

# Faculty Senate Committee on Research & Creative Activity Annual Report (2017-2018)

Respectfully Submitted by Bob Burkard, Chair

## Faculty Senate Committee on Research & Creative Activity

**Charge:** To Promote Faculty Awards at UB

**Roster:** R. Burkard (Chair), R. Rasmusson, T. Tryjankowski

**Report Date:** April 25, 2018

**Meeting History:** Met early in April to discuss a survey of Department Chairs about barriers to them submitting more nominations for (non-UB) faculty awards

**Major Objectives:**

- Bring recognition to UB faculty (and increase the visibility of UB)

**Emerging Objectives:**

- Creation of a formal survey that identifies the barriers, and the resources that might remove these barriers, to the submission (and receiving) of more faculty awards.

**Potential Work Products or Milestones for Completion of Objectives:**

**Timeline for Completion of Objectives:**

- Solicit the help of Bob Granfield in surveying Chairs about barriers and potential solutions to these barriers Summer 2018
- Complete the survey for Chairs (early Fall 2018)
- Send out survey to Chairs, late Fall 2018
- Compile results of survey early spring 2019
- Present report and summary of survey to FSEC late spring 2019.

**Specific actions requiring FSEC approval:**

None at this time. In a year, the FSEC will have to approve the summary of the survey (or not).

I will be heading out of town Wednesday AM (4/25/18) and not available to give this report. Perhaps next year you can survey the committee Chairs to identify their availability on a given date.

**FS Committee General Comments:**

**FSEC Comments:**