

## Research Task Force (RTF) Minutes 4/20/23

### Present by Zoom:

Jonathan Bird (chair)  
Paramita Chakrabarty  
Sylvain Dore  
Mark Segal  
Mark Moehle  
Robert Mankowski

### Apologies:

Lisa Merlo  
Bhavana Patel  
Cory Brunson

### Agenda Items:

1. Recap of UF-Santa Technician recruitment event. This inaugural event took place on 4/20/2023 in the Harrell Med Ed building. 14 students from Santa Fe attended with two SF faculty, in addition to 9 UF faculty and representatives from the UF and Shands clinical laboratories. The event was a success, and we will build on this pipeline in the coming months, including more events at UF and also at Santa Fe to boost technical staff recruitment. David Julius has agreed to present at RTF about his experience running the SF2UF program, which we can hopefully use to sharpen our approach.
2. ELN introductory webinars are set for 4/25 and 4/26 and will be run by Linda Cubias from LabArchives. JB will give a short introduction about some specific uses, before Linda will cover more detailed topics about functionality and services offered under the UF campus agreement. This webinar will be archived on a UF site and made widely available. Outstanding issues are building a local FAQ (Cory has some questions archived) to append to the more generally available LabArchives FAQ. Mark Segal gave an update on efforts for the UF IRB to approve the use of LabArchives.
3. Any other business: RTF discussed the growing frustration at the COM compensation plan for non-clinical researchers, and how this has still to be presented or released to UF faculty.

Meeting adjourned.

Next meeting 5/18/2023.