

Graduate Programs Committee &
University Graduate Council Minutes
September 3, 2024

Attendees: Rob Pinsker, Lauri Rebar, Art Sementelli, Elizabeth Villares, Raquel Assis, Marianne Porter, Beth King, Eric Berlatsky, Masoud Lashaki, David Newman, Audri Pabustan, Tobin Hindle, Precious Skinner-Osei.

Guests: Robert Stackman, Xie Zhixiao, Marie Claire De Massi, Stephen Steppe, Debra Szabo, Sigal Rubin, Marc Kantrow, Bridget Smith, Christine Kraft.

- I. Meeting was called to order by Dr. Art Sementelli, Chair, at 2:01pm
- II. Announcements/discussion items.
- III. Minutes from the August 20, 2024 UGC/GPC meeting were unanimously approved
- IV. Curricula items submitted for review and approval by GPC.
- V. Curricula slate approved by UGC
- VI. Meeting adjourned by Dr. Art Sementelli, Chair, at 3:38pm

Curriculum Document Type	Title	College (Department)	Action	Agenda
	Reviewers by College: Education, Engineering & Computer Science	Arts & Letters		
New Program	Graduate Certificate in Environmental Studies	Arts & Letters	A	Action
	Reviewers by College: Engineering & Computer Science, Business	Education		
Course Change	EDG 5705 Seminar in Multicultural Education	Education	AA	Consent
Course Change	EEX 7938 Seminar in Exceptional Student Education Leadership	Education	AA	Consent
Course Change	RED 6351 Developmental Reading	Education	A	Consent
Course Change	RED 6546 Reading Diagnosis	Education	A	Consent
Course Change	RED 6548 Remedial Reading	Education	A	Consent
Course Change	RED 6836 Reading Practicum	Education	A	Consent
Course Change	TSL 5142 Curriculum Development in TESOL & Bilingual Education	Education	AA	Consent
Course Change	TSL 5345 Methods of TESOL & Bilingual Education	Education	AA	Consent
Course Change	TSL 5440 Assessment Issues for ESOL and Bilingual Populations	Education	AA	Consent
Program Change	Master's degree in Educational Psychology	Education	AA	Consent

	Reviewers by College: Nursing	Medicine & Biomedical		
Program Change	Genomics and Predictive Health Certificate	Medicine	AA	Consent
	Reviewers by College: Arts & Letters, Education	Social Work & Criminal Justice		
Program Change	Criminology and Criminal Justice	Social Work & Criminal Justice	A	Catalog Committee
	Additional Items			
	Graduate College	Robert Stackman		

A. Arts & Letters

1. New Program: Graduate Certificate in Environmental Studies
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.

B. Education

2. Course Change: EDG 5705 Seminar in Multicultural Education
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as amended.
 - b) Approved, as amended.
3. Course Change: EEX 7938 Seminar in Exceptional Student Education Leadership
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as amended.
 - b) Approved, as amended.

Motion and second to bundle the following four items: RED 6351, RED 6546, RED 6548 & RED 6836

4. Course Change: RED 6351 Developmental Reading
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.
5. Course Change: RED 6546 Reading Diagnosis
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.
6. Course Change: RED 6548 Remedial Reading

- a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.
7. Course Change: RED 6836 Reading Practicum
- a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.

Motion and second to bundle the following three items: TSL 5142, TSL 5345 & TSL 5440

8. Course Change: TSL 5142 Curriculum Development in TESOL & Bilingual Education
- a) Motion and second to approve, as amended.
 - b) Approved, as amended.
9. Course Change: TSL 5345 Methods of TESOL & Bilingual Education
- a) Motion and second to approve, as amended.
 - b) Approved, as amended.
10. Course Change: TSL 5440 Assessment Issues for ESOL & Bilingual Populations
- a) Motion and second to approve, as amended.
 - b) Approved, as amended.
11. Program Change: Master's Degree in Educational Psychology
- a) Motion and second to approve, as amended.
 - b) Approved, as amended.

C. Medicine

12. Program Change: Genomics and Predictive Health Certificate
- a) Motion and second to approve, as amended.
 - b) Approved, as amended.

D. Social Work & Criminal Justice

13. Program Change: Criminology and Criminal Justice
- a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.

Dr Stackman, Graduate College Dean, thanked everyone for RSVPing to the upcoming EdVision informational/training sessions. Dean Stackman said he appreciates their support and feels strongly that this program will be an excellent way to track our graduate students.

Dr. Stackman was asked about the upcoming fellowships: Presidential and Graduate Dean. He said that the university currently have one per Ph.D. program and although he would like more, it is beyond his control and a frequent point of conversation with the provost.

