

# Emily Devereux

*Curriculum Vitae*

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*Senior research administrator with broad base knowledge in best practices across facets of research administration, research development, funding models, student research growth, assessment, strategic initiatives, and solutions.*

## EDUCATION

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**Doctor of Public Administration**, 2020, West Chester University – West Chester, PA

**Master of Public Administration**, 2006 Arkansas State University – Jonesboro, AR

**Bachelor of Arts in Music; Minor in Marketing**, 2002 Arkansas State University – Jonesboro, AR

## CERTIFICATIONS

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**Certified Research Administrator**, Certification No. 2016103409, Research Administrators Certification Council

## WORK HISTORY

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**Director of Research Development** **10/2020-Present**

**University of South Carolina, College of Engineering & Computing – Columbia, SC**

Oversees Research Development for the College of Engineering and Computing, including research development activities and staff for strategic proposal development, proposal writing and competitiveness, and research management for large research programs/centers and initiatives. Co-creator and facilitator for the NSF CAREER Bootcamp for UofSC and an instructor for the UofSC GRANT Program.

**Adjunct Graduate Faculty, Public Administration** **09/2020-Present**

**Arkansas State University – Jonesboro, AR**

Graduate faculty for Master of Public Administration program. Focus of expertise includes courses of strategic planning and management and grant writing and administration. Theses and intern advisor for research administration students.

**Executive Director, Research and Technology Transfer** **04/2016-10/2020**

**Arkansas State University – Jonesboro, AR**

Senior leadership and executive director of the research and technology transfer division, including proposal development and submissions, grants and contracts negotiations and award acceptance, industry and public-private partnerships, specialized trainings, and student research and creativity. Development and support of institutional initiatives aimed to grow research productivity and enhance research support, leading to institutional Carnegie R2 status.

**Associate Director, Research Development** **06/2014-03/2016**

**Arkansas State University – Jonesboro, AR**

Developed and supported institutional initiatives aimed to grow research productivity and enhance research support; Created support services for proposal and budget development, identification of grant/contract opportunities, quality review, and submission of proposals and applications. Conducted symposiums, workshops, and training for faculty, researchers, and students in best practices to submit for grant funding.

**NSF EPSCoR AR Plant Powered Production (P3) Center Manager** **06/2008-06/2014**

**Arkansas State University – Jonesboro, AR**

Managed state-wide NSF EPSCoR research consortium and program development initiatives for State of AR.

## NCURA HONORS AND AWARDS

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**NCURA Region III Pam Whitlock Rising Star Award, 2017**

## LEADERSHIP AND PUBLIC SERVICE CAPACITY

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**National Council of University Research Administrators (NCURA) 2013- Present**

*NCURA (National) Professional Development Committee, Publications Subcommittee 2022-2023*

*NCURA PRA Program Committee, 2022*

*NCURA Region III Immediate Past Chair 2020-2021*

*NCURA Region III Chair 2019-2020*

*NCURA Region III Chair-Elect 2018-2019*

*NCURA Region III Annual Meeting Chair 2019*

*NCURA Region III 2017 Program Committee, Federal Track Coordinator & Planning Committee*

*NCURA Region III 2018 Annual Meeting Site Selection Committee*

NCURA Region III 2018 Program Committee, Federal Track Coordinator  
NCURA Region III 2016-2017 Communications Committee, Website Coordinator  
NCURA (National) Collaborate Committee, PUI Working Group 2016, Co-Chair PUI Mentoring Program  
NCURA Region III 2016 Annual Meeting Planning Committee  
NCURA Region III 2015 Annual Meeting Planning Committee, Promotions Lead

**National Organization of Research Development Professionals (NORDP) 2020- Present**

Co-Chair Professional Development Committee; Co-Lead Webinar Working Group

NORD Committee Member

**Network of Schools of Public Policy, Affairs, and Administration (NASPAA) 2022 – Present**

Site Visit Officer for Accreditation of Public Service Education Graduate Programs

**A-State MPA Advisory Board, 2016 – Present**

Board Member, Alumni Seat

## **SELECT PRESENTATIONS**

**The Role of Research Development in Improving Competitiveness of Proposal Ancillary Documents.** Workshop, *NCURA R3 Annual Meeting*, May 2022

**Building Better Research Development Budgeting Tools.** Concurrent Session, *NCURA R3 Annual Meeting*, May 2022

**Finding Competitiveness in Proposal Ancillary Documents.** Webinar, NORDP Webinar Series, October 2021 (Co-Presenter)

**Social Equity Performance of Sponsored Funding Mechanisms: Effects of National University Rankings and Perceived**

**Administrative Capacity Biases in Funding Review Processes.** Conference Panel Presentation, American Society of Public Administration (ASPA) 2021 Annual Conference, April 2021, Virtual Conference (Panel Presenter)

**Research Development: Four Pillars of Sustainability.** Conference Presentation, *NCURA 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Pre-Award Research Administration Conference*, March 2021

**Subordinate Perceived Support & Stress Based on Perceived Supervisory Leadership Style & Prior Telework.** Conference Presentation, Northeast Conf on Public Administration, November 2020, Virtual Conference (Co-Presenter)

**Women in Higher Education: Perceived Support and Stress in a Crisis based on the Perceived Supervisor Managerial Type.**

Conference Presentation, Northeast Conf on Public Administration, November 2020, Virtual Conference (Co-Presenter)

**Innovations in Pre-Award.** Conference Presentation, *NCURA AM62*, August 2020, Virtual Conference (Co-Presenter)

**PUI to a Carnegie Research Intensive Classification: Strategic Initiatives for Administrative Capacity and Institutional**

**Commitment.** Conference Presentation, *NCURA AM62*, August 2020, Virtual Conference

**Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education & Perceived Reputation Bias in Funding Review Panels.** Poster Presentation, Northeast Conf on Public Administration, November 2019, Brooklyn, NY

**Strategic Leadership Development.** Workshop, *NCURA R3 Annual Meeting*, May 2018

**Pre-Award and Research Development Basics.** Workshop, *NCURA R3 Annual Meeting*, May 2018

**½ Points: Proposal Development Secrets to Make Grant Applications Distinctively Different.** Concurrent Session, *NCURA AM59*

**New Strategies in Research Development for Today's Funding Environment.** Concurrent Session, *NCURA R3 Annual Mtg*, May 2017

**Creating a Career Track at a PUI for Both Employers and Employees.** Discussion Group, *NCURA R3 Annual Meeting*, May 2017

**Research and Advancement CAN Be Friends.** Concurrent Session, *NCURA R3 Annual Meeting*, May 2016

**We Built this City: Rockin' Research Development at a PUI.** Conference Presentation, *NCURA R3 Annual Meeting*, May 2016

## **SELECT NCURA PUBLICATIONS**

**Innovations in Pre-Award.** Chapter Contribution, *Sponsored Research Administration: A Guide to Effective Strategies & Recommended Practices*, NCURA, December 2020

**Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education & Perceived Biases in Funding Review Processes.** Dissertation, Digital Commons, West Chester University, December 2020

**Becoming a Better Professional through Continuing Education.** Magazine Article, *NCURA Magazine*, Volume LII, No. 1: Print

**Growth in Administrative Capacity and Regional Engagement at the PUI through New Roles in Research Development.**

Magazine Article, *NCURA Magazine*, Volume LI, No. 1: Print

**Building Bridges with Development.** Chapter Contribution, *Sponsored Research Administration: A Guide to Effective Strategies & Recommended Practices*, NCURA, July 2018

**Work Smart Column.** Magazine Article, *NCURA Magazine*, Volume XLIX, No. 3: 8. Print.

**Collaborative Impact of Research & Advancement: a \$3 Million Dollar Idea.** Magazine Article, *NCURA Magazine*, Volume XLVIII, No. 4: 28-29. Print.