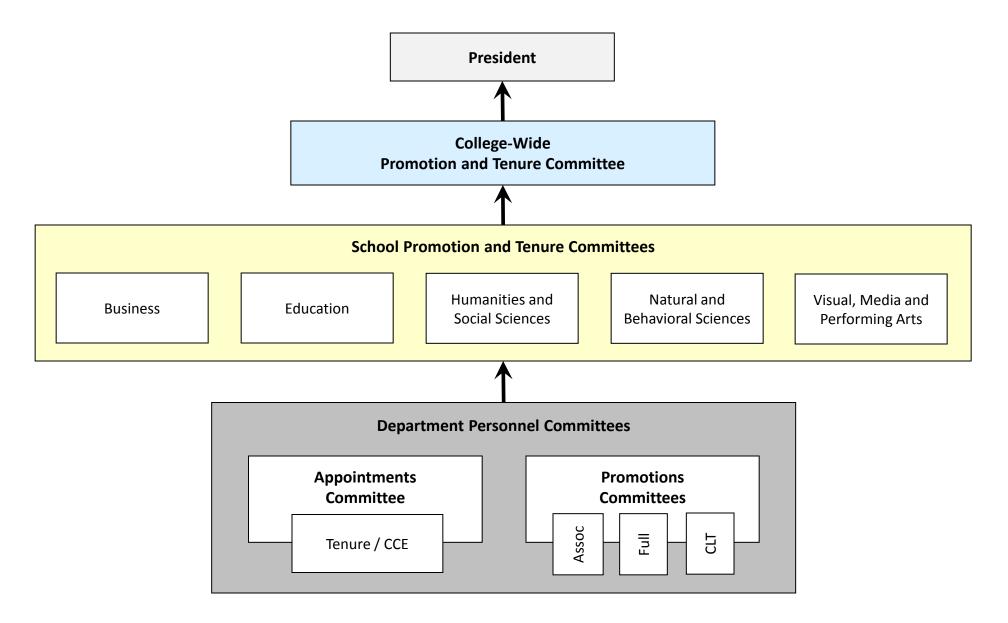
- A. There shall be a personnel appeals committee whose function shall be to review appeals transmitted to it by those who wish to appeal matters relating to instructional staff appointments, reappointments, certificates of continuous employment, tenure, leaves, promotions and the policies, recommendations and procedures thereto pertaining, and to advise the president on their disposition. Such appeals may be made either before or after the president's decision.
- B. Appeals may be based on academic criteria, on a question of procedure, or on any other grounds put forward and fully substantiated by the appellant. New evidence may be introduced as part of an appeal if it was made available to the appellant after the decision in question was made but pertains to the time period originally under consideration.
- C. Notice of five working days shall be offered to anyone asked to appear at a hearing of the personnel appeals committee.
- D. A completed report of the recommendations of the personnel appeals committee shall be submitted to the president of the college no more than thirty working days after such appeal is presented to the committee.
- E. This committee shall be composed of two tenured associate or full professors from each school and one from the combined unit composed of the department of continuing education, the library, and the department of enrollment management and student affairs. One member from each school shall be elected each fall, by members of the instructional staff in the faculty titles of lecturer, instructor, assistant professor, associate professor and full professor who are eligible to participate in elections for the college council. No two members of the committee shall be from the same department or unit.
- F. In addition, one member from the HEO series and one member from the CLT series shall be elected every other fall, who will serve, with vote, only when an appeal has been presented to the personnel appeals committee by a person in the HEO series or in the CLT series respectively. All persons in the HEO series who are eligible to vote in the elections for college council shall be eligible to vote for the HEO representative. All persons in the CLT series who are eligible to vote in the elections for college council shall be eligible to vote for the CLT representative. These representatives from the HEO and CLT series shall only participate in those actions which involve members of their respective series.
- G. The chairperson of this committee shall be elected from among the membership of the committee by the committee members each fall, following the election held to fill the vacant seats. Each school/area shall conduct a separate election for its representatives. Each elected member shall serve for a two-year term.
- H. No member of the personnel appeals committee may serve more than two consecutive terms.

BARUCH COLLEGE			
DEPARTMENT LEVEL	SCHOOL LEVEL	COLLEGE LEVEL	APPEALS
Departmental Executive Committee:	School Personnel and Budget Committee: This	The College Personnel and Budget Committee:	School Academic
Consists of from five to seven members (as	Committee shall receive from the several	shall consist of the President as the non-voting	Review Committee: This
determined by Department's Bylaws).	departments all recommendations for	chair; the Vice President for Academic Affairs;	committee shall hear
Departments may limit terms. This	appointments and reappointments thereto, with	the Vice President for Student	appeals from decisions
Committee shall consider and make	or without tenure or certificate of continuous	Development/Dean of Students; the full Deans	of the School Personnel
recommendations for matters related to	employment to the instructional staff; for	of the several Schools; the Chairs of each of the	and Budget Committees
appointments without tenure to the	promotions in rank; for special salary increments;	School Personnel and Budget Committees; the	and from decisions of
instructional staff, and reappointments	and for applications for leaves.	Chair of the Personnel and Budget Committee	the Personnel and
thereto, including reappointments with a	It shall also hear appeals from departmental	for the Department of the Library and	Budget Committee of
Certificate of Continuous Employment. It	decisions regarding the above, except in the	Department of Student Development and	the Independent Units,
shall also consider and make	matter of initial appointments.	Counseling ("Independent Units"), who shall be	and it shall bring its
recommendations for leaves of absence. It	It shall recommend action regarding all of these	of faculty rank and not a department chair; at	positive
shall transmit its recommendations on	matters to the College Personnel and Budget	least nine additional members of faculty rank	recommendations to the
these matters to the appropriate School	Committee.	who shall not be department Chairs and one	College Personnel and
Personnel and Budget Committee.	This Committee shall also consult with the Dean	matriculated student in good academic standing	Budget Committee for
	of the School on the budget requests submitted	appointed by the Council of Student	action.
	by the Dean and on the allocation of funds and	Governments.	
	personnel.		
	The School Personnel and Budget Committee shall	The functions of the College Personnel and	
	receive from the Promotion Committee	Budget Committee shall be to advise the	
	recommendations for promotions in rank and	President with respect to recommendations for:	
	shall receive from the Tenure Committee	(1) Instructional staff appointments and	
	recommendations for appointments and	reappointments;	
	reappointments with or without tenure or	(2) Conferring of instructional staff tenure and	
	Certificate of Continuous Employment ("C.C.E.").	certificates of continuous employment;	
	The committee shall initiate recommendations for	(3) Promotions in instructional-staff rank;	
	promotion to full professor, for appointments	(4) The granting of fellowship and other leaves	
	without tenure to the instructional staff, and	for the instructional staff;	
	reappointments thereto, including	(5) Instructional personnel policies and	
	reappointments with a C.C.E.	procedures; and	
	It shall also hear appeals of decisions of the	(6) Proposals and policies having instructional	
	Promotion Committee and the Tenure	budgetary implications.	
	Committee. It shall recommend action regarding		
	all of these matters to the College Personnel and		
	Budget Committee.		
Promotion Committee: The Promotion	<u>Promotion Committee:</u> Promotion to the rank of		College Academic
Committee in each department shall be	associate professor shall be considered and		Review Committee: This
constituted in the manner prescribed in the	recommended to the School Personnel and		committee shall hear
Bylaws of the Board of Trustees.	Budget Committee only after an affirmative vote		appeals from decisions
	of the Promotion Committee comprised of all		of the College Personnel
	associate professors and full professors in the		and Budget Committee,

	School. In the case of candidates seeking promotion to full professor, those of that rank in the School shall be given timely notice by the Dean of such candidacies and of the availability of the files for their review so that they may offer written advice on the candidates to the School Personnel and Budget Committee.	and shall bring its recommendations to the President.
in each department shall consist of all	appointments and reappointments with or without tenure or C.C.E. to the School Personnel	
	Independent Units Personnel and Budget Committee: This Committee shall receive from the several departments all recommendations for appointments and reappointments thereto, with or without tenure or certificate of continuous employment to the instructional staff; for promotions in rank; for special salary increments; and for applications for leaves. It shall also hear appeals from departmental decisions regarding the above, except in the matter of initial appointments. It shall recommend action regarding all of these matters to the College Personnel and Budget Committee.	



Promotion & Tenure Review



Membership of Promotion and Tenure Review Committees

Departmental Review

Tenure and CCE:

The department's appointments committee votes on reappointment with tenure for professorial titles and college laboratory technicians (CLT). This committee also votes on reappointment of lecturers with the certificate of continuous employment (CCE).

Promotion to Associate Professor: Full professors, associate professors and the department chairperson vote on promotion to associate.

Promotion to Full Professor: Full professors and the department chairperson vote on promotion to full professor.

Promotion of CLTs:

Tenured faculty will vote on promotion of CLTs to the ranks of senior college laboratory technician and chief laboratory technician.

The recommendations on promotion and tenure/CCE are submitted to the appropriate School Promotion and Tenure Review Committee at the next level.

School Review

There are five promotion and tenure review committees corresponding to the five schools.

Each school committee will consist of one tenured associate or full professor, excluding chairpersons, from each department in that school. If there are fewer than five departments in a school, additional members-at-large will be elected to bring the membership to five.

The appropriate dean will convene each of the school committees, but will have no vote.

Each school review committee will consider all promotion and tenure/CCE within its school. A member of each school review committee will report its recommendation to the college-wide promotion and tenure committee.

College-wide Review

The college-wide promotion and tenure committee will be composed of all department chairpersons.

The chairperson of the CAP Liaison Committee will serve as chair of this committee.

The college-wide committee considers all candidates for promotion and tenure/CCE and reviews the recommendations of the school review committees. The recommendations of the college-wide committee, along with the recommendations of the school review committees, are forwarded to the president for consideration.

BROOKLYN COLLEGE			
DEPARTMENT LEVEL	SCHOOL LEVEL	COLLEGE LEVEL	
Department Appointments Committee:	School Promotion and Tenure Review Committees:	College-Wide Promotion and Tenure Committee	
1. Votes on Tenure.	1. Each school has its own review committee.	1. Made up by Department Chairs and "Liaison Committee	
2. Full professors, Associates, and Chair	2. One tenured Associate or Full per Dept. from each school.	of the Council on Administrative Policy."	
vote on Associate promotion;	3. Members are elected to 3 year term in conjunction with	2. Review recommendations of the School Review	
Professor and Chair on promotion to	triennial elections.	Committees and then, make their own	
Full.	4. Meet with School Dean to clarify written record, but Dean	recommendations.	
	does not vote or is present during the voting.	3. Send their own recommendations with the School	
	5. A member of each school review (not the Dean) reports the	Review committee to the College President	
	committee recommendations to the College P&B.		

CITY COLLEGE				
DEPARTMENT LEVEL	SCHOOL LEVEL	COLLEGE LEVEL	APPEALS	
Executive Committee: Considers all matters	Personnel and Budget Committees (for	The Review Committee: The function of this Committee is to	None	
related to appointments to the instructional staff,	each school, where allowed): This	recommend to the President:	Provided	
and reappointments thereto, without tenure and	committee receives department	(1) Appointments and reappointments		
without a CCE; applications for sabbatical and	recommendations for appointments or	(2) Conferring tenure		
other leaves; and the Departmental budget as	reappointments with tenure, to the	(3) Promotion		
submitted for approval by the Chair. It shall	instructional staff, and for promotions in	(4) Personnel recommendations, policies and procedures		
transmit its recommendations to the appropriate	rank. Where allowed by the President and	(5) Proposals and policies having budgetary implications.		
Personnel and Budget Committee.	the Dean, it also receive recommendations	The Committee shall consist of the P&B Committee of the		
	from Departments for appointments and	College, the Provost/Academic Vice-President as Chair, the		
	reappointments without tenure, and for	Deputy Provost, all School Deans, Full Deans, Vice Presidents,		
	compensation to be paid appointees. The	the Vice Provost, and Chief Librarian. The Chairperson of the		
	Committee may also re recommend to the	Faculty Committee on Personnel Matters and the Chairperson		
	Review Committee special salary	of the Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate shall be		
	increments.	members ex officio with vote. The Chief Librarian shall not be		
		present during personnel actions.		
Department Promotion Committee: This		Faculty Committee on Personnel Matters: Advisory to the		
committee shall make recommendations to the		President. Considers the tenure and promotions process as a		
Review Committee for promotion. The		whole, receives references from the Review Committee,		
department chair shall chair the promotion		considers general criteria for personnel matters, and advises		
committees except in the even the department		on the appointment of Distinguished Professors.		
chair does not hold equal or higher rank than the				
candidate seeks. In that event the members of				
the department will elect a faculty member of the				
highest rank to be chairperson of the promotions				
committee.				
<u>Procedures for Tenure/Tenure Committee:</u>				
Tenure of tenure-track faculty members shall be				
recommended by departmental tenure				
committees (see Advisory Panels and Internal and				
External Evaluators below). Tenure shall be voted				
on by all tenured individuals in the department.				
Advisory Panels and Internal and External				
Evaluators: Department committees on tenure				
and promotion shall establish advisory panels				
consisting of three persons in the department				
who hold higher rank that the candidate in the				
case of promotion, or three tenured persons in				
the case of tenure; one member of each advisory				
panel shall be chosen from a list of three				
submitted by the candidate.				

HUNTER COLLEGE ¹			
DEPARTMENT LEVEL	SCHOOL LEVEL	COLLEGE LEVEL	APPEALS
<u>Department P&B:</u> This Committee decides	School/Division Review and Vote: Here again, I'm	Faculty Personnel and Budget Committee	The Appeals Committee:
on reappointment for untenured faculty.	not clear who is on this Committee, but I do know	(FP&B): I would guess that this is Hunter's	This is referred to as the
When the individual goes up for tenure, the	that in terms of tenure and promotion, positive	version of our College P&B, but I don't know	"Appeals Committee of the
review process goes to the School/Division	votes from this committee then are sent to the	if the composition differs.	FP&B," and is charged by
Committee for review. Promotion also	President and Provost. It is only after the		the President in the event
goes from the department (I'm not sure	President and Provost are notified that the vote		an individual is turned
who is on the Department Promotion	goes to the College P&B (at Hunter called the		down by the FP&B for
Committee), to the School/Division	Faculty Personnel and Budget Committee (FP&B))		tenure and/or promotion.
Committee for a vote.			

Hunter's policies are not as clear in terms of promotion, so much of this is from what I've been able to piece together.

JOHN JAY COLLEGE			
DEPARTMENT LEVEL	SCHOOL LEVEL	COLLEGE LEVEL	
Department Appointments Committee:	No Role	Review Committees of the Committee on Faculty Personnel	
1. Votes on Tenure and Promotion.		1. Subcommittee of Larger Committee	
2. Committee does NOT meet with		2. Three committees: Reappointment, Tenure, Promotion	
candidate		3. Assignment made by the Provost	
3. Chair informs Candidate of vote. No		4. Members must hold rank of Associate or Full Professor	
other member of Committee can		5. Presentation made by Dept. Chair	
communicate with the candidate.		6. Result of vote reported to Dept. Chair	
		7. Vote and report forwarded to full Committee	
		Full Committee on Faculty Personnel	
		1. College President, Provost, Dean of Graduate Studies,	
		Dean of Undergraduate Studies, Deans of Research,	
		Department Chairs, six elected at large members of	
		Associate or Full rank.	
		2. Chaired by President	
		3.	

QUEENS COLLEGE				
DEPARTMENT LEVEL	SCHOOL LEVEL	COLLEGE LEVEL	APPEALS	
Department P&B Committee: There is	<u>Divisional Advisory Committee:</u> The caucus of each division, will	College-Wide P&B: The College P&B is	None	
nothing that indicate who serves on this	review each case. Following deliberations, each voting member	informed of the Subcommittee on Tenure/CCE	Provided	
committee. However, I've summarized the	of the committee, regardless of rank, will rate each candidate in	and Promotion's advisory recommendations,		
procedures at the department level for	a secret ballot.	affirmative and negative, concerning		
tenure and/or promotion below.		candidates. The College P&B, by secret ballot,		
(1) The Tenure and Promotion Report (TPR)	For tenure/CCE, there is a 1 to 3 scale, as follow:	recommends candidates to the President. All		
is prepared. This document summarizes	3 = qualified (the member believes the candidate is qualified)	candidates are then informed by the Provost's		
information about the candidate. The	2 = uncertain (the member is uncertain about the candidate's	Office of the College P&B's recommendations.		
preparation of the report is the	qualifications)			
responsibility of the department.	1 = unqualified (the member believes the candidate is			
(2) Department P&B Report: The	unqualified)			
department P&B report should be a				
summary of all the information the P&B	For promotion, there is a 1 to 5 scale, as follows:			
has collected on the teaching effectiveness,	5 = very strong			
research and scholarly production, and	4 = strong			
service of the candidate.	3 = moderate / uncertain			
(3) After the department P&B committee	2 = weak			
has considered and voted, the	1 = very weak			
recommendation is sent to the appropriate				
Divisional Advisory Committee.	Ratings 5 and 4 mean promotion is recommended, while 3, 2,			
	and 1 mean it is not recommended.			
	The ratings of the Divisional Advisory Committee are forwarded			
	to the Subcommittee on Tenure/CCE and Promotion as individual			
	scores and as a group mean. These divisional ratings are			
	advisory.			
	Subcommittee on Tenure/CCE and Promotion: This			
	subcommittee has two members from each of the Divisions of			
	Arts & Humanities; Math and Natural Sciences; and Social			
	Sciences and one member from the Division of Education, and			
	convened and chaired by the provost as non-voting member.			
	Divisional members are nominated by the four divisional			
	subcommittees of the College P&B Committee and elected by			
	the full College P&B. The subcommittee, voting by secret ballot,			
	makes advisory recommendations to the College P&B.			

CUNY By-Laws, (accessed 10/25/15)

SECTION 9.5. APPOINTMENTS.

- a. Recommendations for full-time appointments in a department shall be initiated (1) by the department or (2) to a professorial title by the president pursuant to his/her responsibilities in accordance with section 11.4. of these bylaws. The president may recommend that such appointee be designated as department chairperson. Such recommendation by the president for appointment and designation as department chairperson may be made either at the time of election of department chairperson or at such other time as the educational interests of the college may require. Before recommending such appointment or designation, the president shall confer with the members of the department and with the college committee on faculty personnel and budget.
- b. All full-time appointments, reappointments, and reappointments with tenure to a department, except as above specified, shall be recommended to the college committee on faculty personnel and budget or its equivalent by the chairperson of the department after consultation with the president in accordance with the vote of the majority of the members of the department's committee on personnel and budget, save that a minority of any committee on appointments or departmental committee on personnel and budget shall have power to submit a minority recommendation to the college committee on faculty personnel and budget.

SECTION 9.6. PROMOTIONS.

a. Each college shall select one of the following plans for promotions:

PLAN NO. ONE. Promotions to the rank of associate professor shall be recommended only after an affirmative vote of a majority of all associate professors and professors in the department. In departments where every professorial rank is not represented, recommendations for promotion shall be initiated by the department personnel and budget committee. This plan shall not apply in the case of promotion to a professorship. No faculty member shall vote on his/her own promotion. A minority of any departmental committee on personnel and budget or any committee under this plan shall have the power to submit a minority recommendation to the college committee on faculty personnel and budget.

PLAN NO. TWO. All promotions to the rank of associate professor shall be recommended to the college committee on faculty personnel and budget by the chairperson of the department only after a majority affirmative vote of the departmental committee on personnel and budget; provided, however, that no member of such committee shall vote on his/her own promotion. This plan shall not apply in the case of promotion to a professorship.

- b. Promotion to the rank of professor shall be recommended by the faculty committee on personnel and budget only after an affirmative vote of a majority of all associate professors and professors on the committee.
- c. The president shall have the power to make an independent recommendation for promotion in any rank to the board, after consultation with the appropriate departmental committee and with the faculty committee on personnel and budget. In all instances no final action of departmental committees with regard to promotions shall be taken without consultation with the president.

SECTION 9.7. TIE VOTES.

A tie vote in a case affecting an appointment, a reappointment, or a promotion shall be considered as a failure of the motion to prevail. Tie votes in the election of a department chairperson or for representation on departmental committees on personnel and budget or committees on appointments or on the faculty council or faculty senate shall be resolved by action of the president.

SECTION 9.8. NEW COLLEGES OR NEW SCHOOLS.

Unless otherwise provided, the provisions of this article, insofar as they specify certain organizational duties and responsibilities of the instructional staff, shall not apply to a newly-created college or a newly-created school in a college until five years after its establishment unless the president, prior thereto, notifies the board of its desire to be governed by these bylaws. However, insofar as practicable, the spirit of these bylaws shall be observed in the organization and operation of such new college or school.

SECTION 9.9. COLLEGE GOVERNANCE PLANS.

The provisions in a duly adopted college governance plan shall supersede any inconsistent provisions contained in this article.