VPA Department Faculty Expectations

Note: The matrix is to be used as a guide to aid in the composition of a narrative describing a faculty member's performance. We have chosen the simplicity of only three rankings, as the range of criteria contained within each should be able to be easily noted and commented upon on way to compiling an overall evaluation. Any additional exemplary positives will be contained in the narrative report.

	Acceptable +	Acceptable	Not Acceptable
Teaching	-able to impart/explain subject matter dynamically and relate material to other disciplines	-able to impart/explain subject matter competently	-unable to impart/explain subject matter
	-lectures are prepared, organized	-lectures are prepared and	-lectures are unprepared and
	and engaging -assignments are graded, returned in a timely matter, and contain critical feedback	organized -assignments are graded and returned in a timely matter	disorganized -assignments are not graded or are not returned
	-tests, exams, and other evaluative activities are given, relate to subject matter, and often require enhanced responses	-tests, exams, and other evaluative activities are given, relate to subject matter, and require straightforward responses	-tests, exams, or other evaluative activities are not given or are not related to subject matter
	-classes meet as scheduled; extra lectures, activities, and study sessions are sometimes scheduled	-classes meet as scheduled	-classes do not meet as scheduled
Scholarship/Creative Activity	-activity is constant and significant in terms of scope, range, and prestige	-activity is fairly constant and is noteworthy in terms of scope and range	-activity is non-existent or small in scope and range
	-activity is peer-reviewed	-activity is peer-reviewed	-activity is not peer-reviewed
Service	-chair of University, School, or Dept. committees -chair or executive member of professional committees	-participates in University, School, or Dept. committees -participates in professional committees	-no University, School, or Dept. service -no professional service
	-develops/leads local community service activities -participates in regional/national community service activities	-participates in local community service activities	-no community service