

**GRADUATE COUNCIL MINUTES**  
**Thursday, February 21, 2013**  
**Wingo 315 1:40 p.m.**

The Graduate Council was conducted electronically on February 21, 2013. The following members participated: Ken Barnes, Gary Bunn, Noel Campbell, Jane Dahlenburg, Janet Filer, Ramesh Garimella, Wes Garrett, Bruce Hutchinson, Damond Jackson, Terry James, Elaine McNiece, Mark McMurtrey, Letha Mosley, Rick Noyes, Vamsi Paruchuri, Scott Payne, Brooks Pearson, Tammy Rogers, Nina Roofe, Wayne Stengel, and Barbara Williams.

Action Items:

1. Graduate Council Minutes of January 17, 2013 were approved.
2. Subcommittee I, Dr. Tammy Rogers, Chair, recommended approval of the PhD Leadership Graduate Faculty criteria.

*Vote to approve was unanimous.*

3. Subcommittee III, Terry James, Chair, recommended approval of new course H ED 6354 Issues & Research in Women's Health.

*Vote to approve was unanimous.*

4. Subcommittee II, Ramesh Garimella, Chair, recommended approval of replacement of the Middle Level track with the Teacher Leadership track in the Advanced Studies in Teacher Leadership (ASTL) MSE degree and changes in the Graduate Bulletin description for ASTL.

*Vote to approve was unanimous.*

Information Items:

1. Change in course title LING 5310 from Linguistics for Educators to Educational Linguistics
2. Graduate Faculty Appointments:
  - a. Dr. Chris Churchill, MCOM, continued Associate Graduate Faculty, (3 years)
  - b. Dr. Joe Dull, MCOM, continued Graduate Faculty (8 years)
  - c. Dr. Michael Gunter, MCOM, continued Graduate Faculty (3 years)
  - d. Dr. Jeremy McIntyre, Communication Dept., initial Affiliated Graduate Faculty (3 years)

Announcements:

The next meeting for the Graduate Council will be March 14, 2013 in Wingo 315.