

Council of Principal Investigators and Research Administrators
Council Monthly Meeting
September 26, 2019 -- 11:00 am – 12:30 pm
AGENDA

1. **Guest Presentation: Ahmed Mahdy, Vice President for Research TAMUCC**
(25 minutes), 15 presentation with 10 Q&A
(5 minutes), recognizing past CPIRA Chairs
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2. **Approve agenda 1 minute**
3. **Review and approval of August 2019 meeting minutes 1 minute**
4. **New representative from CONHS 1 minute**
5. **CPIRA alternates and guests 2 minutes**
6. **Robert's Rules of Order (Miguel) 10 minutes**
7. **CPIRA Recommendation Committee Updates 25 minutes**
 1. Operations & Communication for Sponsored Program (Trent) **3 minutes**
 - Update
 2. Research Administration Development, Training (Jim/ Sarah) **10 minutes**
 - Forum tentative date 10/23/2019
 3. Roles & Responsibilities (Gina)
 - Sunsetting
 4. Facilities (Sarah) **3 minute**
 - Update
 5. Bylaws, Elections, and Procedures (Brien) **3 minutes**
 - Update
 6. Graduate Recruitment and Retention (Phyllis) **5 minutes**
 - Update
 7. Research Liaison (Phyllis) **5 minutes**
 - Update
8. **Other Business (Sarah) 17 minutes**
 1. R&I Updates
 2. Compliance Updates
 3. Immigration support for international scholars and students
 4. Volume of Research.Development@tamucc.edu emails (Riccardo).
 5. Master Planning Interview Questions
 6. Building thermostat settings on campus at 3pm (Brien).
9. **Adjourn**