



Graduate Council Minutes

Date 9/16/2021 Start Time 3:33p Adjournment Time 5:11p Location Zoom (COVID-19)
 Type of Meeting Regular Special

CHAIR	Jeffrey Anderson
SECRETARY	Leigh Hersey
ATTENDEES	Stacie Austin, Chris Gissendanner, Keith Jackson, Seetharama Jois, Carlton Kilpatrick, Lon Pham, Rick Stevens, Anne Marie Sisk, Paul Sylvester, and Graduate School: Sushma Krishnamurthy
ABSENT	Kevin Baer, Wendy Bailes (excused), Susie Cox (excused), Jessica Dolecheck (excused)

AGENDA

PRELIMINARY, OLD BUSINESS, AND INITIAL BUSINESS	
	<p>A. Approval of August 2021 regular meeting minutes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Motion to APPROVE with by Paul Sylvester; second by Seetharama Jois (9-0) • Approved by Council <p>B. Approval of Revised April 2021 regular meeting public minutes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Motion to APPROVE by Leigh Hersey; second by Anne Marie Sisk (6-0) • Approved by Council
GRADUATE FACULTY RECOMMENDATIONS	
	Graduate faculty recommendations were reviewed and voting conducted. The Graduate School maintains the results of the recommendations in the Graduate School office and provides the results to the program chairs and faculty members.
STUDENT APPEALS	
	Student appeals were reviewed and voting conducted. The Graduate School maintains the results of the appeals in the Graduate School office and provides the results to the program chairs and the students.
NEW BUSINESS	
	<p>A. Review of Graduate Council Data Sheet</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Motion to RECOMMEND to Office of VPAA changes to data sheet by Rick Stevens; second by Seetharama Jois • Approved by Council (unanimous)

A. Thesis/Dissertation Approval Process

- Motion to APPROVE ETD Flow and review results at end of semester by Keith Jackson; second by Rick Stevens
- Approved by Council (unanimous)

Approved by **committee**/council chair **Yes** on 10/21/21