

## **RWJMS/SPH CANDIDATE BIO**

**Name:** Fred Lepore

**Degree:** MD

**Rank:** Professor

**School:** RWJMS

**Department:** Neurology and Ophthalmology

**Years of Service:** 35

**Experience with AAUP (if applicable):** 15+ years, former RWJMS Executive Chapter and Council President

**Area(s) of interest (for example: research in\_\_\_\_, clinical practice, teaching, etc) Please be concise:** Optic nerve disorders, migraine, visual hallucinations, Einstein's brain

**Reason(s) for candidacy {what you expect to contribute to the organization (60 words or less):** As we hurtle toward corporatized academia, we are confronting the Administration's vision of "Faculty Member, Version 2.0". The beleaguered RWJMS faculty member is now coping with multiple career tracks, inflexible productivity metrics (RVUs), and the death of tenure (and likely contracts >3 years.)

Now, more than ever, we need the AAUP-BHSNJ to advocate for faculty on these critical issues. As an AAUP Officer and Council Member for almost two decades, I hope to continue to represent and defend the rights and wisdom of our faculty.