Research Active Designation

- Three equated hours per semester are awarded as reassigned time for research to faculty members with “research-active” status, resulting in a 3-3 load.
- For “research-active” status, a faculty member must demonstrate an ongoing and active research agenda by documenting at least one research presentation or publication submission per academic year and by documenting, within a period of three consecutive academic years, completion of at least one research product recognized in the department’s RPT guidelines (peer-reviewed book, refereed journal article, book chapter, etc.).
- If a faculty member fails to complete a qualifying research product in a three-year period, he or she loses “research-active” status. His or her teaching load will revert to 12 equated hours per semester for at least two full academic years or until he or she completes a qualifying research product.