Welcome & Opening Remarks [2:00-2:10]
Pat Turnbull, RAAC Communications Subcommittee Chair
Cathy Seay-Ostrowski, UMTRI & UMOR Units, Mistress of Ceremonies
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Craig Reynolds, Associate Director, ORSP
Bryan Van Sickle, Financial Senior Manager, Sponsored Programs
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25 min Preview of the New Research Enterprise Websites
David Lampe, Constance Colthorp, Lori Deromedi, Alex Piazza
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Closing remarks [3:25-3:30]
Top 10 Reasons to Stay for Awards Ceremony
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*2015 U-M Office of Research Staff Recognition Awards*
Ceremony & Reception to immediately follow 3:30 – 5:00 PM
Michigan League, 2nd Floor, Vandenberg Room
Congratulations to Sharyn Sivyer and Cathy Handyside!
Welcome!
Research Administrators’ Network
May 4, 2015
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Sponsored Programs Update

Debbie Talley
Director of Sponsored Programs
Research Administrators’ Network
May 4, 2015
Sponsored Programs Updates

- Shared Services Center impact on sponsored projects
- NSF Data Analytics audit
- Accounts Receivable SPG
- Effort Certification reminder
SSC impact on sponsored projects

- **Phase I (August 2014)**
  - Accounts Receivable

- **Phase II (April 2015)**
  - ChartField maintenance
    - Contact Sponsored Programs Coordinator if issues
  - JE workflow
    - Cover sheets no longer required – attach support
    - Must be received in workflow by Midnight on the last day of the month, accurate and complete
NSF Data Analytics Audit

- All NSF project activity 10/1/11-9/30/14
  - 300,000 SOA lines - $266 million
  - 415,000 AP/PY/SFN lines
  - Faculty – 700 total
  - SAPOC - 180 total
NSF Data Analytics Audit

• First audit sample selection
  – 250 items
  – Faculty (Parent P/G)
    • 144 total
  – SAPOC (Parent P/G)
    • 80 total
Accounts Receivable SPG

- Billings on sponsored projects
- Revision to SPG for billing general receivables – effective July 1, 2015
Effort Certification

– End of Semester reminder
Training Update

• Seeking subject matter experts; (watch for a survey!)
• “Name the new RA training program” contest
• Research Administration Mentoring Program (RAMP↑)
Top Ten Reasons to Stay

By Cathy Emcee-Ostrowski
Top Ten Reasons Stay for Awards Event

10. You can take a selfie with Sharyn Sivyer!

9. You can meet Cathy Handyside’s Dad!

8. There will be some really great food!
Top Ten Reasons Stay for Awards Ceremony!

7. You will end up meeting, in person, the project rep/sponsored programs coordinator you’ve been working with for years!

6. The Vandenberg Room is absolutely beautiful.
ITS Update

Cathy Handyside
Product Manager – eRPM & M-Inform
Research Administrators Network
May 4, 2015
eRPM System Upgrade – May 2, 2015

• Vendor update to base system functionality

• U-M now has latest vendor technology to support system improvements

• Very few user facing changes
New Options for Exiting Data Entry Pages

Exit & Save Changes – Saves data entered and returns to project workspace
Exit & Ignore Changes – Does not save changes and returns to project workspace
Cancel – Remain on data entry page
New Progress Bar on Activities
Heads up for June 2015

• M-Pathways HR System (HCM) will be upgraded June 26, 27, & 28, 2015

• The HR system will not be available during this period

• What does this mean for eRPM users?
  – Cannot look-up HR appointments for Project Personnel
  – Cannot create new eResearch users
Top row:  Daryl    Cathy H.        Pat         Craig   Cathy S.-O.

Bottom row: Debbie              Bryan
Sing Along with Bryan and Craig!

Just sit right back and you'll hear a tale,
a tale of a fateful trip,
That started from this tropic port,
aboard this tiny ship.
The mate was a mighty sailin' man, the Skipper brave and sure. Five passengers set sail that day for a three hour tour. (A three hour tour.)
The weather started getting rough, the tiny ship was tossed. If not for the courage of the fearless crew, the Minnow would be lost. (The Minnow would be lost.)
The ship set ground on the shore of this uncharted desert isle, with Gilligan, the Skipper too, the Millionaire and his wife, the movie star, the Professor and Mary Ann, here on Gilligan's Isle.
Uniform Guidance (2 CFR 200) Update

Craig Reynolds and Bryan VanSickle

Research Administrators’ Network

May 4, 2015
“Same, same, but different!”
- Gil Tran, OMB
Timeline

• Announced December 26, 2013
• Effective December 26, 2014
• Only NSF and NIH have implemented the U.G.
• First audit for U.G. compliance is FY2016
• U-M “Go Live” date July 1, 2015
• U-M information/how-to sessions in June 2015
• Procurement rules delayed until July 1, 2016
What’s new with the Uniform Guidance?

- Cost Sharing
- Administrative and clerical staff salaries
- Computing devices
- Participant support costs
- Subrecipient risk assessment and monitoring
- F&A rates
- Procurement standards (delayed)
Anything else?

- Prior Approval Requirements
- “Expanded Authorities”
- Federal-Wide Research Terms and Conditions
Q & A

• Questions for the Skipper & Gilligan?
  – We’re all ears…
Top Ten Reasons Stay for Awards Ceremony!

5. They are giving out late proposal “Get out of Jail Free Cards”.

4. You could win the direct phone numbers of all the Tier 2 personnel at 4-HELP.

15 Things to Preview on the Research Websites
5 things to preview on the new **U-M Office of Research** site

1. Research at U-M
2. Resources for Researchers
3. News & Issues
4. Major Initiatives
5. Economic Engagement
5 (…okay, 6) things to preview on the new ORSP Site

6. Enterprise Navigation and Project Lifecycle
7. ORSP Staff Lookup
8. News Archives
9. Frequently Required Proposal Data
10. Sponsor-specific Pages
11. Research Administration Advisory Council!
5 things to preview on Research Ethics & Compliance site!

11. The Ethics & Compliance Landing Page
12. Main Menus
13. Page-level Menu
14. Page Features
15. Expect a commitment to continuous improvement!
Thank you! We look forward to your visit.
Closing Remarks

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Top Ten Reasons Stay for Awards Ceremony!

2. Some of the best true networking happens during events where you can engage in casual conversation!

And Finally:

1. *It’s just not that often we can take time to celebrate the successes of people who do our brand of work!*