Loyola University Chicago Research Data Center Steering Committee

Charge

The Loyola University Chicago Research Data Center (RDC) Steering Committee provides an administrative forum for reviewing, evaluating, and recommending strategies, plans, and policies for use of RDC resources by lakeside campuses faculty in order to support and advance research efforts that require a secure and robust computing environment. Specifically the Committee is charged to:

► Set policies on use of RDC resources, including procedures for sharing those resources and allocating time appropriately to stakeholders.

► Identify opportunities where the RDC could enhance the competitiveness of external grant proposals.

► Conduct regular usage reviews to ensure that the RDC is providing the maximum benefit to qualified and priority faculty research efforts. This includes the housing of new research as well as retirement planning for aging projects and equipment.

► Contribute to defining a long-term strategy for funding and managing an enterprise strategy and standards for shared computing resources; this includes backups, security, audits, virus prevention, operating system and application updates, etc.

Current Committee Membership

Samuel A. Attoh, Dean of the Grad. School & Assoc. Provost for Res., Chair
Fred Bryant, Psychology
Richard Holz, Chemistry
Susan Malisch, ITS
Tim O’Brien, Math & Statistics
Christine Putonti, Biology
Donna Quirk, SPA
Bill Sellers, Research
George Thiruvakuthal, Computer Science
Dan Vonder Heide, ITS

Frequency of meetings

The RDC Steering Committee will meet every other month initially.