

**From:** Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]>  
**To:** Jeevacation <jeevacation@gmail.com>  
**Subject:** Fwd: request to use some of my research funds for travel during this academic year.  
**Date:** Mon, 05 Nov 2018 18:11:50 +0000

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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** **Re: request to use some of my research funds for travel during this academic year.**  
**Date:** November 1, 2018 at 10:24:05 AM PDT  
**To:** Patrick Kenney <[REDACTED]>  
**Cc:** Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]>

Just to be clear, I will be on campus periodically over the next 6 months to work through material in my office etc. I was hoping the University would fund my travel there, but if not, I will fund it myself. While on leave, which is not administrative leave since there is no review process pending, I am still employed at ASU and have until May 16, 2019 to settle my affairs there, go to my office to get materials I need, and function as a physicist, although not one representing ASU, etc. I will not act for or on behalf of ASU, or represent that I am working on behalf of ASU at any events I will be attending. As far as I know, the meeting in Feb is for physicists around the country and I may attend it if I get funding from elsewhere to do so, as will many other colleagues from around the country who are not acting on or behalf of ASU. I expect all my personal material to be cleared out by me on or before May 16, 2019.

Thanks.

LMK

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On Nov 1, 2018, at 9:20 AM, Patrick Kenney <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear Lawrence,

You are on paid leave for the remainder of this year pending your retirement on May 19, 2019. Pursuant to the agreement you signed with the Provost, between now and then you are not to be acting for or on behalf of ASU or representing that you are working on behalf of ASU. That means you should not be coming to campus, including to attend on-campus meetings you organized before you were put on leave. To the extent you intend to travel to professional meetings elsewhere, you will not be doing so on behalf of ASU, and you may not use University funds for that purpose.

With regard to retrieving your personal property, we will need to begin that process soon so that the University can begin to prepare that space for its future uses. If you would like to be involved in packing your personal items, we will schedule a specific date and time for you to come to campus for that purpose. Someone will meet with you to gather any University property and provide packing materials that you can use to pack your personal items and transport them from campus. Alternatively, we can have your personal items packed for you to pick up or to be shipped to a location you identify. Please let me know which option you would prefer so that I can make the necessary arrangements.

*Patrick J. Kenney*  
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**From:** Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 30, 2018 9:34 AM  
**To:** Patrick Kenney <[REDACTED]>  
**Cc:** Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: request to use some of my research funds for travel during this academic year.

Thanks Pat.. I had just emailed the Provost to let him know I had asked you. Looking forward to hearing soon so I can try and make some plans.

LMK

On Oct 30, 2018, at 9:31 AM, Patrick Kenney <[REDACTED]> wrote:

I sent it to the provost for consideration. I'll check with him today or tomorrow.

*Patrick J. Kenney*  
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**From:** Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 30, 2018 9:31 AM  
**To:** Patrick Kenney <[pkenney@asu.edu](mailto:pkenney@asu.edu)>  
**Cc:** Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: request to use some of my research funds for travel during this academic year.

Hi.. just checking to see if this got through.. Haven't gotten a response.

LMK

On Oct 26, 2018, at 11:34 PM, Lawrence Krauss <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear Patrick:

I would like to use some of my remaining University funds for this academic year, for travel

I anticipate the following

3-4 trips to ASU over the next 6 months to get my office contents ready to move, and to move them.

Travel to a Physics meeting at ASU in February that I helped organize early on.

Travel to a physics meeting in Jan organized by U. Florida that I have been invited to.

Travel in Dec to a meeting of the experimental collaboration I am a part of in Switzerland.

Can you confirm for me if I can use part of my remaining, unused, funds for these purposes?

Lawrence

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