

Annual Report 2003-2004
University Research Committee Budget 2003-2004

Woodruff Endowment	\$1,042,134
<u>McCandless Funds</u>	<u>155,208</u>
Total funds	\$1,197,342
<u>Less Admin. Budget</u>	<u>- 70,000</u>
Available for Grants in 2003-2004	\$1,127,342
Amount to Award Fall	\$ 563,671
Amount to Award Spring	\$ 563,671

Fall 2003 Statistics

Subcommittee	# Of Applications	# Of Meritorious Applications	\$ Requested Meritorious	\$Awarded	# Awarded
Health/Bio.Sci.	25	18	\$535,653	\$337,610	12
Humanities	11	5	\$114,550	\$ 90,000	4
Math/Nat.Sci.	1	1	\$ 19,000	\$ 19,000	1
Social Sciences	9	2	\$ 51,398	\$ 51,398	2
Visual/Performing Arts	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	47	26	\$ 720,601	\$498,008	19

Spring Awards= \$563,671
18,824 (Iuvone returned)
65,663 (unspent from Fall)
Total for Spring \$648,158

Faculty Awards

The URC has assumed responsibility for the annual review of the Albert E. Levy Scientific Research Award established to recognize outstanding scientific contributions in the Biological and Health Sciences by Emory Faculty members. The Levy Award Winners in 2003 were: Dr. Rafi Ahmed and Dr. Andreas Fritz. The 2004 award nominations are currently under review.

University Research Committee Chair and Executive Committee

In the fall of 2003, David S. Pacini was elected by the Faculty Council to serve a three-year term as Chair of the URC. Dr. Pacini is a faculty member in Candler School of Theology.

Upon assuming chairmanship of the URC, Dr. Pacini established an Executive Committee of the URC to aid in policy decisions and making final awards. The Executive Committee is made up of subcommittee chairs from each of the five subcommittees. The subcommittees are as follows: Health/Biological Sciences, Humanities, Math/Natural Sciences, Social Sciences and Visual and Performing Arts.

The Executive Committee met in December, 2003 to review rankings of the fall proposals and make final decision on the awards, they will meet in May of 2004 to finalize the spring awards.

Respectfully submitted,
Melanie Kingston, Secretary
University Research Committee