

**Research Council Minutes**  
**Thursday, April 3, 2014**  
**2:00-3:00 p.m.**  
**214 Hamilton Hall**

Reijo Pera, Renee	Idzerda, Yves	Peyton, Brent
Camper, Anne	June, Ron	Ragain, Melissa
Babbitt, Randy	Larsson, Laura	Whitlock, Cathy
Bird, Elizabeth	Leary, Myleen	Hoo, Karlene
Christopher, Suzanne	Arlitsch, Kenning	Marley, Robert
Cloninger, Mary	Watts, Myles-rep from Planning Council	Potvin, Martha

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- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Minutes: February 6 meeting minutes - approved
- III. Information/Announcements
  - Council Elections
- IV. Topics for Discussion
  1. Evaluation of proposals submitted in response to the Research Expansion request for proposals
    - Deadline extended to May 9
    - Research Proposal Review Committee (RPRC) will be established by Dr. Reijo Pera with research intensive faculty from various disciplines
      1. RPRC, with RC input, will decide how many presentations, weighting criteria, how to gauge return on investment
      2. Research Expansion call will help develop list of all faculty research
    - A Frequently Asked Questions list will be developed and posted on Research Award page
  2. A concept presented by a subset of faculty in Chemical and Biological Engineering to hold research-based Pecha Kucha talks
    - Pecha Kucha is a short, focused, timed presentation (6 minutes + 20 slides) on any topic

- Research Council suggesting to start over the summer and organize the event for a 60 minute span of presentations, with networking time after presentations
  - Research Council will establish a subcommittee to coordinate these events
3. Research space
- RED office working on more accurate and complete listing of research space.
  - further discussions on research space will be Research Council agenda item

**Next Meeting: Thursday, April 17, 2014, from 2:00-3:00 p.m.  
in 214 Hamilton Hall**