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Tenured professors who have reached the highest levels of achievement in their discipline and at WSU are eligible to be nominated for regents professor. Promotion to regents professor requires service to the university for at least seven years. Each college may nominate only two faculty members as candidates for this promotion each year. The nomination process for promotion to regents professor is initiated by department chairs/directors or deans. Those who are not selected for promotion may be nominated again. The rank of regents professor can be held by no more than 30 active Washington State University faculty members at any one time. The promotion process and procedures correspond to those for promotion to professor but with appropriate modifications to accommodate the university-wide nature and limitations on numbers. Faculty recommendation ballots are not necessary for this nomination.