

TEMPORARY DEVIATION (immediate implementation if approved)

JULY 1, 2024 Addition to the Faculty Handbook (early adoption due to promotions in progress)

## **Section 2.2 Temporary (Adjunct) Appointments**

A temporary (adjunct) appointment runs for a precisely stipulated short term, usually one year or less. It terminates automatically at the expiration of the stipulated term. It carries no implications of renewal or continuation beyond the stipulated term. Adjuncts hold the rank of Assistant Adjunct Professor, Associate Adjunct Professor, or Senior Adjunct Professor.

## **Section 2.4 Term (1-4) and Renewable Term Appointments**

### **Subdivision 2.4a Titles and Ranks for Term (1-4) and Renewable Term Faculty**

#### **Paragraph 2.4a.1 Instructional Faculty**

Instructional faculty hold the rank of Assistant Professor of Instruction, Associate Professor of Instruction, or Professor of Instruction. Instructional faculty contribute predominantly to the teaching missions of the University and ~~may also do some~~ complete service (or service and scholarship). They are distinguished individuals whose disciplinary education, expertise, and experience qualifies them to teach, advise students, contribute to the development of curricula, or engage in other pedagogical activities related to their expertise.

#### **Paragraph 2.4a.2 Clinical Faculty**

~~Normally,~~ Clinical faculty hold the rank of Clinical Assistant Professor, Clinical Associate Professor, or Clinical Professor. Clinical faculty contribute to the service, and/or teaching, and/or outreach missions of the University. The clinical faculty designation is used for positions that require clinical teaching and/or clinical supervision and/or clinical direction.

#### **Paragraph 2.4a.3 Practitioner Faculty**

Practitioner Faculty hold the rank of Assistant Professor of Practice, Associate Professor of Practice, and Professor of Practice. These are highly experienced individuals in a relevant field of professional practice who can provide effective, practice-oriented instruction and contribute to the teaching, service, and outreach missions of the University.