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You can put me on the list but I don’t have much to offer experienced people.  I am happy to assist early career women who are struggling with saying no to tasks, who have questions about their general research programs, etc.

I don’t have any balance, so I can’t help there either!

I don’t have a systematic approach to research so, useless there too!

Again, I’m best with a general perspective on the academic process.

Another faculty member notes: “I appreciate the ways you’ve tried to give yourself research time during term – keeping two days a week without classes.  I appreciate the solid assistance you give to the students doing research for you.”

Shannon replied: “I focus on the ‘warts and all’ perspective of research – I’ve scared off a few students that way but I think they need to see that people can be difficult when they are preparing a proposal, collecting data, and presenting their findings.  Research doesn’t occur in a vacuum but in the context of others’ ideas about the topic and how to study it.”