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# FACULTY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

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Recommends that all INCO Grant applications be submitted using the new online application form beginning with the January 31, 2005 application deadline, and that beginning with the January 31, 2005 deadline no paper applications will be accepted.

## **RATIONALE:**

By the January 31, 2005 deadline, the committee will have tested the online application process for two application deadlines, a period of nearly one year. Faculty has responded well to the online process. The number of faculty choosing to submit online has exceeded the number choosing to submit by paper. Also the committee has found the online application evaluation process to be fast and efficient. A side benefit is that the quality of applications has improved. It has been rare that the committee must send an application back to an applicant because of a failure to submit the proper information. Because the online process asks the faculty member to respond to specific questions in designated fields, applicants know how to give more complete applications. For these reasons the committee, would like to make the online application process the only method for submission.

## **FACULTY SENATE CHAIR:**

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