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FACULTY RESEARCH COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT: FY 2001-02

TO: Office of the President
Office of the Provost
Office of the Vice Provost for Research
All Academic Deans
Faculty Senate

FROM: Cynthia Price, Ph.D., Faculty Research Committee Executive Secretary
Associate Vice Provost for Research Administration and Director, SPAR

1. 2001-02 Committee Members:

Dawn Hentges, Chair - term completed
Edward Duling, (FS appointment) - term completed
Linda Petrosino (FS appointment) – continuing member
Linda Brown, (FS appointment) - continuing member
Sri Kolla (FS appointment) – term completed
Wendy Manning (FS appointment)–continuing member
Angela Nelson (FS appointment) – term completed
Ron Scherer (Provost appointment) – term completed
M. Neil Browne (FS appointment) – continuing member
Sheila Roberts (FS appointment) – continuing member
Tatiana Panas (FS appointment) – continuing member
Felix Castellano (Committee on Committees appointee) – term completed

Ex-Officio Members:

Heinz Bulmahn (Graduate College)
Cynthia Price (Sponsored Programs and Research Office)

Kris Curlis, Administrative Assistant of the Sponsored Programs and Research Office assisted the FRC by providing administrative support for all activities including managing the FRC award processes.

Tom Kornacki provided support for FRC programs including guideline revisions and oversight of award mechanisms.

2. 2002-2003 New Committee Members elected by the Faculty Senate:

Geoffrey Howes (A&S Humanities) (on leave AY)
Deborah Tell (Education and Human Development)
David Harnish (Musical Arts)
Sudershan Jetley (Technology)

3. Program Activities:

a. Research Incentive Grants (RIG)

11 Submissions	Total Requested	\$68,300
7 Awards	Total Amt. Awarded	\$44,500

The FRC conducted one round of competition during this year implementing revised guidelines. The new RIG guidelines were designed to reward and encourage continuing efforts of faculty members who have submitted or were planning to submit proposals to external agencies during AY2001-2002. The RIG proposal is meant to give the faculty member an opportunity to carve out a piece of the research that can be completed before the external grant is obtained. Awardees find themselves in good positions to re-submit any unsuccessful proposals for the next round. RIG applications that documented a meaningful role for undergraduate researchers were considered for an additional \$1,500. Distribution is as follows: Arts and Sciences 3; HHS 4.

b. Scholars Assistance Program

23 Submissions	Total Requested	\$41,198
21 Awarded	Total Amount Awarded	\$30,137

In February, 2001, the FRC announced its newest program, the Scholars Assistance Program, designed to address limited needs of faculty involved in enhancing their research agendas. The program offered support for Bridge Funding, Research Travel, Research in Difficult-To-Fund Areas, and Unanticipated Expenses. Four proposals were received for Bridge Funding, six for Research Travel, two for Research in Difficult-To-Fund Areas, one for equipment repair, one to purchase equipment, and seven for unanticipated expenses. Distribution is as follows: Arts and Sciences 13; HHS 2; Music 5; EDHD 1.

c. Faculty Mentoring Program

4 Submissions	Total Requested	\$16,000
4 Awarded	Total Amount Awarded	\$16,000

The Faculty Mentoring Program was developed to provide an opportunity for probationary faculty members to work with successful, more senior faculty to revise and further develop their proposals for submission to an external funding source. This pilot program is in its first trial run and evaluation will take place over the next year. Current plans are to further expand this opportunity. Distribution is as follows: Arts and Sciences 3; Business 1.

Total FRC Funds expended: \$90,637.

RESEARCH INCENTIVE GRANT (RIG) FUNDING AY2001-2002

Faculty	Short Title	Amount
Timothy Brackenbury - CDIS	The Effects of Verb Type and Linguistic Input on New Word Acquisition and Generalization	\$ 7,000
Susan Brown - SOC	Children's Developmental Outcomes in Cohabiting Unions	\$ 5,500
Stephen Demuth - SOC	The Effects of Citizenship Status and Race/Ethnicity on Sentencing Outcomes in U.S. Federal Courts	\$ 5,500
Rodney Gabel - CDIS	Role Entrapment and Vocational Stereotyping of People Who Stutter	\$ 7,000
Alexander Goberman - CDIS	Investigation of Variability in Parkinsonian Speech	\$ 7,000
Lynne Hewitt - CDIS	Investigating Receptive Language Abilities of Adults with Autism Using Priming	\$ 7,000
Catherine Kaukinen - SOC	The Impact of Violent Victimization of Physical and Mental Health Outcomes Among Women	\$ 5,500
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$ 44,500

SCHOLARS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SAP) FUNDING AY2001-2002

	Project Description	Funded Projects
Bridge Funding		
Helen Michaels - BIOL	Greenhouse	\$ 2,900
Lee Meserve - BIOL	PCB on Reproduction on Rats	\$ 3,000
Molly Laflin - FCS	Social Marketing Skills	\$ 1,000
Hailu Kassa/Chris Keil	Food Service Inspection	\$ 2,550
Travel for Research		
Catherine Kaukinen - SOC		\$ 720
Elainie Lillios - MUCH	L'espace du Son	\$ 1,000
Lawrence Coates - ENG	Yosemite	\$ 500
Joyce Gromko - MUED	ME World Conf Norway	\$ 1,000
Emily Freeman-Brown - MUSP	Romania/Conducting/Instruc	\$ 500
Catherine Cassara - JOUR	Human Rights	\$ 1,000
Paul Moore BIOL	American Phytopathological Assoc	\$ 500
Research in Difficult to Fund Areas		
Rosalie Politsky - ART	Integrate philos & Lit Crit	\$ 3,000
Elainie Lillios - MUCH	Residency	\$ 1,000
Small Grants for Unanticipated Expenses		
Rodney Gabel - CDIS	Pilot Project	\$ 500
Mike McKay - BIOL	Shipping Samples	\$ 500
Kevin Pang - PSYC	Expert Presentation	\$ 300
Mike Ogawa - CHEM	Equipment Purchase	\$ 2,167
MAJ Rodgers - CHEM	Equipment Repair (Lg)	\$ 5,000
Beth Griech-Polelle - HIST	Bob Manuscript revision	\$ 1,500
Rebecca Green - ART	Research in Dakar Senegal	\$ 500
John Sampen - MUSP	Ravenna Festival	\$ 500
Marilyn Shrude - MUCH	Ravenna Festival	\$ 500
TOTAL EXPENDITURES (ALL CATEGORIES)		\$ 30,137

FACULTY MENTORING AND ENRICHMENT PROGRAM FUNDING AY2001-2002

Faculty	Short Title	Amount
Anne Gordon - PSYC	Altruistic Lies: Reality or Self-Serving Perception Among Perpetrators?	\$ 3,000
Ken Pargament - PSYC	Anne Gordon's Faculty Mentor	\$ 1,000
Louisa Ha - TCOM	Assessment of Computer Literacy and Digital Health in a Digital Society	\$ 3,000
Lynda Dixon - IPC	Louisa Ha's Faculty Mentor	\$ 1,000
Andreas Nicolaou - AMIS	Organizational Trust and Control in Electronic Markets: The Effect on Data Level Assurances	\$ 3,000
Mark Kasoff - CANST	Andreas Nicolaou's Faculty Mentor	\$ 1,000
Kefa Otiso - GEOG	Home Away From Home: U.S.-Based Kenyans and Socioeconomic Development in Kenya	\$ 3,000
Frank Goza - SOC	Kefa Otiso's Faculty Mentor	\$ 500
Melissa Spirek - JOUR	Kefa Otiso's Faculty Mentor	\$ 500
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$ 16,000