

**GRADUATE COUNCIL MINUTES**  
**Thursday, March 14, 2013**  
**Wingo 315 1:40 p.m.**

The Graduate Council meeting was conducted electronically on March 14, 2013. The following members participated: Ken Barnes, Gary Bunn, Noel Campbell, Jane Dahlenburg, Janet Filer, Ramesh Garimella, Bruce Hutchinson, Damon Jackson, Terry James, Mark McMurtrey, Elaine McNiece, Letha Mosley, Rick Noyes, Vamsi Paruchuri, Scott Payne, Brooks Pearson, Tammy Rogers, Nina Roofe, Wayne Stengel, and Barbara Williams. Absent: Wes Garrett..

Action Items:

1. Graduate Council Minutes of February 21, 2013 were approved.
2. Subcommittee III, Dr. Terry James, Chair, recommended approval of two new course proposals after revisions were made at the subcommittee's request:
  - a. FILM 6363 Writing the Short Film
  - b. FILM 6326 Production Seminar: Directing the Motion Picture

*Vote to approve the revised course proposals was unanimous.*

3. Subcommittee II, Dr. Ramesh Garimella, Chair, recommended approval of changes in credit hour values for two courses in Occupational Therapy:
  - a. From 4 hours to 3 hours OTHY 6401 Professional Foundations to OTHY 6323
  - b. From 4 hours to 5 hours OTHY 6403 Applied Anatomy and Kinesiology to OTHY 6503

*Vote to approve was unanimous.*

Information Items:

1. Change to variable credit hour values OTHY 6631 Fieldwork Experience II to OTHY 6171, 6271, 6371, 6471, 6571, and 6671
2. Change to variable credit hour values
  - a. LEAD 7312 Curriculum Policy: A Global Perspective to LEAD 7112, 7212, and 7312
  - b. LEAD 8311 Leadership Internship to LEAD 8111, 8211, and 8311
  - c. LEAD 8336 Contemporary Issues in Leadership to LEAD 8136, 8236, and 8336
3. Change in graduate Nursing course titles and/or course descriptions and/or prerequisites
  - a. NURS 6160, NURS 6260 from Directed NP Practicum: Adult/Gerontology to Clinical Immersion for Adult/Gerontology Nurse Practitioner (plus course description)
  - b. NURS 6162, NURS 6264 from Directed NP Practicum: Family/Individual Across the Lifespan to Clinical Immersion for Family Nurse Practitioner (plus course description)
  - c. NURS 6301 Research for Evidence Based Practice I (course description)
  - d. NURS 6304 Research for Evidence Based Practice II (course description)
  - e. NURS 6305 Educational Concepts for Advanced Practice Nursing to Educational Concepts for Advanced Nursing Practice (plus course description)

- f. NURS 6315 Health Assessment for Advanced Nursing Practice to Advanced Health Assessment (plus course description)
- g. NURS 6320 Pathophysiology for Advanced Nursing Practice to Advanced Pathophysiology (plus course description)
- h. NURS 6322 Epidemiology & Community Concepts for Advance Practice Nurses to Epidemiology for Advanced Nursing Practice (plus course description)
- i. NURS 6325 Pharmacotherapeutics for Advanced Nursing Practice to Advanced Pharmacology (plus course description)
- j. NURS 6329 Healthcare Informatics to Informatics for Advanced Nursing Practice (plus course description)
- k. NURS 6332 Health Policy and Economics (course description)
- l. NURS 6340 Clinical Specialty Practicum for the Nurse Educator (course description and prerequisites)
- m. NURS 6345 Evaluation in Higher Education (course description)
- n. NURS 6349 Teaching Practicum for the Nurse Educator (course description and prerequisites)
- o. NURS 6350 Curriculum in Nursing and Health Professions (course description)
- p. NURS 6370 Clinical Nurse Leader Practice (course description and prerequisites)
- q. NURS 6371 Clinical Nurse Leader Immersion (prerequisites)
- r. NURS 6520 Primary Care of Women and Children (course description)
- s. NURS 6521 Primary Care of Adults I to Adult/Gerontology Primary Care I (plus course description)
- t. NURS 6526 Primary Care of Adults II to Adult/Gerontology Primary Care II (plus course description)

4. Graduate Faculty Appointments:

- a. Dr. Melissa Booth, PTHY, continued Associate Graduate Faculty (3 years)
- b. Dr. Steven Forbush, PTHY, continued Graduate Faculty (8 years)
- c. Dr. M. Kevin Garrison, PTHY, continued Graduate Faculty (8 years)
- d. Dr. Michael Hargis, MBA, continued Graduate Faculty (3 years)
- e. Dr. Mary Jo Cooley Hidecker, CSD, continued Graduate Faculty (3 years)
- f. Dr. Tiffany Huitt, PTHY, continued Graduate Faculty (3 years)
- g. Dr. David Kim, MBA, continued Graduate Faculty (8 years)
- h. Dr. Chad Lairamore, PTHY, continued Graduate Faculty (3 years)
- i. Dr. Twala Maresh, PTHY, continued Associate Graduate Faculty (3 years)
- j. Dr. Margaret McGee, PTHY, continued Graduate Faculty (8 years)
- k. Dr. Mark Mennemeier, PTHY, continued Affiliated Graduate Faculty (3 years)
- l. Mr. Michael Nooner, CSCI, initial Associate Graduate Faculty (3 years)
- m. Dr. M. Douglas Voss, MBA, continued Graduate Faculty (3 years)
- n. Dr. Charlotte Yates, PTHY, continued Graduate Faculty (8 years)

Announcements:

The next meeting for the Graduate Council will be April 18, 2013 in Wingo 315.