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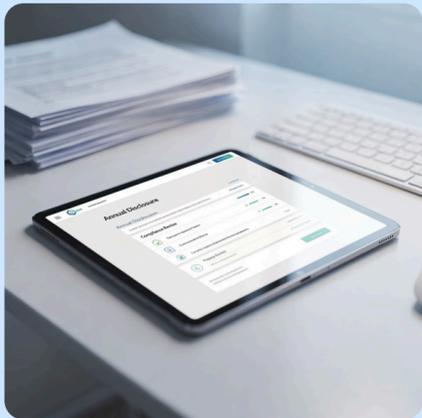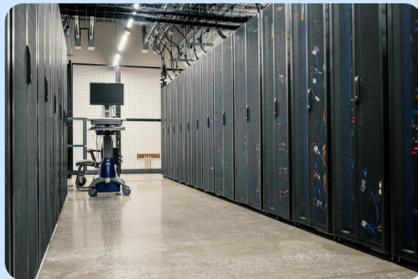
✓ **Strong turnout fosters collaboration:** 51 RCC members and 45 community participants.

Key Updates & Announcements

Conflict of Interest (COI): Annual Disclosure

Quinton Johnson provided an update on the transition to an annual COI disclosure model planned for this quarter, which will streamline requirements and reduce administrative burden. Additional details are available on the **COI Annual Disclosure Transition webpage.**

DOJ Bulk Data Rule

Quinton Johnson reviewed the implications of the DOJ Bulk Data Rule for data sharing with countries of concern and emphasized the importance of early consultation for projects involving sensitive data.

Questions may be directed to Research Compliance Services at **rcs@unc.edu**

International Shipping & Export Controls

Tatiana Shapiro shared updates on the new eShip Global platform for international shipments, which improves visibility, automates compliance checks, and supports centralized review. Guidance on the **international shipping and hand-carry process** is available online.

NIH Biosketch & Other Support: New Requirements

Dustin Yocum outlined new NIH Common Forms requirements, including mandatory SciENcv use, ORCID integration, and expanded disclosure, citing increased federal scrutiny.

Research security questions: **ResSciSec@unc.edu**.

Supporting resources

- **OVCR Common Forms overview**
- **SOM RAISE walkthroughs**
- **Health Sciences Library seminars**
- **NIH implementation timeline**
- **NIH FAQ (old forms allowed through May 2026)**

📝 2026 Research Insights Survey

Jeanne Lovmo updated on the Research Insights Survey, noting strong early response. The survey helps identify successes and areas needing attention. Participation is encouraged to ensure broad representation.

Share your Insights

ⓘ Updated Research Misconduct Policies

Eric Everet shared two revised research misconduct policy documents, reflecting new federal requirements effective January 2026: **Policy** and **Procedure** Responding to Allegations of Research Misconduct Procedure.

Subcommittee Spotlights

⚙️ **Process Improvement Link**

Katie Marsh introduced the Process Prioritization Tool, designed to help identify research processes with the greatest opportunities for improvement, and shared an early **preview** of the tool.

🛡️ **Risk Management Link**

Nathan Simms and Jamie Kauwell presented the International Research Risk Management Roadmap, highlighting an interactive map of international research activity and a structured approach to risk identification, with additional details forthcoming.

📅 **Learning Link**

Brent Eisenbarth shared the new **Communications Channels & Fora resource** and noted that work is underway on a new Research Orientation webpage.

📄 **Policy Link**

Amanda Chang provided updates on policy-awareness efforts and upcoming listening sessions to gather research community feedback, supported by a **Listening Session Toolkit** now available for campus use.

ⓘ **Next RCC Meeting: April 24, 2026**