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## **2014-2015 Annual Report**

### **UCEC Members:**

Pr. Karen Zimmermann, **(COFA)** (6/12-5/15) **CHAIR**

Pr. Paul Bennett, **(LAW)** (6/12-5/15)

Dr. Andrew Lotto, **(COS)** (6/14-5/17)

Dr. Jean McLain, **(CAL)** (6/14-5/17)

Dr. Raymond Runyan, **(COM)** (6/13-5/16)

Ms. Ping Situ, **(NON)** (6/13-5/16)

***Ex-Officio:*** Dr. Lucinda Rankin, Research Integrity Officer (RIO)

***Ex-Officio:*** Dr. J. D. Garcia, Professor Emeritus, Physics

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### **Mission (from Faculty Constitution, Article V, Section 7)**

“The University Committee on Ethics and Commitment shall deal with questions of misconduct in research, scholarship, or creative endeavor; conflict of commitment; and facilities misuse; and receive reports from the Research Integrity Officer. In its deliberations it will use the current versions of the University policies on research integrity, professional commitment and proper facilities use.”

See also the inquiry function of the UCEC as described in UHAP 2.13.09: “Policy and Procedures for Investigations of Misconduct in Scholarly, Creative and Research Activities.”

The committee had no inquiries for the 2014-2015 year.

UCEC will hold its annual meeting in the fall semester to elect its Chair and Vice Chair.

Respectfully submitted,

*Karen Zimmermann*

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Chair, UCEC

