

College of Education

Department of Teacher Education

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To: Faculty SenateFrom: Julia López-Robertson, PhDRe: Annual Report August 16, 2022-August 15, 2023

The Faculty Appellate Panel [formerly the Faculty Grievance Committee] received four grievances during the 2022-2023 academic year; two cases were regarding tenure & promotion, one case was about academic freedom, and the final case involved copyright infringement, workplace civility, and academic freedom.

The Panel completed thorough reviews of each case by examining University policies and procedures, the necessary materials provided in each case, and conferring with the Office of General Counsel. Each case was concluded, and recommendations were issued.

Over the summer, I received two inquiries from faculty members wishing to initiate grievances once the fall semester begins.

The Panel elected a new chair, Michael Stoeltzner of the Department of Philosophy, to begin his term August 16, 2023.

Respectfully,

Julia López-Robertson Professor, Teacher Education Chair, Faculty Appellate Panel