

## SUGGESTED STANDARDS FOR EVALUATING RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

Type	Unsatisfactory	Satisfactory	Highly Satisfactory	Excellent
<b>Disciplinary or Professional Research</b>	<p>Research has not been regularly conducted or there is no evidence of dissemination</p> <p>Evidence comes only from colleagues, collaborators, or ex-students</p> <p>Individual role and level of collaborative work is unspecified</p> <p>Research is of poor quality</p> <p>No research program has been presented</p>	<p>Candidate has performed research that is appropriate to the discipline/profession and reflects standards of good practice</p> <p>Candidate has disseminated the results of research in scholarly journals and other appropriate venues</p> <p>Research program is clearly articulated</p>	<p>Candidate's work has attracted favorable peer review and peer commentary notes promise</p> <p>Some level of national peer-reviewed dissemination of scholarship is required</p>	<p>Significant contributions to the knowledge in the field that clearly demonstrate attributes of scholarly work associated with research, including peer refereed presentations and publications and national recognition of the quality of research</p>
<b>Grants and external support</b> (Review the candidate's funding in light of the present context for funding in the field)	<p>No evidence of attempts to seek support</p>	<p>Evidence of attempts, which show promise</p>	<p>Successful grant and external support has been obtained and continuing efforts and promise are documented</p>	<p>Significant contributions that clearly demonstrate the attributes of scholarly work associated with obtaining external support, including the degree to which the process was competitive</p>
<b>Peer review</b>	<p>Local and external peer reviews have evaluated the work as unsatisfactory. <i>[Procedures require internal and external reviews.]</i></p>	<p>Departments provide clear information about the stature of journals and the significance of the research publications</p> <p>Departments affirm the candidates' plans for continued research</p>	<p>Regular local and external peer review</p>	<p>Expert external peer review clearly demonstrates the attributes of scholarly work associated with research, including peer refereed presentations, grants, and publications</p> <p>Evidence of national recognition of the quality of work</p>
<b>Scholarly activities, including awards</b>	<p>None are documented</p>	<p>Local dissemination of good practice and recognition has occurred</p>	<p>Regular and significant local dissemination of good practice and recognition has occurred</p>	<p>Evidence of a program of scholarly work that has contributed to knowledge base and improved the work of others</p> <p>Departmental evaluations of the stature of the work</p>