

ISTeC Research Advisory Committee

**Minutes**

12:00pm – 1pm -- Wednesday, January 23, 2008

Location – LSC 203

Committee Members:

J. Vaske, L. Troup, D. Bastian, D. Zimmerman, S. Hayne, R. Kwok, J. Potter, B. Draper, D. Massey, N. Dushay, K. Paustian, H.J. Siegel, M. Stroub

- **Distinguished Lecturer Series**
  - SP08 defined, posters emailed and sent via postal mail to IAC
  
- **High Performance Computing**
  - Survey has been written and is in process of being converted to online process – M. Stroub will have completed by end of January
  - Presented information at Council of Research Deans (CRAD) meeting in December
  - Met with Richard Casey regarding the Bioinformatics Center capabilities
  - Met with existing HPC administrators
  - Meeting with Kirby (Math) and Gray (Atmos) in late January
  
- **Update on Poster Competition 2008**
  - April 7, 10-11 am, University Club, Lory Student Center
  - Online tool from previous poster session being revised
  
- **Update on People – Animals – Robots (PAR)**
  - Will plan research workshop for SP08
  - Have had meetings with multiple departments
  - Ron Sega putting out feelers in military community
  - CRAD briefed
  - A.J. Menon (Business) has requested meeting
  - Met with OT people
  - Will meet with Van Tilborg when he is here as DL (April)
  - Met with Bernie Rollins (Philosophy)
  
- **Coffee with CSU**
  - Jim Folkestad working on social page.
  - No one volunteered to be the “champion” for this project
  
- **Ph.D. Student Recruiting**
  - Dan Massey indicated that CS is having problems with Ph.D. student recruitment which was echoed by other members.
  - Massey suggested the creation of an “ISTeC Distinguished Graduate Student”
    - Could present to the IAC?
    - Documentation for VITA?
    - Participate in DL dinner?

Next meeting: February 6, 12 - 1, Lory Student Center rm 213