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Proposal to Expand and Reorganize the Academic Personnel Board

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Faculty Senate Meeting

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Promotion & Tenure

Requires chain of approvals

Candidate > Department > College > APB >
President > Board of Trustees

APB Mission:

- Take a university wide perspective in reviewing nominations
- Serve in a fact-finding and consulting role
- Advise the president on nominations

An Excessive Workload

Year	Cases
2008-09	209
2009-10	234
2010-11	253
2011-12	244
2012-13	238

Proposed Expansion and Reorganization

APB now has six members and research VP

Expand to 10-12 members and research VP

Reorganize board into two separate panels

APB Panels

Panel # 1 to consider faculty in tenure-eligible positions, along with distinguished professors

Panel # 2 to consider faculty county extension agents and tenure-ineligible positions

A Manageable Workload

Of 238 cases in 2012-13 ...

Tenure-eligible faculty panel would have considered 158

Extension and non-tenure-eligible faculty panel would have considered 80

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