Graduate Council Resolution on the Formation of a University-wide Research Computing Infrastructure Committee

Whereas, there has been a restructuring of the information technology services at SIUC,

And whereas, the university has recently implemented a fee assessed to each department for each FTE faculty and in addition a share of 5% of the total indirect cost to support IT and a portion of these funds may be available to support research computing,

And whereas, the function of IT is critical for supporting educational and research activities at SIUC,

And whereas, the university has requested faculty input on improving the research computing infrastructure which will include the allocation of funding to support research computing,

And whereas, all research activities are supported by the Vice Chancellor for Research,

Therefore, be it resolved that a research computing advisory committee on universitywide research computing infrastructure consisting of faculty and the Chief Information Officer be formed and chaired by the Vice Chancellor for Research to develop a vision and a plan that will govern research computing at SIU and recommend the proper allocation of fiscal and computing research resources.