



Division of the Social Sciences  
*Executive Committee*

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2022-23 Annual Report

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**DATE:** May 2023  
**TO** Faculty of the Division of Social Sciences  
**FROM:** Kundan Kishor, Chair  
Division of Social Sciences Executive Committee  
**RE:** 2022-23 Annual Report

In accordance with Sections 3.07, 3.15(2) and 6.12 of the *UWM Policies and Procedures*, I submit to you a report of the activities of the Executive Committee of the Division of Social Sciences.

**I. MEMBERSHIP**

**A. 2022-23 Executive Committee**

Assoc. Professor Shawn Cahill	Psychology	2025
Ioannis Floros	Business	2025
Sarah Riforgiate	Communication	2025
Assoc. Professor Noelle Chesley	Sociology	2024
Professor Kundan Kishor	Economics	2024
Assoc. Professor Sara Benesh	Political Science	2023
Assoc. Professor Anna Pycha	Linguistics	2023

**2022-23 Alternate Members**

The Committee extends its appreciation to the following past members for service as alternate committee members during the 2022-23 academic year: Mike Allen (1); Sanjoy Ghose (1).

**B. 2023-24 Executive Committee**

Assoc. Professor Benjamin Campbell	Anthropology	2026
Professor Natasha Sugiyama	Political Science	2026
Assoc. Professor Shawn Cahill	Psychology	2025
Assoc. Professor Ioannis Floros	Business	2025
Assoc. Professor Sarah Riforgiate	Communication	2025
Assoc. Professor Noelle Chesley	Sociology	2024
Professor Kundan Kishor	Economics	2024

### C. Social Sciences Alternate Members

Persons eligible to serve as alternate members. The year listed indicates how long, according to the five-year rule, they will remain eligible.

Assoc. Professor Sara Benesh	Political Science	2028
Assoc. Professor Anne Pycha	Linguistics	2028
Professor Robert Jeske	Anthropology	2027
Assoc. Gladys Mitchell-Walthour	African & African Diaspora Studies	2027
Assoc. Professor Zengwang Xu	Geography	2027
Assoc. Professor Shawn Cahill	Psychology	2026
Assoc. Professor Erin Parcell	Communication	2026
Professor Thomas Holbrook	Political Science	2025
Professor Sunwoong Kim	Economics	2025
Professor Aneesh Aneesh	Sociology	2024
Professor Sanjoy Ghose	Business	2024
Professor Joseph Gray	Anthropology	2024

## II. COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

The Divisional Executive Committees are charged with rendering promotion, appointment and post-tenure review advice to the deans of the UWM schools or colleges in accordance with UWM Policy & Procedures-Chapter 3, Faculty Divisional Systems. The Committee scheduled five (4) meetings for the 2020-21 academic year to consider personnel matters:

**Fall 2021:** September 26, and December 4, 2022

**Spring 2022:** Feb 28, and May 18, 2023

## III. RECOMMENDATION ON PERSONNEL CASES

<b>A. Recommendations by the Entire Executive Committee</b>	<b><u>Positive</u></b>	<b><u>Negative</u></b>	<b><u>Total</u></b>
Promotion to the rank of Associate Professor with Tenure	0	0	0
Appointment to the rank of Associate Professor with Tenure	0	0	0
<b>B. Recommendations by the Subcommittee</b>	<b><u>Positive</u></b>	<b><u>Negative</u></b>	<b><u>Total</u></b>
Promotion to the rank of Professor	2	0	2
Appointment to the rank of Professor with Tenure	0	0	0
<b>C. Total Recommendations Forwarded</b>	<b><u>Positive</u></b>	<b><u>Negative</u></b>	<b><u>Total</u></b>
	2	0	2

## IV. POST-TENURE REVIEW (PTR) RECOMMENDATIONS

<b>Total PTR Recommendations Forwarded:</b>	<b><u>Positive</u></b>	<b><u>Negative</u></b>	<b><u>Total</u></b>
	0	0	0

**V. CRITERIA**

The committee made minor editorial revisions to the *Social Sciences Criteria for Procedures and Evaluative Criteria for Reviewing Departmental Recommendations for Appointment to Tenure and/or Promotion* document.

**VI. POST-TENURE REVIEW CRITERIA**

There were no revisions to the Division of Social Sciences *Procedures for Responding to Negative Post-Tenure Review* and the *Checklist for Post-Tenure Review Files to be Submitted for Review* document.