

**Chairs Coordinating Council**  
**November 23, 2024, 7:15-10:15am**  
**Boston Park Plaza, Hancock Room**

**Present:** Tiffany Earley-Spadoni, Jane DeRose Evans, Sharon Herbert, Chuck Jones, Kate Larson, Kevin McGeough, Kiersten Neumann, Marta Ostovich, Allison Thomason, Julia Troche, Andy Vaughn, Lynn Welton, Vanessa Workman

**Guests:** Eric Kansa, Sarah Kansa

**Absent:** Teddy Burgh, Georgia Andreou, Mahri Leonard-Fleckman

**Introduction**

Call to Order: 7:25

Welcome of incoming Chairs of Publications: Sarah and Eric Kansa

Chuck thanked chairs for their annual reports.

**Committee Reports and Discussion**

*Committee on Publications*

Kevin stated that the committee had a productive meeting.

Nominee for *NEA* Editor, Christina Tsouparopoulou, going to Board

doing background checks, but they can ask for advice from the COP Chair, CCC, and ASOR leadership.

UCP report on AI: Other publishers are selling background data to Google AI, and authors are not being consulted. UCP is not interested in selling data and this is not an issue for ASOR. There was further discussion of AI and how it might affect authors, publishers, and other ASOR committees.

Julia raised the point of ECS not knowing where to publish amongst ASOR publications and recommended a one-pager or a flow-chart. There was discussion of how to share information. SRQVLEOHIRUGyflwjp

There was further discussion of terms, succession, the new role of President-Elect, changes to the

Sharon noted the upcoming discussions of the new strategic plan. She is thinking about how we want to approach this (task force, retreat, CCC, etc.)

Lynn thanked ECS for funding the Student Paper Award.  
She reported on the number of nominations and the need for a service nominations