

GRADUATE COUNCIL MINUTES
November 2, 2006

The Graduate Council met November 2, 2006, 1:00 PM in Room 104 Gillis Bldg. Dr. Blackwell presided.

Members Present: Dr. Joseph Brill
Carla Childers
Dr. Linda Chen
Dr. Dwight Denison
Dr. Brian Jackson
Dr. Robert Jensen
Dr. Terry Malone
Dr. Richard Milich
Dr. Cleo Price
Dr. Christopher Schardl
Dr. Frank Scott
Dr. Timothy Sineath
Dr. William Smith
Dr. William Witt

Members Absent: Dr. Eric Christianson
Dr. Peter Hislop
Sarah B. Martin
Dr. Susan Scollay
Dr. Dexter Speck

HCCC Representative: Dr. Pfeifle

SC Representative: Dr. Thelin (Absent)

Guest: None

Time Extensions None

Graduate Faculty Membership None

Policies

1. Dr. Blackwell reported on Senate Council revisions to Change Method of Appointment to Graduate Faculty. The motion was made by (Milich) and Duly seconded by (Jensen) to revise the proposal in the following ways: That Appointment to full graduate faculty memberships be automatically granted only in the Regular title Series. (2.1) other faculty titles series may hold graduate faculty appointments and be appointed at the level of full graduate faculty. However, this will not be automatic, but must be on the recommendation of the program's graduate faculty and the approval of the Dean of the Graduate School. (revision of 2.3)

2. Dr. Blackwell reported on Senate Council revisions to international student language requirements and ITA language screening. Senate Council recommended that the changes to acceptance of TOEFL and IELTS scores be on a trial basis, that the proposal offer an option for retesting if there appears to be discrepancies between official score and actual English speaking ability. Senate Council also asked for comparative information on language score policies from our benchmarks. Dr. Blackwell will accept these revisions and return the materials to Senate Council.
3. Dr. Sineath gave an interim report on a proposal to streamline the Curriculum approval process. This proposal will be discussed further at the next Council meeting. It entails moving all curriculum proposals except new programs directly from the College councils to Senate

Council.

Programs

1. Dr. Jensen reported on **Master of Music in Piano Performance**. It was moved by (Jensen) dully seconded by (Malone) and unanimously approved.
2. Dr. Witt reported on **Clinical Nurse Leader Masters Track Pilot**. It was moved by (Witt) dully seconded by (Malone) and unanimously approved.

Courses

1. Dr. Jensen reported on **HIS 552 Tudor-Stuart Britain 1485-1714**. It was moved by (Jensen), duly seconded by (Brill), and unanimously approved.
2. Dr. Schardl reported on **CD 710 Cognitive Communication Disorders**. It was moved by (Schardl), duly seconded by (Sineath), and unanimously approved.
3. Dr. Malon, reported on **CD 745 Pediatric Feeding and Motor Speech Disorders**. The motion was made by (Malone), duly seconded by (Schardl), and unanimously approved.
4. Dr. Chen reported on **CD 788 Variable Topics in Communication Disorders**. It was moved by (Chen), duly seconded by (Witt), and unanimously approved. with a friendly suggestion of removing the word Variable from the title of the course.
5. Dr. Malone reported on **Neurogenic and Related Disorders**. It was moved by (Malone), duly seconded by (Dennison), and unanimously approved.

Meeting adjourned: 2:40 p.m.

Items passed by consent agenda:

Time Extensions



Courses

1. CD 678 Neurogenic Communication Disorders
2. CNU 800 Applied Nutrition for the Health Professions
3. MI 707 Microbiology Immunology and Molecular Genetics

New Graduate Faculty membership

Name	Program	Membership
Desormeaux, Daniel, Ph.D.	French	FULL
Lock, Sharon E., Ph.D.	Nursing (Masters)	FULL
Scott, Leslie K., Ph.D.	Nursing (Masters)	FULL
Staten, Ruth R., Ph.D.	Nursing (Masters)	FULL
Warden, Sherry K., Ph.D.	Nursing (Masters)	FULL
Lock, Sharon E., Ph.D.	Nursing (PhD)	FULL
Scott, Leslie K., Ph.D.	Nursing (PhD)	FULL
Staten, Ruth R., Ph.D.	Nursing (PhD)	FULL
Warden, Sherry K., Ph.D.	Nursing (PhD)	FULL
Winter, Trevor A., M.D., Ph.D.	Nutritional Sciences (Master's)	FULL
Winter, Trevor A., M.D., Ph.D.	Nutritional Sciences (PhD)	FULL
Bradley, Luke H., Ph.D.	Anatomy and Neurobiology	ASSO
Bueler, Hansruedi R., Ph.D.	Anatomy and Neurobiology	ASSO
Glaser, Paul E., M.D., Ph.D.	Anatomy and Neurobiology	ASSO
Suman, Surendranath P., Ph.D.	Animal Sciences	ASSO
Stratton, Terry D., Ph.D.	Behavioral Science	ASSO
Boland, Michael, M.D.	Biomedical Engineering	ASSO
Saunders, Marnie M., PhD	Biomedical Engineering	ASSO
McCrary, Nancye, Ed.D.	Curriculum & Instruction	ASSO
Li, Jingshan, PhD	Electrical Engineering	ASSO
Stocker, Sean D., Ph.D.	Integrated Biomedical Sciences	ASSO
O'Connor, Lisa O.	Library Science	ASSO
Hatcher, Jennifer, Ph.D.	Nursing (Masters)	ASSO
Hatcher, Jennifer, Ph.D.	Nursing (PhD)	ASSO
Kachroo, Aardra, Ph.D.	Plant Pathology	ASSO
Beaulieu, Emily A., M.A.	Political Science	ASSO
Morey, Daniel S., M.A.	Political Science	ASSO
McGavran, Mary Beth D., Ph.D.	Psychology	ASSO
Vanderpool, Robin C., DrPH	Public Health	ASSO
Dupont-Versteegden, Esther E., PhD	Rehabilitation Sciences	ASSO
Mair, Scott D., M.D.	Rehabilitation Sciences	ASSO
Sheppard-Jones, Kathleen A., Ph.D.	Rehabilitation Sciences	ASSO
Sampers, Jackie, Ph.D.	Special Education	ASSO