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.