**COMMITTEE:** 2020/2021 Research/Creative Activities Committee

**MEETING DATE:** Thursday, February 25, 2021 at 4:00pm, via Teams

PERSON PRESIDING: Andrew Grodner, Committee Chair

**REGULAR MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:** Amanda Haberstroh, Andrew Grodner, Ariane Peralta, Kimberly Anderson, Seodial Deena, Sitawa Kimuna, Trang Tran, William Sugar.

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Chal Benson, Mary Farwell, Nancy Dias

**OTHER MEMBERS:** Rachel Baker, Yeliz Eseryel

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## **ACTIONS OF MEETING**

1. Chair's discussion about funding for future awards.

- Andrew's initial idea is to get double the award next year (\$50,000) and find some fiscal way to postpone spending half the money (\$25,000). If that does not work maybe another option is to just split \$25,000 into two \$12,500 award competitions.
- 2. Q&As sessions about the progress with Awards.
- 3. Presentation by Mary Farwell regarding RI course designation (CURE idea) with Q&A sessions. RCA decided to follow up on that discussion in the future, possibly after awards competition is complete.
- 4. Adjournment

Next Meeting, 4 pm Thursday, 3/18/2021, via Teams.