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This proposed panel list is subject to change based on the availability of panelists and the confirmation of interest from other pending candidates. The Council delegates the approval of such revisions to the Department Director to facilitate the finalization of the panel.

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(#) Denotes Year on Panel

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