**Historical TRIP Match Distribution Policies**

2009 to July 14, 2011

During this time frame, there was no written policy at UH for the distribution of TRIP matching funds. Matching funds were held centrally and distributed to the Division of Research unless there was a donor agreement directing their use.

July 15, 2011 to October 30, 2013

50% of the TRIP matching funds remain in the College, either to supplement the original gift or to be used by the dean for a different research purpose. The remaining 50%, when approved by the President, are distributed to the Division of Research for use in their Research Investment Fund.

October 31, 2013 to August 24, 2015

50% of the TRIP matching funds follow the original gift and are distributed to the College who is responsible to request further redistribution as required. The remaining 50% is distributed at the discretion of the President in consultation with the Provost.

August 25, 2015 to July 31, 2017

100% of the TRIP matching funds follow the original gift and are distributed to the College who is responsible to request further redistribution as required.

August 1, 2017 to Present

50% of the TRIP matching funds follow the original gift and are distributed to the College who is responsible to request further redistribution as required. The remaining 50% is retained centrally to support research initiatives approved by the President.