



UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA

Chairs and Directors Regular Meeting  
February 14, 2018, 1pm, CSB 221

## MINUTES

### Attendance

**Dean's Office:** R. Caldwell, S. Cruz, M. Dagley, E. del Barco, T. Dorman, J. Jasinski, M. Johnson

**Chairs:** T. Dupras, F. Jentsch, K. Hamann, X. Li, E. Mucciolo, L. Mustaine, M. Sigman, G. Worthy,  
S. Zhang

**Directors:** P. Bohlen, R. Littlefield

Journal Publication Charges

E. Mucciolo

- Journals are increasingly charging for publication
  - Federal mandate requires grant-funded research to be available, generally on-line but have to pay
  - Optional in past, but increasingly is not
  - Some cost under \$800 but some cost \$1,200 per paper
    - ✓ \$5,000 to publish in *Nature*
    - ✓ \$2,000 to publish in color in *Bioinformatics*
    - ✓ Eventually everyone publishing in Physics will have to pay – 140-150 papers a year in some departments
  - May be able to pay some from grants – but grants are decreasing
  - We are not prepared for these expenses
  - Some have subscription fees paid by library
    - ✓ Library committee needs be involved in this issue
    - ✓ Find out person in Library so they can help
  - College of Medicine pays
  - Institutions that have good revenue will continue but difficult for others
  - Need to evaluate journal quality
  - Social media evaluated – algorithm – hits, comments, etc.
  - Input from chair important

- Capital Planning is underway
- Sharing lab space was discussed
  - ✓ Chairs
  - ✓ Safety concerns discussed
  - ✓ Some research types are incompatible with other types
  - ✓ Some instances shared lab space difficult – contamination; lost items, lack of knowledge on how to use items
  - ✓ May harm recruitment
  - ✓ Some labs need to be specialized
- Chemical storage discussed
- Office space relief discussed
- UCF Downtown impact on space discussed

#### General

- Please note new College of Sciences web page

Meeting adjourned 2:54pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Maggie LeClair

#### Reminders

Chair/Director **ONLY**

February 28, 2018, 1pm, CSB 212

COS 2018 Outstanding AlumKnights Ceremony

March 1, 2018, 6pm, Fairwinds Alumni Grand Ballroom

Chairs/Directors **REGULAR**

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Provost Half-Day Visit

Monday, September 24, 2018, 8am-1pm