



**Office of Research**  
 iSTAR Metrics: FY18 Q2  
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**Resource Optimization**

Unit	Project Title	Impact to unit	Impact to Office of Research	Impact to campus	Project Description	Dates	Compliance	Reputation / Competitiveness	Federal Requirements / Reporting	Infrastructure	Systems / Tools	Reduce Burden / Enhance Research Enterprise
ORIS	MyResearch			X	Funding Status and Training Transcript linked on details pages. Eliminates the need to navigate away.	12/2/17	X		X		X	X
ORIS	MyResearch			X	New Good Clinical Practices course completion integration between CITI and Training Transcript	12/2/17	X		X		X	X
ORIS	MyResearch			X	Made Responsible Conduct of Research completion records available in Training Transcript	12/2/17	X		X		X	X
ORIS	MyResearch				Conversion to PWS V2 in order to utilize Workday data	12/2/17				X	X	
ORIS	MyResearch			X	Applied new role label, "Applicant PI"	12/2/17						
ORIS	MyResearch			X	Funding Status redesign patches to improve the accuracy of a researcher's dashboard and to reduce clutter	12/2/17		X			X	X
ORIS	SAGE Compliance Project - Release 1		X	X	The Compliance Project goals are to improve the Compliance section of the eGC1 to ensure we are asking the right questions, improve usability and streamline through integrations with other compliance systems. This first release included removing unnecessary questions, moving fiscal compliance questions to the budget page, and building out a new Locations page with integrations to GeoSims, for better data on where research activities are taking place. Infrastructure changes were bundled in, to improve the maintainability of SAGE.	10/1/17	X			X	X	X
ORIS	SAGE Grant Runner EXpansion Project		X	X	This quarter the project delivered the full set of FORMS-E updates for the NIH opportunities supported by Grant Runner, as well as implementing the new Human Subjects and Clinical Trials Form.	12/1/17					X	X

ORIS	SAGE Maintenance		X	X	Though not a dedicated project team, there were many maintenance items included with the above project work. Highlights include: critical updates and support resulting from the HRP/Workday implementation, the additional of Subrecipient Certification Tracking in SPAERC, Non-Award Agreement workflow improvements, and updates to APL rates in SAGE Budget.	11/2017 12/2017	X				X	X
HSD	IRB Chair Council	x		x	Started a quarterly 2-hr meeting of the IRB Chairs, to increase consistency, identify & solve problems, improve efficiency. They viewed it as a big success! One of HSD's annual goals	3/1/17 - 10/3/17	x		x		x	x
HSD	Established contract with Schulman IRB	x		x	Schulman is a large independent IRB, like WIRB - but friendlier, cheaper, and easier to deal with for NIH-funded research. Offers a great alternative to researchers.	Started May 2017, completed fall quarter 2017				x		x
HSD	NIH Revised Policy: Certificates of Confidentiality	x		x	Implemented a major new NIH policy affecting all PIs who do NIH-funded human subjects research, in less than one month. Multiple communication & outreach activities; new SOPs, Guidance, Information Sheets.	Fall quarter 2017	x		x		x	
HSD	New work station chairs for all HSD staff!	XXXXX			For the first time ever, all HSD received new work chairs. Most had been using chairs that were over 10 years old. One of HSD's annual goals; important for the overall goal of creating a wonderful place to work.	Fall quarter 2017				x		
HSD	Installed a water bottle filling station on each floor (16, 17)	x			A facilities improvement that addresses the goal of creating a wonderful place to work					x		
OSP	Hosting colleague from University of Pretoria	X		X	OSP hosted a colleague from the University of Pretoria's grants office. We arranged for her to meet with UW research administration staff from within OSP, other central offices, and in campus units. This was part of an NIH funded capacity building grant from the NIH to U of Pretoria.	10/9/2017 - 10/18/2017		X				
OSP	Update of GIM 27	X	X	X	Collaborated with OAW on a complete revision of earlier policy related to the use of vertebrate animals in sponsored programs.	Completed 11/16/2017	X		X			
OSP	OSP multi-manager office structure	X		X	In line with OSP strategic goals, we have developed and implemented a multi-manager structure to better support our staff, operations within the office, and campus partners. Final hire for completion of this structure started in December.	1/1/2016 - 12/17/2017		X		X		X
OSP	Certificates of Confidentiality online tool			X	Coordinated with UW subject matter experts to develop and release an online tool to assist UW PIs navigate new NIH requirements related to Certificates of Confidentiality.	10/1/2017 - 11/15/2017	X		X		X	X

ORC	Implement Employee Satisfaction Surey	x	x	x	Employee Satisfaction Survey focusing on Workplace and Communication and including unit specific questions.	11/6-11/22, 2017		x		x		
ORC/OR	Decommison Energy Webpage		x	x	Decommission energy webpage: was on an unsustainable platform.	30-Dec				x	x	
ORC	Success Rate Presentation			x	Final Presentation of data on Success Rates to the Research Advisory Board	20-Nov		x				