

**MEETING MINUTES**  
**March 24, 2009**

*Present:* Ivan Avrutsky, Tamara Bray, David Cinabro, Michael McIntyre, Prahlad Parajuli, Bo Shen, Harley Tse (Chair), Olivia Washington, Joseph Dunbar.

*Absent with notice:* Gina Deblase, Tej Mattoo, Marcus Dickson, T.R. Reddy, Antoinette Wozniak, Robert Arking, Judith Whittum-Hudson.

1. The meeting was called to order at 1:30 pm. The minutes for the meeting of February 17, 2009 were approved.
2. Faculty Research Survey Results  
The Chair reported that the final report of the Faculty Research Survey was submitted by email attachment to Policy Committee through Seymour Wolfson and the Academic Senate Office on March 17, 2009. He recommended to Seymour that the report be posted on Pipeline for access by all university faculty and staff.
3. Wayne's national research ranking  
The Chair was scheduled to present the Committee's recommendations for improvement of WSU's national research ranking at the April 8 Senate meeting. A draft copy of the power-point presentation was circulated. The Committee went over the presentation and made suggestions and corrections.
4. New Business  
No new business.
5. Adjournment  
The Committee adjourned at 2:40 pm.

Respectfully Submitted

Harley Tse  
Chair, Research Committee

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Approved by the Research Committee at its meeting of May 19, 2009