The administration of an organization’s research enterprise has grown increasingly visible and complex. With a myriad of legal, regulatory and ethical complexities, professionals need to demonstrate their ability to meet the challenges required by the research administration profession. One measure of such competencies is the attainment of the designation of Certified Research Administrator (CRA). The CRA is an accomplishment that demonstrates experience, expertise, and ongoing involvement in the profession of Research Administration.

The CRA is a nationally recognized certification, administered by the Research Administrators Certification Council (RACC). Research administrators can attain the certification by meeting educational and experience requirements and successfully completing the half-day comprehensive exam. The exam covers the entire scope of Research Administration, as outlined in RACC’s Body of Knowledge. For more information on the CRA, please visit RACC’s Website at http://cra-cert.org.

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