

Graduate Programs Committee (GPC)

- **Responsibilities:** The GPC shall review and recommend approval or, for cause, disapproval of proposed new graduate courses directly to the UFS. It shall also review and recommend approval or, for cause, disapproval of new graduate degree programs to the UFS. Committee action shall be communicated in writing to the college initiating the proposal for the new course or program. If disapproval is recommended, the specific grounds for action shall be included in the report.
- **Membership:** The GPC shall consist of one UGC graduate faculty member from each college offering graduate courses, and one member from the Library. In addition, the Dean for Graduate Studies shall be ex officio and non-voting. The Committee shall elect its chair from among the college members. The chair will be elected for a one-year term.
- **Meetings:** The Committee shall meet as often as is necessary to complete its business, but no less than monthly during the academic year.