



SUMMER 2020 TENURE-TRACK FACULTY EXTENSION RESPONSE FORM

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Due to the COVID-19 health crisis, the University is offering current tenure-track faculty (including newly-hired incoming faculty for the 2020-2021 academic year) the option of extending the tenure clock for either one or two years. The University recognizes the interruptions the pandemic has created for tenure-track faculties' professional development.

Tenure-track faculty members may exercise this option by using the response form to the Provost's Office at any time **prior** to the commencement of the Spring semester before the academic year in which the tenure evaluation occurs - which usually is the Spring semester of the fifth year when the faculty members begins preparation of his/her Tenure Dossier. The option **cannot** be exercised after this deadline when the faculty member has already notified his/her Dean of the intention to be evaluated for tenure during the following academic year and begun preparation of his/her Tenure Dossier.

The extension is entirely voluntary. Tenure track faculty who wish to be considered for tenure in the traditional sixth year of their contracts may continue to do so. Those tenure track faculty who elect to have an extension of the tenure clock will not be evaluated more rigorously than those who choose to advance without an extension. All tenure-track faculty will be held to the same standards whether or not they choose to take advantage of the University's offer.

If a tenure-track faculty member elects to extend his or her tenure clock, he or she will not be precluded in the future from requesting another extension as described in the Office of Academic Affairs Policies Handbook (found here: <https://www.yu.edu/faculty-resources>).

Please indicate below one of the options: .

I would like to extend my tenure clock for one year.

I would like to extend my tenure clock for two years.

Please return your completed form to amanda.riego@yu.edu Provost Office



Yeshiva University
Office of the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____