

GRADUATE COUNCIL MINUTES
Thursday, October 22, 2013
Wingo 315 1:40 p.m.

The Graduate Council met on October 22, 2013. The following members participated: Jeff Allender, Ken Barnes, Gary Bunn, Noel Campbell, Ben Cash, Jane Dahlenburg, Janet Filer, Bruce Hutchinson, Terry James, R. B. Lenin, Gary McCullough, Forrest McDougal, Mark McMurtrey, Letha Mosley, Vamsi Paruchuri, Scott Payne, Tammy Rogers, Stephanie San, and Michael Schaefer. Members absent were Nina Roofe and Barbara Williams.

Action Items:

1. Graduate Council Minutes of September 19, 2013 were approved.
2. Subcommittee I, Letha Mosley, Chair, recommended approval of the following new courses contingent upon minor revisions as discussed:
 - a. MBA 5331 Bank Management
 - b. MBA 5333 International Finance

Vote to approve the revised course proposals was unanimous.

3. Subcommittee II, Ken Barnes, Chair, recommended approval of new course NUTR 6340 Diabetes Medical Nutrition Therapy.

Vote to approve was unanimous.

Information Items:

1. Dr. McCullough lead a discussion regarding the number of credit hours which may be transferred for a second graduate degree, as well as the number of credit hours which may be transferred in from another institution towards completion of a degree.
2. Graduate Faculty Appointments
 - a. Dr. Darshon Anderson, PSYC, Graduate Faculty (3 years)
 - b. Dr. Karen Haas, LEAD, associate Graduate Faculty (3 years)
 - c. Ms. Linda Hammontree, LEAD, affiliated Graduate Faculty (3 years)
 - d. Dr. Matt Harper, HIST, Graduate Faculty (8 kyears)
 - e. Dr. Glenn Jellenik, ENGL, affiliated Graduate Faculty (3 years)
 - f. Dr. Michael Kithinji, HIST, Graduate Faculty (3 years)a
 - g. Ms. Melissa Smith, ENGL, associate Graduate Faculty (3 years)
 - h. Dr. Femina Varghese, PSYC, Graduate Faculty (8 years)
 - i. Dr. David Welky, HIST, Graduate Faculty (8 years)

Announcements:

The next meeting for the Graduate Council will be Tuesday, November 21, 2013 in Wingo 315.