

**Appointment, Promotion and Tenure Committee**  
**Annual Report**  
**2005-2006**

The members of the College of Medicine APT Committee for 2005-2006 were: Paul Gottschall, PhD; Richard Heller, PhD; Patricia Kruk, PhD; Richard Roetzheim, MD; Amyn Rojiani, MD, PhD; Allen Root, MD; John Sinnott, MD; Larry Solomonson, PhD; and David Solomon, MD, who served as Chair. John Curran, MD, Senior Executive Associate Dean for Faculty and Academic Affairs, served as the administrative liaison. The Committee conducted regular monthly meetings on the third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 a.m. In addition, the Committee met for a full day in December 2005 to review applications for the 2005-2006 promotion and tenure cycle.

The Committee considered requests for 37 faculty appointments and made its recommendations to the Dean. During the annual promotion and tenure review process, 31 applications were considered and several Chair appeals were heard. The Committee met with the Dean in January to present its recommendations with regard to promotion and tenure.

This year, the Committee reviewed the dossiers of 21 faculty members as part of the annual Progress Toward Promotion and Tenure process. Written feedback was provided.

The Committee reviewed five nominations from the College of Medicine for USF Distinguished University Professor and provided its recommendations to the Dean.

The Committee was represented by its Chair at the annual Promotion and Tenure Workshop in June.

The Committee will continue to explore ways to encourage mentoring of faculty on the Clinician Educator Pathway. Finally, guidelines for promotion on the Clinician Educator pathway will be redefined.

Respectfully Submitted,

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APT Committee Chair