CMIX Graduate Faculty Categorization

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All tenured and tenure-track CMIX graduate (level 2) faculty members are categorized to Category I, Category II, Category III, and Category IV, based on research and graduate advising accomplishments of the immediately past three (3) years.

Categorization is conducted annually and measured quantitatively as follows.

--- Category I
  * Research (over prior 3-year window)
    Average external funding $40K/year OR
    Average $2 publications/year in A* or A ranking, plus >= 1 grant proposal/year
  * AND Ph.D. student advising (over 3 years)
    Graduate >= 1 Ph.D. with >= another advised Ph.D. student totally

--- Category II
  * Research (over prior 3-year window)
    Average >= 1 publication/year in A* or A ranking, plus >=1 grant proposal/year
  * AND Ph.D. student advising
    Graduate >= 1 Ph.D. with >= another advised Ph.D. student totally

--- Category III
  * Research (over prior 3-year window)
    Average >= 1 publication/year
  * AND graduate student advising
    Encouraged to chair or co-chair Ph.D. students or master students with thesis options

--- Category IV
  * Other CMIX graduate (level 2) faculty members.

The teaching load will be:
  1+1 regular courses for Category I,
  2+2 regular courses for Category II,
  3+2 regular courses for Category III,
  3+3 regular courses for Category IV.

--- Note.
1. A new hire is to start with a reduced teaching load of 1+1 regular courses for the first two years and has to graduate one Ph.D. by Year 5 to satisfy the student advising requirement of Categories I and II.
2. An issued patent is counted toward one A*/A rated publication.