

MINUTES

ACADEMIC RESEARCH COMMITTEE

FEBRUARY 2, 1987 MEETING

PRESENT: Crum, Geneway, Hotchkiss, Jalali, Kushner, Mettee, Nordtvedt, Psenicka, Stocks

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Protem Crum at 3:05 pm.

Dr. Pascale was nominated and unanimously elected Chairman of the Academic Research Committee for the year.

Dr. Hotchkiss reported that monies for Research Assitantships had been increased from \$30K to \$45K, and that an additional \$15K may become available. There are applicants waiting for funding.

Dr. Hotchkiss and Beth Kushner reported that the tapes on grantsmanship have been well-received by those who have viewed them. They are available for viewing at the Media Center. A copy will soon be available for checkout for home use on the VHS format.

There was discussion on the idea of a University Press. The status of this effort was not known. It was agreed that this was a difficult concept to implement. Dr. Stocks suggested that a consortium-type effort with other universities might be considered.

Dr. Hotchkiss reported the expectation of reduced State funding for such programs as Excellence and Academic Challenge Grants.

There was discussion on seeking research support from industry. Coordination with present industry-related programs at the University would be needed.

The meeting adjourned at 4 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,


RGC