May 28, 2014

Memorandum

To: Margie Paris, UO Senate President
From: Moira Kiltie, Sr. Assistant Vice President for Research

Re: Report for University Senate on the 2014 Faculty Research Award Committee

The 2014 Summer Research Award Committee met on Friday, February 11th and under the facilitation of Professor Cynthia Vakareliyska made recommendations for 20 awards and two alternates to the Vice President for Research and Innovation. The Vice President approved the 20 award recommendations and made an additional award to one of the two alternates leaving one alternate in case an individual has to return the award.

2014 Summer Research Award Recipients (alpha order):

Mark Alfano, Assistant Professor, Philosophy, “Nietzsche’s Socio-Moral Psychology”

Melissa Michaud Baese-Berk, Assistant Professor, Linguistics, “Indexing Linguistic Expectation through Speech Rate”

Aletta Biersack, Professor, Anthropology, “Mining Among Ipili Speakers: An Ethnography of Global Connection”

Scott Bridgham, Professor, Biology & Environmental Studies, “Controls over methane cycling in tropical wetlands”

Stephanie Clark, Assistant Professor, English, “Prayer and the Gift: Theories of Prayer in Anglo Saxon England”

Philip Fisher, Professor, Psychology, “Demonstration of Feasibility of Resting State Functional Connectivity MRI Study of Infants with Prenatal Substance Exposure”

Jennifer Freyd, Professor, Psychology, “Institutional Betrayal”

Evlyn Gould, Professor, Romance Languages, “Salons and Cénacles in Fin de Siècle Paris: the Unsung Influence of Catulle Mendès”

Sara Hodges, Professor, Psychology, “Women’s Perceptions of Feedback in STEM”

Dong Hoon Kim, Assistant Professor, East Asian Languages and Literatures, “Between Self-Reliance and Globalism: Commercial Filmmaking in North Korea”

Loren Kajikawa, Assistant Professor, Music, “Before Rap: DJs, MCs, and Pre-1979 Hip-Hop Performances”

Toby Koenigsberg, Associate Professor, Music, “Transforming Piano Instruction: Incorporating Jazz Improvisation into the Curricula”

Rebecca Lewis, Assistant Professor, Planning, Public Policy and Management, “Integrating Climate, Transportation and Land Use Planning in Oregon”

Andrew Lovering, Associate Professor, Human Physiology, “Effect of hypobaria on exercise and hypoxemia-induced Intrapulmonary shunt”

Christopher Michlig, Assistant Professor, Art, “Broken Type: Intergeneration Sustainability and Letterpress Printing”

Nicole Ngo, Assistant Professor, Planning, Public Policy and Management, “The global health impacts of intercontinental air pollution”

Carol Silverman, Professor, Anthropology, “Global Gypsy: Balkan Romani World Music”

Scott Stewart, Senior Research Associate, Institute of Molecular Biology, “New Technology to Control Gene Expression in Zebrafish”

Kelly Sutherland, Assistant Professor, Biology & Clark Honors College, “Distribution and predation potential of jellyfish at biological hotspots off the Oregon coast”

Elizabeth Tippett, Assistant Professor, Law, “The Effect of Attorney Advertising on Medical Decisions”

As the committee on committees considers appointing next year’s members we ask that they would attempt to designate only one faculty member per academic department. Having the broadest possible representation of academic disciplines benefits the review process immeasurably.

cc: Brad Shelton, VPRI
    Lisa Mick Shimizu, University Senate