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RE: 2014-15 Thresholds for Faculty Salaries

Dear Colleagues:

The new [2014-15 thresholds for campus approval of faculty salaries](#) are now in effect. The Indexed Compensation Level (ICL) has been raised to \$301,000 for 2014-15. Accordingly, the new thresholds for faculty salaries that require approval by the UC Provost and Executive Vice President – Academic Affairs (UC Provost) have been adjusted as follows:

<u>Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale</u>	<u>Thresholds</u>
Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – Academic Year	\$301,000
Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – Fiscal Year	\$349,200
Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – Bus/Engr/Econ – Academic Year	\$330,000
Faculty Ladder Ranks Scale – Bus/Engr/Econ – Fiscal Year	\$382,700

Above-threshold faculty salaries that result from new faculty appointments, retention actions, and faculty merit increases greater than 10 percent require approval by the UC Provost. The Chancellor has authority to approve salaries above the thresholds in cases involving faculty merit increases of 10 percent or less.

Furthermore, faculty who hold administrative appointments in addition to their faculty appointment (department chairs, associate deans, directors, etc.) and whose annual salary plus administrative compensation exceeds \$301,000 require approval by the UC Provost. Please see the [Guidelines for Above-Threshold Salary Approval](#) for further information.

Requests for approval of salaries that exceed the thresholds must be processed through the Academic Personnel Office. If you anticipate any actions that may require the UC Provost’s approval, please contact the Academic Personnel Office to discuss them as early as possible.

Questions may be directed to Cecilia De La Garza at cdelagar@ucsc.edu or 9-3891.

Sincerely,



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