Faculty under review for reappointment, tenure, or promotion

2021-22

As specified in College legislation, the Committee on Faculty Appointments publishes each fall a list of faculty members to be reviewed that year for tenure, promotion, reappointment, or merit increases. Listed below are the faculty members to be reviewed in 2021-22, excluding candidates who requested that their names not be published. Early in semester II, the Committee will publish an updated list of faculty to be reviewed in the spring.

All members of the college community are encouraged to write letters about faculty members being reviewed and send them to the Office of the Provost and Dean of the College, Attention: Jennifer Ellis (cfa@wellesley.edu). Letters are accepted at any time, but are most helpful if submitted before the R&P Committee’s deadline. These letters are reviewed by the Committee on Faculty Appointments. Many factors are considered in the Committee on Faculty Appointments’ decisions. These factors and the process of review, as well as the appropriate date for each review, are specified in Articles of Government, Guidelines for Faculty on Term Appointments, Guidelines for Appointments of Instructors in Science Laboratory, or Guidelines for the Department of Physical Education, Recreation and Athletics.

According to College policy, such letters are shared with the faculty member and the department chair, so any letter should indicate whether (1) the letter should be shared, as written, with your name left on it; or (2) the letter should be shared with your name and identifying wording removed. Letters should be submitted as an email or email attachment.

FACULTY UNDER REVIEW FOR TENURE (FALL)
R&P Committee recommendations are due no later than October 15, 2021. The candidates will be notified by December 15, 2021.

- Biological Sciences
  - Louise Darling
  - John Goss
  - Jaclyn Hatala Matthes

- Chemistry
  - Mathew Tantama

- Computer Science
  - Eni Mustafaraj

- Economics
  - Baafra Abeberese

- Music
  - K. E. Goldschmitt

- Fall Reappointments of faculty in the Department of Physical Education, Recreation and Athletics. R&P Committee recommendations are due October 1, 2021. The candidates will be notified by the end of the fall semester.

- Callie Lekas

REAPPOINTMENTS of tenure-track faculty requiring a one-year notification. R&P Committee recommendations are due March 1, 2022. The candidates will be notified by the end of the academic year.

- American Studies
  - Genevieve Clutario

- Art
  - Alexander Brey

- Biological Sciences
  - Steven Biller
  - Becca Selden

- Economics
  - Baafra Abeberese

- Political Science
  - Maneesh Arora

- Spanish
  - Antonio J. Arraiza Rivera

REAPPOINTMENTS of lecturers and senior lecturers on multi-year contracts requiring a one-year notification or on one-year contracts; and visiting lecturers after fourth year of service. R&P Committee recommendations are due February 15, 2022. Notification dates vary by category; refer to Guidelines for Faculty on Term Appointments. Reappointments depend on the availability of a position; some faculty members may not be reappointed simply because no position is available.

- Africana Studies
  - Liseli Fitzpatrick

- Art
  - Martha McNamara
  - Andy Mowbray
  - James Oles

- Biological Sciences
  - Kimberly O’Donnell

- Computer Science
  - Scott Anderson
  - Andrew Davis
  - Jordan Tynes

- East Asian Languages & Cultures
  - Dai Chen
  - Yoshimi Maeno
  - Jae Young Song
  - Eiko Torii-Williams
  - Weina Zhao

- Economics
  - Rachel Deyette Werkema
  - Sari Kerr

- Education
  - Lisa Palaia
  - Diane Tutin
  - Deepa Vasudevan
REAPPOINTMENTS of instructors in science laboratory and senior instructors in science laboratory on multi-year contracts requiring a one-year notification or on one-year contracts, eligible for a multi-year contract. R&P Committee recommendations are due February 15, 2022. Notification dates vary by category; refer to Guidelines for Appointments of Instructors in Science Laboratory.

SPRING REAPPOINTMENTS AND/OR PROMOTIONS of faculty in the Department of Physical Education, Recreation and Athletics. R&P Committee recommendations are due April 1, 2022. The candidates will be notified by the end of the academic year.

FULL AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS eligible for consideration for merit increase. Letters should be submitted by March 31, 2022 to be most helpful motion.