Research Administrators Forum (RAF)
Newcomb Hall: Kaleidoscope Room
Tuesday, February 25, 2014 - 8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

MEETING AGENDA

8:30 – 8:35 Welcome – (Gerry Kane)

First Time Attendee/Introductions

New Research/Grant Personnel – OSP Primer is ON-LINE for on demand use
http://www.virginia.edu/sponsoredprograms/compliance/educationopportunities.html
(Be certain to contact Camilla Curnow/Sharon Brooks to get new hires engaged with other educational avenues)

8:35 – 8:45 Gerry Kane - It's a New Year and Things are Happening!

8:45 – 9:00 Gerry Kane – Organizational Prior Approval System (OPAS): Program changes that require sponsor notifications/approval and how to communicate those changes appropriately

9:00 – 9:10 Kelly Hochstetler – Export Control Reform


9:20 – 9:40 Vonda Durrer – Piloting a Change with Sponsored Programs Deficit Monitoring Processes

Stricter NIH and NSF Final Reporting Requirements: Impacts on Current Operations

GB Awards – associated with NIH funding
Impacts on Reconciliations and Closeouts

9:40 – 9:45 Sharon Brooks – Specifics regarding the Cost Transfer Processes
a) Last Time: Clearing project deficits to non-sponsored funds don’t need retro approval,
b) Now Effective: An expenditure item change only doesn’t need retro approval,
c) What is the #1 reason a batch is returned for rework?

9:45 – 10:00 Dave Hudson, Office of the Vice President for Research – Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR): Training requirements for NSF and Conflict Of Interest (COI) training requirements for DHHS

We will continue the RAF Series in May 2014 featuring invited guests and important updates – Check the OSP website for upcoming dates and locations!