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To	Poari Mātauranga Academic Board	Date	30 September 2019
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Subject	Subcommittee Chair Report – Unitec Research Committee		

Work Summary Update

- The Chair informed the Committee of recent successes in the grants space: Prof Christian Probst won a \$1m MBIE Smart Ideas grant for his project “Assessing Reidentification Risks with Bayesian Probabilistic Programming” and Professor Jenny Lee-Morgan won a \$3.5m MBIE Research Programme grant for her project “Marae Ora, Kāinga Ora (MOKO): Maraе-led housing interventions that develop kāinga”. Professor Leonie Pihama joins Unitec at the end of the month and brings with her a \$2.1m MBIE Research Programme grant for a project called “He Waka Eke Noa: Māori Cultural Frameworks for Violence Prevention and Intervention”.
- The guidelines and templates for Early Career Research PhD for PBRF Staff Scholarship were approved.
- The Committee unanimously supported the updated Research Overheads Procedure
- The final School Research Plan was presented with a template fully populated by the School of Environmental and Animal Science. Tūāpapa Rangahau is currently working with the School of Computing and the School of Construction. The School of Engineering is next in line.

Items Linked

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