Letters of Reference

Decision?	# of Letters Required	Need to be external to UBC?	Source of Letters
Appointment as Assistant Professor	3	No (but recommended)	Application package
Appointment as Associate Professor	4	Yes	Max of 2 from application package
Appointment as Professor	4	Yes	Max of 2 from application package
Appointment as Assistant Professor of Teaching	3	No (but recommended)	Application package
Appointment as Acting Assistant Professor	3	No (but recommended)	Application package
Appointment as Associate Professor of Teaching	4	No (but recommended)	Max of 2 from application package
Appointment as Professor of Teaching	4	At least 2	Max of 2 from application package
Promotion to Associate Professor	4	Yes	At least 2 chosen from Candidate's list
Promotion to Professor	4	Yes	At least 2 chosen from Candidate's list
Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor of Teaching	4	No (but recommended)	At least 2 chosen from Candidate's list
Promotion to Professor of Professor of Teaching	4	At least 2	At least 2 chosen from Candidate's list
Tenure	4	Yes	At least 2 chosen from Candidate's list

All letters must be arm's length, except new appointments at the rank of Assistant Professor, Assistant Professor of Teaching, and Acting Assistant Professor. See the SAC Guide for more information.

> This document is based on Article 5.05 in the Agreement on the Condition of Appointment for Faculty, in the event of a discrepancy, the latter shall prevail.