

**Council on Research Computing and Libraries (CORCL)
LAUC-I Academic Senate Representative
2016-2017 Report**

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Council/Committee Name (acronym): Council on Research Computing and Libraries (CORCL)

Council/Committee Charge:

1. Consider issues pertaining to fostering research.
2. Advise the Chancellor and represent the Division on matters relating to research policy and administration and academic resources, including information technology, telecommunications, and library policies and administration on the Irvine campus.
3. Administer general campus funds for faculty research and review and evaluate University-recognized research programs and units.
4. Advise the Vice Chancellor for Research on campus nominees or applicants for research awards from foundations and other granting agencies which restrict the number of proposals submitted.
5. Represent the Division on the University Committee on Research Policy, the University Committee on Library & Scholarly Communication, and the University Committee on Computing & Communications.
6. A designated library representative shall be responsible for maintaining Council liaison with the University Librarian, and with any library committees that may exist in any of the Faculties

Link to Council/Committee Website: <http://senate.uci.edu/committees/councils/council-on-research-computing-and-libraries-corcl/>

Frequency of Meetings:

Once a month.

Major Activities:

CORCL distributed Faculty Research Funding and considered new ways to equitably distribute these funds. CORCL also reviewed the future of ORUs (Organized Research Units) and Special Research Programs (SRPs) and contributed feedback about UCI's Strategic Plan.

Issues of Concern to the Libraries:

There are no specific issues that arose this past year in CORCL that are of concern to the Libraries. However, topics such as Open Access and the Publication Management System are discussed in this Council because of the UCI UCOLASC representative who reports to CORCL, as well as the ex officio membership of the University Librarian.

Recommendations for New Reps/New Year:

None.