College of Health Retreat

Research and Faculty Development

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Plans & Goals for the Coming Year

- Get to know and listen to faculty and students...
  - What is going well?
  - What are the roadblocks contributing to success in faculty development, research productivity, grant funding, innovation, etc.
  - Work to streamline and create clear processes and procedures.
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- **Meet/work with faculty who participated on the COH promotion committees** (and others who are interested)

  - Further develop COH promotion timelines, rubrics, and policies.
  
  - **New deadline for promotion reviews from the Depts/Program review committees and Dept Chair/Prog Director to the COH Committees**
    - **November 11, 2022**
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- Ensure faculty and students have access to key resources and communication with our partners
  
  - ISU Office of Research

  - Assess what role the Idaho Center for Health Research (ICHRI) plays

  - Are we taking full advantage of our MW CTR-IN affiliations?
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- Explore faculty development and mentoring programs and activities

- Explore “core” facility and other funding mechanisms and interdisciplinary opportunities to support research activities and infrastructure

- Evaluate the evolving role, needs and resources to support the interdisciplinary PhD program (PT, OT, CSD)
What are your ideas/priorities?
COH Research Funding Opportunity

- **Research & Creative Activities Grant**
  - Covers a *broad range of research endeavors*
    - Qualitative, Quantitative, Clinical, Pedagogy, etc.
    - $5,000 award

- **Plans to solicit applications and award funding**
  - Spring 2023 call and award
  - Research completed by following Spring (1 year)

- **Thoughts on timing?**
Communication & Feedback

- Please communicate your ideas...we want to work together!