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CSB Members:

I am absolutely thrilled to share some terrific news with you. Yesterday I received a report from Jane Youngers on Restricted Funds: Awards and Expenditures.

In the category of Total Restricted Funds Awards (largely grants for us), Direct Expenditures, and F&A Recovery, we have increased our awards from \$10,344,341 to \$15,849,409 from FY09 to FY10. This is a 53% INCREASE at a time when funding is extremely difficult to acquire.

In this same category, the GSBS as a whole increased from \$51,882,816 to \$57,722,338. This is an 11% INCREASE for the school.

Last week I received a report from Dr. Reddick indicating that as a whole the GSBS submitted 526 proposals in FY10, 163 or 31% were funded. This compares with 485 proposals submitted in 2009 with 100 funded at a 20.6% funding success.

When we combine this information with the fact that we have 14 faculty that hold the UT System honorific title of Distinguished Teaching Professor, I think we can say we are getting the job done.

I am very proud of the accomplishments that each of you have achieved. It is from your individual accomplishments that the Department realizes success. Please accept my appreciation for what you have attempted and what you have achieved.

Way to go!
Chris

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