

SENATE COUNCIL ON RESEARCH & SCHOLARSHIP (SCORS) MEETING MINUTES

Monday, December 18, 2017

3:00 p.m.

Marston Library L136

Attendees

Jamie Collins, Laurie Bialosky, Sue Alvers, Irene Cooke, Matthew Gurka, Sylvan Dore, Glenn Morris, Michael Mahoney, Angela Bacsik, and Dimitri Bourilkov.

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 3:03 p.m.

Approval of Minutes

The November 2017 meeting minutes were approved.

Introductions

Council members and guests were introduced.

International Research at UF - Glenn Morris, Director of UF Emerging Pathogens Institute

Dr. Glenn Morris discussed developing international research infrastructure at UF. Jamie Collins recommended he attend the January Faculty Steering Committee as a guest of SCORS to continue discussing ways to develop international research.

[Animal Research Task Force](#) - Irene Cooke, Asst. Vice President for Research & Executive Director of Animal Care Services

Dr. Irene Cooke provided an update and overview of the Animal Research Task Force which presented its findings to the Vice President of Research in March 2017. The task force's positive findings, concerns, and recommendations were addressed in addition to information about the roles of the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee ([IACUC](#)) and Animal Care Services ([ACS](#)). University infrastructure and administrative resources which support animal services were discussed, including a need for continued strategic planning via senior-level university leadership. Paths to engagement and communication with university researchers, scientists, and animal care staff were also discussed.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 4:34 p.m.