Research and Creative Activities

The story so far.....
RCA (4.40)

- Successor to the “Council for Research”
- Six senators
- Broad idea “promote research and creative activities”
- Major responsibilities:
  - Internal Grants (proposal development, faculty enhancement)
  - Approval/review of “Centers” (institutes, bureaus, partnerships.....)
  - Overhead Distribution
- Each of those via modified membership
- Liaison with VPR&ED
RCA

- Other, less specific work?
  - “Advocacy” (?)
  - Liaise with library, open-access policy
  - Other ways to ‘promote R&CA’?
RCA

RCAC (six senators)

Internal Grants
- Three RCA members
- Three subcommittee members

Centers Review
- Three RCA members
- Three subcommittee members

Overhead Distribution
- Six RCA members
- Three appointees (Pres., Prov., VPA&F)
- VPR&ED ex officio
RCA... so far?

RCAC (six senators)

Internal Grants
- Call due late November, submissions mid-Feb
- New system for submission, review
- Increased funding
- Simpler forms?

Centers Review
- (8.90)
- Manual vs. other lists?
- Central database?
- Simpler process for application, renewal?
- Active or passive role?

Overhead Distribution (10.72)
- Review current year
- Recommend changes for future