**GRADUATE COUNCIL MINUTES**

**September 30, 2021**

**Zoom Meeting**

**Chair: Dr. Brian Jackson**

# MEMBERS PRESENT MEMBERS ABSENT

Prof. Bacchus, Emily Prof. Limperos, Anthony

Prof. Cassone, Vincent Prof. Taylor, Timothy

Prof. Choi, Namjoo **Guest**

Prof. Craven, Rolf Prof. Pauly, Jim

Prof. Fisher, Molly Prof. McNear, David

Prof. Guillou, Bertrand Prof. Chappell, Joseph

Prof. Hans, Jason

Prof. Harley, Debra

Prof. Hoch, Johanna

Prof. Orren, David

Prof. Van Lanen, Steven

# I. DISCUSSION ITEMS

Prof. Peterson presented and discussed the Format for Exams such as Current Language in Bulletin for Final Examination. She inquired the GC members’ input for more suitable language for remote or virtual exams. Prof. Peterson will bring back a written proposal for the GC members to vote on.

# II. ACTION ITEMS

1. **POLICIES**
2. Prof. Jackson Presented the current policy modifications on Graduate School requirement and proposed to add a new addition to the requirement to the GPA and the Language Proficiency Requirement.
3. Prof. Jackson presented the current language proficiency requirement and proposed a new language for naturalized citizens and permanent residents for TOEFL/IELTS Scores.
4. **PROGRAMS/CERTIFICATES**
5. Prof. Choi Presented and made a motion to approve the GC in in Deaf-Blind contingent upon approval of the two new courses, IEC 547 and IEC 548. The motion was seconded by Prof. Reber and was unanimously approved.
6. Prof. Fisher Presented and made a motion to approve the USP in International Studies. The motion was seconded by Dr. Limperos and unanimously approved.
7. Prof. Guillou presented and made a motion to approve the MAR -Architecture along with the related courses ARC 749 and 759. The motion was seconded by Dr. Van Lanen and was unanimously approved.

**C. COURSES**

1. Prof. Choi presented and made a motion to approve the proposed new course EDP 705 Substance Abuse Treatment in Counselling Psychology. The motion was seconded by Prof. Van Lanen and unanimously approved.

1. Prof. Hoch presented and made a motion to approve the proposed new course NUR 611 Foundations for online Teaching. The motion was seconded by Prof. Fisher and unanimously approved.
2. Prof. Fisher presented and made a motion approved the proposed new course PA 663. The motion was seconded by Dr. Choi and unanimously approved.
3. Prof. Craven presented and made a motion to approve the proposed two new courses PLS 533 Hemp Production System and PLS 534 Hemp and Hemp Derived Products for Medical Application. The motion was seconded by Dr. Limperos and unanimously approved.

The Council meeting adjourned at 3:00 pm.

**PROPOSALS APPROVED VIA E-VOTE AGENDA**

**Suspended Programs/Certificates**

1. EdD in Educational Counseling Psychology

2. GC in Middle and Secondary School

3. GC in Next Generation

4. MA in Elementary Education

5. MA in Middle School Education

6. MA in School Psychometrics

7. MS in Middle School Education

**Course Changes – Distance Learning**

1. NUR 765 – Research Design and Methods

2. NUR 772 – Dissemination of Scholarship and Scientific Findings

3. NUR 773 – Research Proposal Development

4. NUR 779 – Doctoral Seminar

5. NUR 794 – Analysis, Interpretation and Presentation of Quantitative Data