

# Graduate Council Meeting Minutes

October 24, 2018, GBB 202 12:00 – 1:00 PM

## Call to order

*Members Present:* C. Anderson, B. Baker, L. Broberg, M. Mayer, C. Nelson, M. Murphy, C. Palmer, D. Schuldberg, S. Rinfret, S. Stan, E. Voronina, N. White

*Members Absent/Excused:* M. Beavers, S. Ross, R. Smith

*Ex-Officio Present:* A. Kinch, S. Whittenburg

- The minutes from 10/10/18 were amended and approved.

## Communications

- Chair Broberg met with ECOS to go over concerns regarding the review, specifically what to do about forms that are missing signatures. ECOS shares the concern regarding the lack of clarity in strategic investment in terms of programs priority moving forward.

## Business Items

- The Science Curriculum Summary appended was approved. Follow-up is pending for two of the HHP program modifications that referenced language from the brochure that was not included in the proposal. There was concern regarding the courses in Physical Therapy. The courses are offered online by an outside company (Rehab Essentials). The Council has concerns with how this is managed. How are the faculty vetted and evaluated? Professor White will follow-up with Physical Therapy.

The Science Subcommittee also considered the Program Move form for Public Health. Professor Palmer reached out to Professor Dumke from HHP, who served on the Council last year. The only concern he had was whether the TAs would follow the move. Typically the TAs allocated by the Vice President are assigned to the program. Some Colleges have internal TAs that are assigned by the Dean. The HHP Faculty may want to have a discussion with the Dean about how their TAs are funded.

- The Professional School Summary appended was approved. Nadia White is modifying the Journalism Proposal to address issues. She will send it to the Council. There was a question regarding whether the undergraduate students should complete the graduate increment since the courses would count toward their graduate degree. The

accelerated program requires an exception to Graduate School Policy G. 502. Associate Dean Kinch will send the draft guidelines that describe the procedure to request the exception to Professor White.

## Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

## Science Curriculum Summary

Level II	<b>Comm Sci Disorders post-bacc leveling certificate</b>	CSD
Level II	<b>Speech Language Pathology PhD Retitle</b>	SLP
Program Modification	Physical Therapy DPT	Replacing required course

### Computer Science

<a href="#">CSCI 501 G</a>	Graduate Research Methods	New course
<a href="#">CSCI 510 G</a>	Advanced Client-side Web	New course
<a href="#">CSCI 542 G</a>	Computer Vision	New course

### Geosciences

<a href="#">GEO 420 UG</a>	Hydrogeology	Change prereqs
<a href="#">GEO 439 UG</a>	Geophysics	Change prereqs
<a href="#">GEO 460 UG</a>	Process Geomorphology	Change description, prereqs

## Professional Schools Curriculum Summary

Level II	MSW-JD Joint degree	Law, Social Work
Level I	Rural Health Leadership graduate certificate	CHPBS
Program Modification	Accounting & Finance-Master of Accountancy	Adding a required course (Accounting & Data Analytics), and reducing electives

