### Evaluation of Performance

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<td>I. Remediation for Unsatisfactory Teaching Performance</td>
<td>If a College of Roosevelt University seeks not to reemploy on a permanent basis an adjunct faculty member whose teaching performance has been determined to be unsatisfactory, and if that adjunct faculty member has taught at least three hours in five of the last ten (10) terms (exclusive of Summer) in that College, he/she shall be given the opportunity to remediate his or her teaching performance. The rating of “unsatisfactory” shall be determined by Roosevelt University, in its sole discretion after at least three observations. Each observation shall also include a written report of the adjunct faculty member’s teaching performance which shall be given to the adjunct faculty member after the observation. These observations shall have occurred during the term in which the notification of remediation was issued and/or during the two terms (excluding summer) prior to such term. The supervisor may also use other factors such as student evaluation ratings, any previously adopted evaluation system, minimum teaching standards as recognized by the standards of the discipline in which the adjunct faculty member teaches, and other factors deemed appropriate by the University.</td>
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<td>K. Student Complaints</td>
<td>Any student complaint against a faculty member deemed by Roosevelt to raise the possibility of disciplinary action against the faculty member shall be brought to the attention of the faculty member. The 8.6 Evaluation. Unit adjunct faculty I who attain unit adjunct faculty II status shall be evaluated no later than three (3) years from their last evaluation and on a triennial basis thereafter. If the faculty member teaches in multiple modalities, the Dean may choose the modality to be evaluated; the faculty member will choose the course. If formally evaluated more frequently, the unit member’s dean/supervisor shall discuss the reasons with the unit member and Association representative (at the unit member’s option) prior to such formal evaluation. A. Unit Adjunct Faculty II members shall facilitate submission of student evaluations to the Office of Institutional Research (IR) for all classes every semester. Aggregate data reports shall only include identifiers down to the course level. Data on courses taught by just one faculty member shall not include individual course identifiers but rather shall be reported in a single aggregate category by division. C. student evaluations may be used for the purpose of improvement of instruction, and may be compiled in the aggregate to meet accreditation and other assessment of learning accountability measures. No punitive action may be taken against faculty based upon student evaluations. D. each year the faculty member will submit a self-assessment, including a professional growth plan, to the dean/supervisor. The forms, procedure and deadlines for this 25.02 Evaluation Schedule for Teaching Professionals and Resource professionals who are members of the Bargaining Unit. In each academic year, the Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs shall prepare a schedule of evaluation for retention, promotion, or tenure. The schedule shall be posted electronically no later than October 15.</td>
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faculty member shall also be given an opportunity to respond to such complaint prior to any disciplinary action being imposed. | evaluation are specified in the Faculty Evaluation Handbook. **10.5 Evaluation.** Unit adjunct faculty I who have taught six (6) semesters or more shall be evaluated every two (2) years. Unit adjunct faculty I who have taught two (2) to five (5) semesters shall be evaluated annually. At the dean's discretion or upon recommendation of the evaluator(s), one additional evaluation may be performed annually by the dean or designee. Prior to an additional evaluation, the dean will discuss the reasons with the unit adjunct faculty I member and an Association representative (at the unit adjunct faculty I member's option). At the dean's discretion, unit adjunct faculty I may be evaluated for each new course delivered. The evaluation procedure for unit adjunct faculty I shall include a classroom visitation with pre- and post-conferences and student evaluation of instruction. Student evaluations of instruction shall be completed for all sections taught. All evaluative materials shall be given to the dean. Each year the unit adjunct faculty I member will submit a self-assessment. | The schedule shall be posted electronically no later than October 15. An Employee who has submitted a resignation or has received a terminal contract shall not be evaluated. **32.04 Evaluation Procedures for Instructors** Unique evaluation process for instructors. Following a review of the materials (including two classroom observations and student evaluations), the Department Personnel Committee and the Department Chair shall each write an evaluation...which states whether the Employee's teaching/primary duty has been unsatisfactory or satisfactory with reference to the performance standards... **32.05 Evaluation Procedures for Academic Support Professions** C. Each Academic Support Professional shall receive an annual written evaluation from the primary Supervisor in accordance with the approved job description, description of materials and methods to be used in evaluating the Academic Support Professional's performance and annual work plan. The evaluation ratings shall be "highly effective," "satisfactory" and "unsatisfactory." **32.06 Evaluation Procedures for Academic Resource Professionals** C. 1. Following a review of the materials, the Department Personnel Committee and Department Chair shall write an evaluation of the Employee's assigned duties and shall forward the evaluations to the Employee, the Dean, and the Employee's personnel file. The evaluations shall state whether the Employee's degree of effectiveness in assigned activity has been unsatisfactory or satisfactory with reference to the performance standards specified in the appropriate Academic Resource Professional Application of Criteria. | teaching evaluated? Chairpersons evaluate performance against the criteria for good teaching by analyzing patterns of evidence from the approved information sources listed below. Evaluators use at least three (3) of these information sources for both the initial evaluation of part-time faculty (i.e., during the first or second semester of teaching) and the second evaluation (i.e., between 36 - 42 credits of teaching). Evaluators use at least two of the approved sources of information (e.g., student self-assessment) for subsequent evaluations conducted after fifty-one (51) credits of teaching have been accumulated. A classroom observation must be used as one of the sources of information, except for faculty who teach online and/or hybrid courses.
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| **Section 7.2 - Student Feedback.** Student Evaluations of Teaching (SETs) will be conducted in accordance with American University policy. SETs reports will be made available to an employee at the end of the semester once all grades have been submitted. Employees shall cooperate with the appropriate academic administrators to facilitate the student evaluation process.

**Section 7.4 - Timing of Evaluations.** Employees will be formally evaluated at least once every three (3) academic years. Employees who receive a negative evaluation may request and receive an interim evaluation to establish that performance concerns have been addressed.

**Section 7.5 - Employee Participation.** An employee may submit additional questions for the Department or Program to consider adding to the employee's student evaluations, in order to address issues that are specific to the Department, Program, or course. An employee may submit additional materials regarding the employee's professional, artistic, or scholarly credentials that the employee desires to have considered as a part of the evaluation process. An employee may submit a written response to student evaluations, and any such response will be considered in the evaluation process.

**Section 7.6 - Classroom Observation.**

(A) **Observation Requested by Employee.** An employee entitled to good faith consideration under Article 6 of this Agreement may request a classroom observation and evaluation of the employee's classroom performance once every six (6) semesters of teaching. Any such request shall be made no later than the second week of classes. The classroom observation will occur at any time within a two (2) week window of time agreed to.

(B) **Adjunct faculty members shall cooperate with the appropriate academic administrators to facilitate the student evaluation process.** Student evaluations will be available for the教职工 following the end of the semester once all grades are available for the course(s) taught by the Faculty member.

(C) **Following the receipt of the student evaluations each semester, an adjunct faculty member may submit to the employee a request for feedback from the School, department, or program concerning their student evaluations.** The student evaluation form to be mutually agreed upon by the University and the Adjunct Faculty member will be considered as a part of the evaluation process. An employee may submit a written response to student evaluations, and any such response will be considered in the evaluation process.

(D) **An adjunct faculty member may request a classroom observation and evaluation of the employee's classroom performance within three (3) calendar years from the date of initial appointment, but not sooner than the second year of appointment, and then once every three (3) calendar years thereafter.**

(E) **University may observe performance at any time.** An adjunct faculty member will receive this additional evaluation once every six (6) semesters of appointment. A part-time Faculty member who is compensated by the course may request this additional evaluation once every six (6) semesters of appointment. (3) **Classroom observation(s) undertaken for purposes of this evaluation may occur at any time within a two (2) week window of time, which shall be designated in advance by the Adjunct Faculty member.** (4) The Adjunct Faculty member shall be notified in advance of such action but may not if, in the University's judgment, circumstances do not warrant it.

(F) - **University may observe teaching performance at any time.** The Adjunct Faculty member shall have advance notice of such action but may not if, in the University's good faith judgment, circumstances do not warrant it.

(F) - **The University will promptly notify Faculty members.**

Article VIII

(B) - **Student evaluations will be conducted for each course, except independent study, in accordance with University policy.**

(C) - All Faculty members shall be evaluated at least once every two (2) academic years of appointment based on a review of student evaluations in a course taught by the Faculty member. In reviewing the student evaluations, the Dean/Department Chair/Program Director, or designee (hereinafter referred to as the Evaluator) may consider the following factors: treatment of course description and syllabus, demonstration of effective teaching methods, adherence to academic and professional standards, and encouragement of the spirit of inquiry among students.

(D) - **Additional evaluations shall be conducted based on student evaluations and feedback, one or more classroom observations, a review of the syllabus and course materials, and an optional Faculty self-assessment in a form to be mutually agreed upon by the University and the Union.** (1) A regular part-time Faculty member will receive this additional evaluation once every six (6) semesters of appointment. (2) A part-time Faculty member who is compensated by the course may request this additional evaluation once every six (6) semesters of appointment. (3) **Classroom observation(s) undertaken for purposes of this evaluation may occur at any time within a two (2) week window of time, which shall be designated in advance by the Evaluator after consultation with the Faculty member.** (4) The Evaluator will prepare a written evaluation report within a reasonable period of time after the student evaluations are made available to the Evaluator.

(E) - **University may observe teaching performance at any time.** The Faculty member shall have advance notice of such action but may not if, in the University's judgment, circumstances do not warrant it.

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Article 12

Section 1 - **Regular Annual Review.** The Department Chair, Program Director, Language Coordinator or designee has overall responsibility for the regular annual evaluation of Faculty members. This may include, but not be limited to, the following:

(a) **Reviewing all student evaluations, syllabi and applicable course materials, examining assessment methods, and observing teaching to evaluate teaching effectiveness...**

(b) **Student Evaluations.** Every faculty member shall be evaluated by students in each class each semester, using University-approved course evaluation processes and forms. At the end of each semester, the Chair, Director, Coordinator or designee will review the course evaluations and shall provide feedback to the faculty if there is evidence of unsatisfactory teaching performance.

(c) In order to assess teaching effectiveness, the Chair, Director, Coordinator or designee may also visit the classes of any faculty member under his/her supervision at any time and as he/she deems appropriate... The date and time of the classroom observation shall be decided in advance by mutual agreement between the Chair, Director or Coordinator and the faculty member...

Section 2 - **Formal Reappointment Comprehensive Review.** In the spring semester of the faculty member’s 4th, 6th and 8th year and in the spring semester of the last year of any multiyear appointment, the faculty member shall undergo a comprehensive evaluation that will aid in determining whether or not to reappoint the faculty member to a multiyear appointment.
by Management and the employee. The observation will be conducted during a period when instruction is taking place, and of sufficient duration for the evaluator to observe the employee's performance, teaching skill and methodology. An employee will receive feedback from the observation in writing within a reasonable period of time after the observation occurs. An employee may request a meeting with the evaluator to discuss the written feedback.

(B) Other Observation. Management may observe teaching performance at any time. An employee ordinarily shall have advance notice of such action but may not if, in Management's judgment, circumstances do not warrant it.

Section 7.7 - Evaluation Materials. An employee will receive a copy of his or her evaluation within a reasonable period of time after all criteria for the evaluation have been met...

Section 7.8 - Negative Evaluation of Performance. If an employee entitled to good faith consideration under Article 6 of this Agreement receives a negative evaluation that results in the denial of assignment(s), Management will provide the employee with a description of the conditions under which the employee may be considered for assignments in the future.

paragraph is to provide the adjunct faculty member with notice of an alleged performance issue that is capable of being corrected during the remainder of the course, while appropriately respecting student confidentiality and protecting the student(s) from retaliation.