

Graduate Council Agenda – 3:30 Thursday, November 14, 2024 Gail P. Gunter Room, John C. Fant Memorial Library

Present: Marty Brock, Brian Anderson, Kelly Woodford, Marty Hatton, Amanda Clay Powers, Dee Dee Larson, Shonda Phelon, Kendall Dunkelberg, Catherine Cotton, David Carter, Rachael Damms, Shannon Lucius

Via Zoom: Chad Murphy, Alena Groves, Shahara'Tova Dente, Irene Pintado

Absent: Beth Turner, Kelly Ballard, Chrystal Hodges, Brandy Larmon, Bob Fuller, Scott Tollison

I. New Curriculum

- Women's College
 - New Curriculums:
 - 1884 Graduate Scholar's
 - Required courses
 - 4 Women's Studies electives at the 500-level or above (12 hours)
 - 1884 Graduate Fellow's
 - Required courses-
 - 4 Women's Studies electives at the 500-level or above (12 hours)
 - 1 Women's College experiential learning or research course (3 hours)
 - WS 510 - Women's Leadership Internship
 - WS 599 - Women's Leadership Thesis
 - Program requirement (choose one)
 - A presentation to Women's College undergraduates of analysis by the student of how their experience in WS 510 - Women's Leadership Internship related to gender issues
 - A presentation to Women's College undergraduates of WS 599 - Women's Leadership Thesis
 - A presentation to Women's College undergraduates of how an approved Internship in the student's graduate program related to gender issues
 - A presentation to Women's College undergraduates of an approved Thesis or Independent Study in the student's graduate program

Kim Whitehead presented the curriculums. She noted an omission under the planning process: [specify action here] should read “subsequently considered the proposal and voted unanimously to forward it to Graduate Council for consideration.” She proposed that this program be available to all graduate students across all graduate programs. Marty Brock suggested these be looked at as a block for approval. The council agreed. Brian Anderson made a motion. David Carter seconded. All were in favor. None opposed.

- School of Education – Master of Education
 - New Curriculum:
 - Multiple Exceptionalities
 - Modify Courses:

- ED 516 - Understanding Gifted Populations
- ED 517 - Methods, Materials and Resources for Teaching the Gifted
- ED 530 - Affective and Social Needs of the Gifted
- ED 538 - Diversity and Inclusion in the Educational Setting
- ED 548 - Teaching in the Inclusion Classroom
- ED 595 - Program Development and Evaluation
- Current Catalog Courses (No Modifications):
 - ED 500 – Foundations of Educational Research
 - ED 554 – Exceptional Learners and Behavioral Management
 - ED 555 – Ethical and Legal Practices in Special Education
 - ED 592 – Capstone in Education

Marty Hatton presented the new curriculum. First motion to be brought forward, approve the curriculum: Master in Education for Multiple Exceptionalities. A motion was made by Amanda Clay Powers, seconded by Dee Dee Larson. All were in favor. Courses were brought forward in a block. Motion was made by Shonda Phelon and seconded by Catherine Cotton. All were in favor.

II. Other/Discussion

- Approve October minutes Amanda Clay Powers moved to accept the minutes from the October meeting. Kelly Woodford seconded. All were in favor.
- Bulletin 7.8 time limitation discussion Our current language is “six years from date first enrollment.” This discuss was tabled. Will discuss at next meeting
- Motion to adjourn made by Kelly Woodford. Seconded by David Carter.