

**Researchers Forum
Second meeting
12/8/2022; Zoom
Minutes taken by K.Ravid**

Next Meeting - in-person

Coffee break refreshments available

Thursday, March 30, 2023

2:00 pm

Location: ~~700 Albany St, CVI Conference Room W502~~ moved to 650 Albany St, Room X715

In Attendance

K. Jacobson, G. Murphy (minutes), A. Walkey, M. Lenburg, L. Wetzler, K. Morgan, T. Battaglia, S. Waikar, F. Seta, D. Salant, M. Kirber, A. Jacobs, K. Lunze, W. Lu, K. Ravid (minutes)

R. MacDonald (notes)

Opportunities: **prioritize 3-5 areas of opportunities** specific to researchers that could be gradually discussed and brought up to leadership for constructive developments

- Research building community (motivation): Early Faculty (KR suggests that Allan will contact Emelia to identify a list of faculty. Allan agreed);
- Voice within the department: First define as a group what is missing (opportunities; challenges) for us more senior leadership) to advocate for it.

Marc L: periodical/monthly/quarterly research focused invited high-impact seminars

Allan W: know each other from within (invited speakers from different sections- work with section research leaders); facilitate links to resources

Karen J: improve post-award; research involving outside BMC population

Sus: Involve trainees; provide lunches to attract

Karsten L: Mechanisms of safety net for successful researchers who are unable to sustain funding at least transiently (Karen: Bank of sort; 90%

salary support might not be realistically continuously; what other Med schools do)

Lee W: Facilitate the process of Cost sharing among schools, institutes etc; negotiate more rebate from indirect

Weining L: Engage and tap on CRC resources? Two classes of faculty on BMC and BUSM

George M: Highlight within the Researcher Forum key talks within Landscape of all seminars on campus; BMC post award does not have the infrastructure as BU

Exchange knowledge: Determine order and length of research presentations by members of our research community (e.g., 20 min of each first Researchers Forum meeting)

Support: Determine the type of travel or such awards offered via the Forum to researchers and criteria

Logistics: Determine mode of next meetings (Zoom or in-person or alternate)

Other: xx