Research and Creative Activity Faculty Senate (FS) Standing Committee Report

ITEM	NOTES
Date and Time of Meeting	Tuesday, October 17, 2023 from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM
In Attendance	Taryn Price, Susan Beck, Lisa Hermanson, Faruk Arslan, Sangu Angadi, Immo Hansen, Runwei Li, Hyunin Baek, Thomas Manz, Hameed Badaway
Continuing Business	Taryn drafted of a proposition for NMSU leadership to establish a new fund for faculty to use toward publishing. She placed the draft in Microsoft Teams for collaboration. She entered some possible criteria based off of comparable institution similar programs. She entered other additional information in support of the proposition as well.
	There was a bunch of discussion about how equity would be considered if the proposition were to be adopted. For example, who would get first access to the limited funds? Should there be a lottery drawing? The article would likely need to be already accepted. Etc.
	The committee will continue to contribute to the document with ideas on how to fine tune the proposition.
	Susan will research a bit about possibly using IDC monies.
Adjournment	Meeting ended at 4:45 pm