

# COUNCIL ON GRANTSMANSHIP AND RESEARCH

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2009 Spring Meeting

April 2, 2009

9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Southwestern Oklahoma State University  
SWOSU Memorial Student Union Center  
Skyview Room  
Weatherford, Oklahoma

**SCHEDULE:**      9:00 am - 9:30 am      Networking and Coffee  
                         9:30 am - 12:00 pm      Business Meeting  
                         12:00 pm - 1:00 pm      Working Lunch

**AGENDA:**

- I. Opening Remarks – Dr. Vivian Williamson Whitney CRA, Susan Foster CRA, Chair
- II. Welcome from Host Campus
  - a. Dr. Blake Sonobe – Provost, Southwestern Oklahoma State University
- III. Linda Mason- Introduction of Guests: Robert J. Horn and Brian Lopina of Patton Boggs law firm to share about Washington Earmark Grants [www.pattonboggs.com](http://www.pattonboggs.com)
- IV. Self Introductions – Council on Grantsmanship and Research Members and Guests
- V. Voting for Approval of Minutes from Fall 2008 to Be Postponed Until Fall of 2009
- VI. Old Business
  - a. Collaboration among Regional Universities and 2 Year Colleges – Dr. Penny Coggins – Vice President for Grants Development & Applied Research - Redlands Community College
  - b. Open Discussion on Time and Effort – Ms. Denni Swepston, Ms. Susan Foster, Ms. Nora Finnegan-North Eastern State University
  - c. Professional Development - *A Literature Review on Undergraduate Research* Dr. Linda Mason - Coordinator for Grant Writing and External Funding - Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education
- VII. New Business-
  - a. Discussion of CGR lapel pin- Ms. Gerry Cherry and Ms. Susan Foster
  - b. Professional Development- Overview of SURA (Southern Universities Research Consortium)-Dr. Linda Mason and Ms. Anita Blankenship
  - c. Open Discussion - Building Capacity at Regional Universities through External Evaluators- Ms. Beverly Endicott and Dr. Vivian Williamson Whitney
- VIII. Fall 2009 Meeting: Location and Date
- IX. News and Events-
  - a. Updates on stimulus package from President Obama- Dr. Linda Mason-Oklahoma State Regents of Higher Education
  - b. Campus communication regarding stimulus package- Ms. Gerry Cherry
- X. Lunch
- XI. Adjournment