

## Terry D. Oswalt

### **What is your leadership experience in CUR and outside of CUR?**

Member of CUR since 2000-present, Physics and Astronomy Division

Chair, CUR/PA 2016-2019

CUR E-Board, 2016-2019, member of EO search committee 2019

CUR Advocacy Committee, 2013-2020

CUR Posters on the Hill Reviewer, 2000-present

CUR Liaison for Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

Chair, Southeastern Association for Research in Astronomy, 1995-present

Vice Chair / Chair-Elect, American Astronomical Society Historical Astronomy Division

Scientific Organizing Committee, International Astronomical Union, Commission on Binary Stars, 2016-2020

Program Officer, National Science Foundation, 1998-2000

### **Why are you interested in serving on the NVC and how does your past experience with CUR and or other organizations support your role on NVC?**

I have been a CUR Councilor since 2000 and am deeply committed to helping our organization foster and support undergraduate research. Recruiting and selection of the CUR leadership and ensuring that it represents the broadest possible range of disciplines and diversity is key to our organizations' continuing status as the preeminent national representative of undergraduate research. Having served on several CUR committees, as division chair and on the E-Board, I have the experience to help CUR select the next cohort of leaders.

### **How will you represent and advance CUR-wide interests (please reference the CUR Mission and Strategic Plan)?**

As a member of the Nominations Committee I will help select candidates who are experienced leaders in the CUR community and familiar with its Mission and Strategic Plan. Candidates should also be familiar with our governance structure, committed to maintaining CUR's national leadership in supporting and representing undergraduate research, to creating bridges between our Divisions, to increasing CUR diversity and inclusion, and to growing our membership. Candidates should also be interested in increasing CUR's interaction with other professional organizations, university consortia, and funding agencies.