

Intellectual Property Workgroup Meeting Minutes

February 19, 2019

Usha Kundu, MD College of Health Multipurpose Room

9 a.m.

Members present:

Denice Curtis
David Ramsey
Rodney Guttman
Joe Spaniola
Kimberly McCorkle
Matthew Crow
Chula King
Britt McGowan
Wade Jeffrey
Claudia Stanny
Matthew Schwartz
Steve Brown
Mohamed Khabou
Pam Langham

Members not present:

Nancy Hastings
Wayne Bennett

Business

Consultant Wes Blakeslee conducted an on-campus training at the University of West Florida for the committee members of the Intellectual Property work group. He informed the group of current intellectual property issues and why a good policy is important. He further explained copyrights, patents, trade and service marks, and trade secrets and know-how. He elaborated on the definition of work for hire and the scope of rights for the employer and employee. Finally, he spoke to the role of universities in intellectual property and questions surrounding online materials. After the presentation, the floor was open to questions from the committee.

Meeting Concluded: 1 p.m.

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