

Graduate Council Minutes

March 12, 2008

The March meeting of the Graduate Council was called to order by Dr. Wittrock, at 8:30 am, March 12, 2008 in the Hidatsa Room in Memorial Union.

In attendance: Bill Berzonsky, Ann Burnett, Jacob Glower, Verlin Hinsz, Samudra Kugel, Renee Magnan, Brandy Randall, Seth Rasmussen, Rodney Traub, Charlene Wolf-Hall

The minutes for the February 13, 2008 meeting were considered. Ann Burnett made a motion to approve the minutes. Charlene Wolf-Hall provided the second. Motion carried.

Requests for Associate Faculty Status/Teaching Waiver

The Council considered a request from the Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Emergency Management for Associate Graduate Faculty status for Carol Cwiak. Verlin Hinsz made a motion to approve. Brandy Randall provided the second. Verlin Hinsz made an amended motion to approve pending posting of Carol's Ph.D. Motion carried.

Course and Program Changes

Jacob Glower made a motion to approve the following course proposals:

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| • HIST | 429/629 | History of the American South to 1850* |
| • CDFS | 710 | Foundations of Youth Development* |
| • CDFS | 711 | Youth Development* |
| • CDFS | 712 | Community Youth Development* |
| • CDFS | 713 | Adolescents and Their Families* |
| • CDFS | 714 | Contemporary Youth Issues* |
| • CDFS | 715 | Youth in Cultural Contexts* |
| • CDFS | 716 | Youth Professionals as Consumers of Research* |
| • CDFS | 717 | Program Design, Implementation and Evaluation* |
| • CDFS | 718 | Administration and Program Management* |
| • CDFS | 719 | Youth Policy* |
| • HNES | 729 | Grant Writing for Health Professionals* |
| • HNES | 730 | Fundamentals of Leadership* |
| • SAFE | 484/684 | Food Safety Practicum* |

Course Description/Requisite Changes

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| • CPM | 771 | Mod. Meth. of Polymer Characterization* |
| • CPM | 773 | Organic Chemistry of Coatings* |
| • CPM | 775 | Color and Appearance* |
| • CPM | 778 | Physical Chemistry of Polymers* |
| • CPM | 782 | Physical Chemistry of Coatings* |
| • CPM | 472/672 | Environmental and Chemical Industries* |
| • CPM | 474/674 | Coatings I* |
| • CPM | 475/675 | Coatings II* |
| • CPM | 484/684 | Coatings I Laboratory* |
| • CPM | 485/685 | Coatings II Laboratory* |

• CPM	486/686	Corrosion and It's Control by Coatings*
• CPM	473/673	Polymer Synthesis*
• HNES	724	Nutrition Education*
• HNES	750	Advanced Human Nutrition*
• HNES	452/652	Nutrition, Health and Aging*
• HNES	455/655	Sports Nutrition*
• PLSC	753	Action and Fate of Herbicides*
• PLSC	763	Laboratory Methods-Weed Science*
• SOIL	447/647	Microclimatology*
• RNG	456/656	Range Habitat Management*
• SOIL	763	Advanced Soil Chemistry*
• SOIL	443/633	Soil Physics*

Ann Burnett provided the second. Motion carried.

Donna Dietz and William Bowlin from the presented the proposal for the Master of Accountancy program. Jake Glower made a motion to approve. Rodney Traub provided the second. Motion carried.

Dr. Wittrock presented the proposal from Psychology for transcriptable options for the master's and Ph.D. programs. Jake Glower made a motion to approve. Seth Rasmussen provided the second. Motion carried.

Dr. Wittrock removed from the agenda the CDFS Youth Development program option. This item will be on the April agenda.

Additional Items

Communication Policy Revision Committee

Paul Homan presented to the council a proposed revision to the current language policy for teaching assistants. The proposed policy was discussed and some issues were raised. The committee will meet again to finalize a proposal to bring forth for a vote.

At 9:45 a.m., Dr. Wittrock adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa Selders-Ortez