

POLICY MEMORANDUM

No. II-15

Chancellor's Professorships

Chancellor's Professorships may be awarded by the Provost to retiring tenured faculty members in recognition of meritorious contributions to their departments and the university. To be eligible, faculty members must have held the rank of full or associate professor for at least five years and be 62 years of age or older. Chancellor's Professors will be eligible for a term appointment not exceeding three years in length.

The department promotion and tenure committee, department chair, and Vice Provost and Dean of the candidate's College will each provide a recommendation regarding the meritorious nature of the contributions of the candidate. The Provost will make a final decision on the appointment after consideration of these recommendations.

Members of the faculty who receive the title of Chancellor's Professor shall relinquish their tenured positions, but shall be rehired as non-tenured members of the faculty. Their names shall appear as members of the university faculty. They shall generally have a teaching assignment in an appropriate department; in special circumstances they may have an alternate assignment agreed upon in another area of faculty responsibilities. They shall receive compensation as negotiated with the Provost for up to 25% FTE, and shall earn no more annually than 25% of the appointee's final regular academic year base salary.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Immediately

RESPONSIBILITY: Provost, Vice Provost and Dean for respective College, Department Chairs

BASIS: Collected Rules and Regulations, [Executive Guideline No. 30, Chapter 310.075: Negotiated Faculty Retirements and Resignations](#)



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