Perelman School of Medicine Faculty Track Descriptions Effective 7/1/21

| | Academic Clinician | Clinician Educator | Research | Tenure |
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| Clinical activities (where applicable) | Expert clinicians with regional, national reputations Generally exceeds 20% effort | Expert clinicians usually within an innovative or specific program/niche | NA | Usually narrow clinical expertise |
| Educational Focus | Usually clinical | Diverse settings | Minimal | • Generally with focus on research mentorship |
| Research | | | | |
| Type of research | • Applied research extending existing observations in a field, recruitment of clinical trial patients | Often collaborative, can be independent research that results in new discoveries/knowledge or extend/advances understanding of knowledge ultimately important to | • Extends existing observations in a field/drives field in new direction | Independent or innovative collaborative research that results in new discoveries/knowledge or extend/advances understanding of knowledge ultimately important to human health/disease* |
| Funding/Effort | Not required but may be contributor/ collaborator Generally, may not be PI/leader on federally sponsored research. | human health/disease Not required but may have diverse portfolio of grants/funding inc PI and Co-PI roles | Research is primary focus often as Co-I on extramural grants | • Research effort will be funded by highly competitive peer reviewed government and foundation based awards. |
| nticipated Impact | | | | |
| Research | Optional | Original peer reviewed papers with identifiable focus as either collaborator or lead author. Chapters, reviews, alternative media Awards External lectures Continuous productivity Extramural consultant recognition Patents/commercialization aligned with primary research program | High-impact original papers as leader/collaborator Grant funding Awards External lectures Extramural consultant recognition Continuous productivity Patents/commercialization aligned with primary research program | High-impact original papers that must clearly highlight role in advancing the field. ** Grant funding Awards External lectures Participation in study sections/editorial boards Extramural consultant recognition Continuous productivity Patents/commercialization aligned with primary research program |
| Teaching | Teaching excellence High quality engagement inc development of courses/products/tools, committee work, outreach programs Leadership roles | Teaching excellence | NA | Teaching excellence |
| Clinical | Expert clinicians Development of innovative approaches to dx, rx or prevention of disease Leadership roles related to Area of Concentration Awards | Expert clinicians Development of innovative approaches to dx, rx or prevention of disease Leadership roles Awards | NA | When applicable, expert clinicians in area of primary research |
| Reputation** | Associate- within PM community Professor-regional/national | Associate-National Full- National/International | Associate- National Full- International | Associate- National Full- International |

*Any type of research can qualify, e.g., laboratory-based, clinical, public health, community based, bioethics research, or educational research. The branch or type of science (e.g., clinical vs basic research) represented by a faculty member's research program is not related to a specific track. What is important is the role they play in novel work that has a defined impact. ** An upward trajectory of an individual's achievements and impact is required for each promotion step

Shaded boxes indicate primary focus on track.