School of Graduate Studies

Graduate Council Minutes
January 22, 2009


The Minutes of 11/20/08 were approved. (Jackson/Roberts)

Dean’s Report:

- Janzow announced that decisions have been made to closer manage courses including class size, number of offerings, etc.

- The Graduate Office will be working more in developing digital formatting for capstone projects.

- Wording of the ‘C’ policy needs to be changed to include non-degree students.

- A preliminary admission status has been developed for international students entering the Intensive English Program.

GSAC Report (Pruett):

- The vice-president resigned from GSAC.

- Pruett noted that the last meeting was a social but they might move to an electronic meeting format. Those attending showed a high interest in a graduate student orientation.

Academic Standards Committee Report (Taylor):

- Committee is looking at policies and assembling a table comparing different institutions.

Assessment Committee Report (Judd):

- Committee is continuing to work on the report of capstone projects and hopes to have it completed shortly.

Curriculum Committee Report (Branscum):

- Committee reviewed agenda items and all were suitable for action.

Action Items:

Program Name Change from Community Counseling to Mental Health Counseling approved. (Branscum/Jackson)

Master of Science in Applied Management tabled. (Branscum/Roberts)
Courses **Approved** by Electronic Vote:

(November)
- CM510 Building Information Modeling
- EH520 History of Spain and Portugal
- FM554 Facilities Operation and Supervision
- NS605 Advanced Nursing Concepts
- NS625 Advanced Pharmacology
- NS628 Advanced Health Assessment
- TN563 Local Area Network Switching
- TN565 Network Management
- TN566 IP Telephony
- ZO666 Ornithology

(January)
- BA656 Applied Human Resource Management
- BI634 Marine Evolutionary Ecology
- BI638 Biogeography
- NS642 Advanced Roles Seminar
- ZO630 Invertebrate Zoology

The meeting adjourned at 10:00 a.m.