RECRUITMENT APM - 500 General

500-0 Policy

The University recruiting program is directed toward obtaining the best qualified person for the position authorized.

Normally vacancies should be filled at the instructor or assistant professor level in the Professorial series and at the lowest rank in the other teaching series and in the Professional Research series.

500-6 Responsibility

Academic personnel for existing budgeted positions are normally recruited by the appropriate department chair, director, dean and Chancellor.

500-7 Aids

The following policies relating to travel and removal expenses are designed to facilitate the University's recruitment policies:

- a. Travel Expenses for Recruitment (APM 540).
- b. Removal Expenses (APM 560).
- c. Removal Expenses Assistants (APM 561).
- d. Moving Expenses for Intercampus Transfers (APM 550).
- e. Travel Expenses for Appointees to Visiting Titles (APM 230-20-h).
- f. Travel Expenses for Short-Term Appointees on Extramurally Financed Projects (APM 570).

500-10 Standards

Necessary qualifications for new personnel and limitations on title and salary offers that may be made to prospective personnel are determined by the policies and procedures for appointment and promotion of academic personnel as set forth in the Academic Personnel Manual Part II, Appointment and Promotion.

500-16 **Restrictions**

- a. All recruiting is subject to the limitation that appointments must conform to established University policies.
- b. Special conditions must be observed before initiating negotiations with the prospective employee:
 - (1) Who is employed by another California institution (see APM 501).
 - (2) Who is employed on another University of California campus (see APM 510).
- c. No administrative officer of the University shall offer appointment after April 30 for employment during the immediately ensuing academic year to a faculty member holding a tenure or tenure-track appointment at any institution which is a member of the Association of American Universities (see APM 500, Appendix A, for listing of member institutions of the AAU, or online at http://www.aau.edu/about/default.aspx?id=58).
 - (1) This restriction applies to offers for employment at the University of California in a visiting or acting capacity or as a Lecturer as well as to offers for appointments of indefinite duration.
 - (2) This restriction does not apply to offers for appointments which would not require any reduction in the individual's service at the home institution (e.g., an appointment during the summer quarter).
 - (3) This restriction does not apply to faculty members holding non-tenure track appointments at Association of American Universities member institutions even if they are being offered tenure appointments at the University of California.
- d. Restrictions are placed upon the employment of near relatives of University employees (see APM 520).
- e. No commitment, formal or informal, may be made in negotiating for the recruitment of a faculty member to a budgeted position involving tenure or security of employment prior to the approval of the Chancellor.
- f. Formal negotiations for recruitment of a faculty member may be initiated only with the prior approval of the Chancellor.

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g. When an individual not in the employ of the University is to be offered a tenure appointment by two or more campuses of the University, the same level of salary shall be offered by each of those campuses. The following procedure is to be followed to make this procedure effective: when it becomes known to any campus administrative officer that another campus of the University is also recruiting an individual for a tenure appointment, that officer is obliged to inform the Chancellor. (Appointments subject to the foregoing procedures are also subject to provisions of the Academic Personnel Manual such as APM - 500 and 530 concerning recruitment of academic personnel and APM - 220-85 concerning appointment of academic personnel at the tenure rank.)

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