

## GRADUATE COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

September 9, 2021

**PRESENT:** Corey Davis, SangHee Park, Matthew Selesky, Praveen Parboteeah, Donna Vosburgh, Alana Platt, Haijian Sun, Arjan Premti, Andy Dahl, John Smith, Russ Kashian, Lynn Gilbertson, Anne Durst, Jennifer Betters-Bubon, Karla Saeger, Courtney Luedke, Wade Tillett, Shannon Stuart, Denise Roseland, Lopamudra Mukherjee, Christine Neddenriep, Sarah Hessenauer

**ABSENT:** Xueqing Chen, \*Kris Curran, Paul Kosik

**GUESTS:** Balaji Sankaranarayanan, Abbie Windsor, Carol Elsen, Carl Fox, Lisa Roth, Elizabeth Watson, Linda Yu, Kristin Plessel, Heather Chermak, Tamela Rocke

**PRESIDER:** Matthew Vick

\*Previously notified.

The September 9, 2021 meeting was called to order at 2:16 p.m. by Dean, Matthew Vick

I. Approval of Minutes from the May 6, 2021 Meeting: Praveen Parboteeah moved to approve the May 6, 2021 minutes. Denise Richardson seconded and motion passed.

II. Announcements

A. Graduate Faculty Staff Levels

B. Reminder on consultation

C. 798 Individual Studies courses 4 credit limit - Many programs exceeding limit

D. Graduate Council member sought for ELARC committee for Fridays 9-10:30: Lynn Gilbertson volunteered.

III. Information Only Items

A. SPECED 790A: NEUROBIOLOGY OF DYSLEXIA AND LANGUAGE BASED LEARNING DISABILITIES: Lynn Gilbertson moved to receive, which was seconded by Denise Roseland. Motion unanimously passed.

B. Volunteer needed for University Library Service Committee: Donna Vosburgh volunteered. Graduate council assented.

#### IV. Business Items

Praveen Parboteeah moved to approve items A1-A13. Shannon Stuart seconded and the motion unanimously passed.

##### A. College of Arts and Communication

- i. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **COMM 526: COMMUNICATION AND GENDER**
- ii. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **COMM 528: COMMUNICATION CONFLICT RESOLUTION**
- iii. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **COMM 538: VIDEO PRODUCTION III: CORPORATE AND COMMERCIAL MEDIA**
- iv. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **COMM 539: AUDIO III: STUDIO PRODUCTION**
- v. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **COMM 617: COMMUNICATION AND NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS**
- vi. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **COMM 624: CROSS CULTURAL COMMUNICATION**
- vii. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **COMM 627: COMMUNICATION TRAINING**
- viii. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **COMM 640: NEW COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES**
- ix. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **COMM 690: WORKSHOP**
- x. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **JOURNLSM 505: HISTORY OF MASS COMMUNICATION**
- xi. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **JOURNLSM 620: LAW OF MASS COMMUNICATION**
- xii. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **JOURNLSM 630: COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC OPINION**
- xiii. Curricular Action: Course Deactivation Proposal: **JOURNLSM 631: MASS COMMUNICATION IN SOCIETY**

##### B. Elect student representatives for the following positions:

- i. Audit and Review Committee: No nominations were made
- ii. Committee on Exception: No nominations were made

C. Graduate Research Awards - One representative per college needed on advisory committee: Lynn Gilberston moved to approve Jennifer Betters-Bubon, Sarah Hessenauer, Balaji Sankaranarayanan, and whomever is chosen from the Communication department. Corey Davis seconded and the motion unanimously passed.

V. Discussion

A. UWS 14 and UWS 17 procedures (academic and behavioral misconduct): Elizabeth Watson and Lisa Roth presented.

Corey Davis moved to adjourn, which was seconded by Denise Roseland. Motion passed and meeting was adjourned at 3:22 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruth Peterson  
Secretary