

**ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP FORUM**

**Session IV**

**The State of Research at Penn State**

Zoom

Tuesday, March 2, 2021

9:00 – 10:30 a.m.

9:00 – 9:05 a.m. **Introduction and** **Opening Remarks**

*Kathleen J. Bieschke, Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs*

9:05 – 9:20 a.m. **The State of Research at Penn State**

*Lora G. Weiss, Senior Vice President for Research*

9:20 – 9:35 a.m. **College Perspectives on the Research Landscape**

*Lee R. Kump, John Leone Dean in the College of Earth and Mineral Sciences*

*Justin Schwartz, Harold and Inge Marcus Dean in the College of Engineering*

9:35 – 10:05 a.m. **SIMBA Update**

*Kimberly Sue Croft, Senior Director, Research Administration – Costing and Accounting*

*John W. Hanold, Associate Vice President/Director of Sponsored*

*Programs*

*George A. Lesieutre, Associate Dean for Research, College of Engineering*

10:05 – 10:25 a.m. **Compliance, Finance and Cost Training**

*Kenya M. Faulkner, Chief Ethics and Compliance Officer*

10:25 – 10:30 a.m. **Closing Remarks**

*Lora G. Weiss, Senior Vice President for Research*