

11/27/23

Dear Dr. Revelle:

As Chair of the Texas A&M University-Commerce's Institutional Review Board, I am writing to verify that the amendment for Exempt protocol #2430 "Establishing a writing project community: The differences that make a difference" was approved on 11/27/23.

This determination applies only to the activities described in the IRB submission and does not apply should any changes be made. Any planned changes that would impact the criteria in which the original determination was made, requires submission by the investigator to the IRB to ensure that the research continues to meet criteria for exemption. Changes to the protocol must be requested by submitting an Amendment Application to the Research Compliance Office for review. The Amendment must be approved before being implemented.

Should there be any sort of adverse event it is your duty to report that to the IRB immediately. Please refer to the above protocol number and title when submitting amendments or reports.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to email me at irb@tamuc.edu

Good luck with your project.

Sincerely,

Maria Carlson

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