Graduate Council Minutes for Meeting  
Friday, February 27, 2015  
11:15 AM, Whitlock (SSB) 549

Members Present: Dennis Field, LeAnn Beaty, Scotty Dunlap, Doris Pierce, Robin Haar, Larry Sexton, Christine Carucci, Mary DeLetter, Kristen LeBrun (Student Member) and Tyler Justice (Student Member)

Office of Graduate Education and Research: Gerald Pogatshnik and Demita Kubala

Members Not Present: Cynthia Resor (prior notice), Ray Richardson (prior notice), Vigs Chandra (prior notice), and Wardell Johnson

Visitor(s) Present: Susan Kroeg and Barbara McDermott

MINUTES
Consideration of the minutes from January 30, 2015

Motion: Robin Haar 2nd: Christine Carucci [APPROVED]

I. CURRICULUM

Arts & Sciences

Biological Sciences

Course Revision  ENG 805: Writing Project
Course Revision  ENG 812: Methods in Rhetoric and Composition Studies
Course Revision  ENG 860: Topics in Reading & Teaching Literature
Course Revision  ENG 861: Reading and Teaching Poetry
Course Revision  ENG 862: Reading and Teaching Fiction
Course Revision  ENG 863: Writing and Teaching Writing
New Course  ENG 864: Reading and Teaching Nonfiction

Arts & Sciences Block  Motion: Scotty Dunlap 2nd: LeAnn Beaty [APPROVED]

Psychology

Course Revision  PSY 826: Professional Concerns I

Program Revision  University Certificate: Autism Spectrum Disorders

Psychology Block  Motion: LeAnn Beaty 2nd: Christine Carucci [APPROVED]

Business and Technology

Applied Engineering & Technology

Course Revision  AEM 822: Industrial Internship
Course Revision  AEM 839: Applied Learning in Tech Management
New Course  CON 824: Engineering and Construction Forensics
New Course  CON 825: Airport Planning & Construction
New Course
CON 826: Practical Construction Law
Course Revision
NSM 845: Advanced Server Security
Course Revision
NSM 865: Wireless and Mobile Security
Course Revision
NSM 895: Special Topics in NSM

Program Revision
MS: Applied Engineering and Technology Management

*Business and Tech Block*  
*Motion: Scotty Dunlap  2nd: LeAnn Beaty [APPROVED]*

**Health Sciences**
**Occupational Therapy**

Course Revision
OTS 901: OTD Leadership Seminar I
Course Revision
OTS 902: OTD Leadership Seminar II
Course Revision
OTS 903: OTD Leadership Seminar III
Course Revision
OTS 904: OTD Leadership Seminar IV
Course Revision
OTS 905: Applied Leadership Experience
Course Revision
OTS 906: OTD Capstone

*Health Sciences Block*  
*Motion: LeAnn Beaty  2nd: Mary DeLetter [APPROVED]*

II. **GRADUATE FACULTY**

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<td>Occupational Science &amp; Occupational Therapy</td>
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*Associate Block*  
*Motion: LeAnn Beaty  2nd: Doris Pierce [Approved]*
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<td>Communication</td>
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*Initial Associate Block  Motion: LeAnn Beaty  2nd: Mary DeLetter  [Approved]*

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**III. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- N/A

**IV. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**

- N/A

**V. ACTION ITEMS**

- Course Repeat Policy  *Motion: Doris Pierce  2nd: LeAnn Beaty  [Approved]*
- Change in Graduate School Policy: English Language Proficiency – Increase minimum IELTS score from 6.0 to 6.5  *Motion: Doris Pierce  2nd: Mary DeLetter [Approved with updated/revised language to specify “Overall Band Score” requirement of 6.5]*

**VI. GRADUATE COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEES REPORTS**

- QIC Subcommittee: *Doris Pierce suggested crafting a statement for workloads. Would like to discuss further at March GC Executive Meeting.*
- Curriculum Subcommittee: No Report
- Faculty Subcommittee: No Report

**VII. OTHER**

Next meeting: March 27, 2015

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT**

Meeting Adjourned at 12:20pm