2025-2026 CALENDAR FOR AFT PROFESSIONAL STAFF 4th, 5th YEAR REAPPOINTMENT AND 1ST MULTI-YEAR CONTRACT CONSIDERATION Notify by: February 1, 2026

2025

All AFT Professional Staff who started their employment at the College between July and December of 2024 or who have been employed at the College for **more than two (2) years**, as of September 2025, shall complete, with their supervisors, the Annual Performance Assessment System (APAS) for the **previous** appraisal period of July 1, 2024—June 30, 2025 (September 1, 2024—June 30, 2025 for (10) month employees).

The APAS form for the **current** appraisal period, July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026 (September 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026 for ten (10) month employees), Core Goal(s) and/or Unit Goal(s), Employee Outcomes, Achievement Targets, and Measures should be initiated, discussed, and established at the start of the new performance year as soon as possible to ensure job expectations are clear for both employee and supervisor.

The evaluated (complete) 2024-2025 APAS and prepared 2025-2026 APAS shall be submitted to Employee Relations on or before Friday, February 27, 2026, (on or before) in accordance with this calendar as part of the reappointment application. All reappointment applications and supporting documentation MUST be submitted in DIGITIAL format and all documents MUST be signed.

Note: <u>APAS forms should not be sent to Employee Relations at this time</u>. The complete, evaluated 2024-2025APAS and prepared 2025-2026 APAS shall be submitted to Employee Relations on or before Friday, November 14, 2025 in accordance with this calendar as part of the reappointment application. <u>All</u> reappointment applications and supporting documentation MUST be submitted in DIGITAL format and all documents MUST be signed.

Friday, October 10, 2025 (on or before)

AFT professional staff employees shall submit a written request for 4th, 5th Year Reappointment or 1st Multi-Year contract consideration to the appropriate supervisor. Requests shall include a complete, evaluated APAS for the **previous** appraisal period July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025 (September 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025 for ten (10) month employees, a one page written self-evaluation, including a summary of the past year(s) accomplishments including achievement of goals; and analysis of professional contributions and potential for continued development; a statement of professional goals and objectives; a current dated resume; and a current, dated job description. In addition, a prepared, unevaluated APAS for the **current** appraisal period, July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026 (September 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026 for ten (10) month employees) shall be submitted with the request.

<u>Optional:</u> Professional staff employees meet with their supervisors to identify at least three (3) employees serving with the candidate in a regular and continuing functional working relationship from whom supervisors will request written evaluations. The list must satisfy the supervisor's need for relevant feedback.

Thursday, October 16, 2025 (on or before)

Written peer evaluations (if requested) are submitted to the appropriate supervisor.

Friday, October 17, 2025 (on or before)

Supervisors completing the APAS shall review and consult with their managers regarding their assessment of the professional staff they supervise prior to the individual meetings with employees.

Friday, October 31, 2025 (on or before)

Supervisors shall hold formal assessment meetings with their employees regarding the APAS for the **previous** appraisal period July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025 (September 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025 for ten (10) month employees. The request for reappointment is reviewed and discussed at this time. Results and/or Analysis, Action Plan, and Supervisor Comments should be assessed on the APAS. In addition, the Core Goal(s) and/or Unit Goal(s), Employee Outcomes, Achievement Targets, and Measures shall be prepared for the **current** appraisal period of July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026 (September 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026 for ten (10) month employees, , if this has not already been done. Job descriptions should be dated and may be revised if necessary.

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Friday, October 31, 2025 (on or before)

Supervisors shall inform each professional staff member of their recommendations and evaluations in writing on the APAS forms.

Friday, November 07, 2025 (on or before)

Supervisors shall forward all documents to the administrative officer next in line, including a copy of the APAS forms for the next appraisal period, July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025 (September 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025 for ten (10) month employees).

Friday, November 14, 2025 (on or before)

Administrative Officers shall note their recommendations in writing on the APAS forms for the **previous** appraisal period July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025 (September 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025 for ten (10) month employees). If a recommendation for non-reappointment is made, the Administrative Officer must notify the candidate in writing and the candidate may request a meeting. All documents shall be forwarded to the Core Head.

Friday, November 21, 2025 (on or before)

Core Heads note their recommendations in writing on the APAS forms for the **previous** appraisal period July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025 (September 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025 for ten (10) month employees). If a recommendation for non-reappointment is made, the Core Head must notify the candidate in writing and the candidate may request a meeting. All documents shall be forwarded to the President via the Office of Employee Relations.

Monday, December 15, 2025 (on or before)

The President, or designee shall notify all applicants for reappointment of the action taken by the President.

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Thursday, January 15, 2026 (on or before)

The appropriate Board of Trustees (BOT) Committee shall meet to discuss the nominations for 4th and 5th year reappointment and 1st multi-year contract consideration.

Monday, January 26, 2026 (on or before)

The BOT shall discuss and act on all nominations for 4th and 5th year reappointment and 1st multi-year contract consideration.

Friday, January 30, 2026 (on or before)

The President shall notify all applicants for reappointment of the action taken by the President (for non-reappointment) and the BOT for reappointment.

At every level if there is a negative recommendation, candidates must be notified in writing and may request a meeting with the person making the recommendation. This meeting will be held prior to the recommendation being submitted to the Administrative Officer next in line. It is the option of the candidate to request the presence of a Union representative at the meeting as an observer/advisor only. The candidate must be given at least forty-eight (48) hours prior notice of the scheduled meeting unless waived by the candidate. Candidates may also respond in writing and such information will be attached to the APAS packet and included in the candidate's personnel file.