# Graduate Council Meeting Minutes April 25, 2012

Attending: Canan Bilen-Green, Kendra Erickson, Karen Froelich, Robert Gordon, Robert Nielsen, Birgit Pruess, Wenfeng Sun, Boren Suzen, Mary Wright

Call to order

Dr. Wittrock called the meeting to order at 1:05 p.m.

**March 28 Minutes**

Birgit Pruess made a motion to approve the March 14 meeting minutes. Canan Bilen Green provided the second. Motion carried.

**Teacher Waiver**

Bob Nielsen made a motion to approve the teacher waiver for James Clifton to teach Acct. 611, 618 and 735 fall semester. Birgit Pruess provided the second. Motion carried.

Birgit Pruess made a motion to approve the teacher waiver for Tatjana Miljkovic to teach STAT 662 Intro to Experimental Design fall semester. Mary Wright provided the second. Motion carried.

Mary Wright made a motion to approve the teacher waiver for G.H. Nazari to teach ME 642 Machine Design I fall semester. Birgit Pruess provided the second. Motion carried.

**Course/Curriculum Proposals**

Bob Nielsen made a motion to approve the course proposal for PPTH 457/657 pending the correction of the disabilities statement. Canan Bilen Green provided the second. Motion carried.

Birgit Pruess made a motion to approve the course proposal for MICRO 450/650L pending the correction of the disabilities statement. Mary Wright provided the second. Motion carried.

Bob Nielsen made a motion to approve the proposal for the Sports Statistics transcriptable option in the Statistics Ph.D. program. Birgit Pruess provided the second. Motion carried.

Canan Bilen Green made a motion to approve the name change of the Emergency Mangement option in the Master of Public Health program. Birgit Pruess provided the second. Motion carried.

**Other Items**

Maternity leave for graduate assistants is an issue that will be surfacing again. Dean Wittrock asked the Council for feedback as to whether or not it should be pursued.

Dr. Wittrock adjourned the meeting at 2:05 p.m.

Minutes submitted by: Melissa Selders-Ortez