Committee on Research  
2009-2010  
Annual Report

Prepared by Julia Olkin, Chair

Members: Jed DeVaro, Kelly Fan, Vahid Fozdar, Janet Green, Zach Hallab, Ching-Lih Jan, Julia Olkin (Chair), Diana Wakimoto (secretary), Andrew Wong, and Rhea Williamson (Presidential Appointee).

Fall 2009

Julia Olkin was reelected as Research Committee Chair for a second term.

Diana Wakimoto was elected to replace Ching-Lih Jan as Research Committee Secretary.

The Committee reviewed Committee Policies and Procedures and determined that there were no changes to make. We recommended making it clearer to people asking for extensions on grants funded with RSCA/Incentive funds monies that there would be no guarantee of the money remaining in the pool, even if we grant the extension.

Winter 2010

The Committee approved the document providing the IRB nominations.

The Committee reviewed the Faculty Poster submissions for approval. We approved 57 of the 61 submitted proposals and felt that the quality of submissions was generally high.

The Subcommittee on Student Research included Jed DeVaro (CBE), Kelly Fan (CSCI), Zach Hallab (CEAS), Diana Wakimoto (Library), and Andrew Wong (CLASS). They reviewed nine proposals in March, and felt that eight were strong enough to have the students as representatives of CSU East Bay in the CSU Student Research Competition.

Spring 2010

At a final meeting on May 27, 2010, combining business and socializing with outgoing and incoming members, Diana Wakimoto was elected as Chair and Lan Wu agreed to be Secretary for 2010-2011.

Documents forwarded to the Senate for approval in 09-10

- 09-10 CR 1, Nominees for 09-10 Institutional Review Board
- 09-10 CR 2, Nominees for 09-10 Student Research Subcommittee