Summarized accomplishments in the past year
(under the leadership of new co-chairs)

- Including actions and achievements since May meeting

- Discussions with:
  - The Foundation Center
  - IT consultants to foundations – Information Age Assoc. (IAA) {NOT a grants management software vendor}
  - foundation grants managers and IT staff
RESULTS:

- Commitment to publicize (Foundation Center)
- Effective methods to leverage change in eRA systems through foundations to their vendors
- “Buy in” on “Institutional Approval”
- Major foundation panelist for NCURA Annual Meeting
- Invitation to present to: New York Grants Managers Network
Other session discussion points

- Common data sets: feds and foundations
- Leveraging NY Grants Managers presentation
- Need for polling – who’s installing/changing/upgrading systems?
- Reversing correlation between: the fewer the $, the more paper required
- “Credibility as a Constituency”