DRAFT RPA Council Agenda
10:00 – 11:00 AM – November 21, 2019
1550 Beardshear Hall

I. Call to Order and RPA Discussion Policy
II. Introductions
III. Senior Vice-President Jonathan Wickert
   A. Collegiality statements [10 min]
   B. Changes to internal research support [5 min]
   C. Update on campus conversation on racism [5 min]
   D. Workday/ISD [5 min]
      a. How long is WD contract?
      b. Federal expense categories need to show on WD
      c. Supervision of UG students remains an issue
   E. Board of Regents’ updates [5 min]
   F. Other comments from Sr. VP Wickert [10 min]
IV. Questions from RPA Members for the Sr. VP Wickert [5 min]
V. Other items from the Floor [5 min]
VI. Adjournment

The RPP Committee identified the following candidate items for our agenda:

• Workday and ISD challenges; We forwarded a list of specifics to VPR Nusser two meetings prior.
  O Supervision of UG students remains an issue (e.g., multiple approvals by supervisor, lack of flexibility to correct hours)

• Undergraduate research and the Center for Undergraduate Research, Creativity, and Innovation that is being stood up.
  O There is much enthusiasm to meet student interests and training needs.

• Communicating with and garnering information from our colleagues to better understand needs and challenges and better represent our constituents in general.