

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA
GRADUATE COUNCIL MEETING
January 17, 2023
MINUTES**

All actions taken by the Graduate Council will have a twenty-one (21) day faculty protest period except for new courses, course changes, and petitions, which will be considered approved by the Graduate Faculty if no written protest is received in the Graduate College within seven (7) days.

Present: Randall Hewes, Sherri Irvin, Liz Karr, Elizabeth Butler, Ioana Cionea, Neil Houser, June Abbas, Brenda Salgado, Ashtyn Davis, Amit Baishya, Jay Jayaram, Samer Shehata (late).

Absent: Catalin Teodoriu (excused), Jake Dyke (excused), Allison Palmer (excused), Doyle Yoon (excused), Bryce Lowery, Eric Lee, Nikko Casil.

Guests: Jennifer Davis Cline, Dan Hamlin, Karen Hennes, Paul Spicer, Kim Mahre, Kristi Meyers, Stephanie Powers.

Description of General Business

The minutes from the December 6, 2023 council meeting were unanimously approved.

Program Modifications and Proposals

- Business - Online Accounting, M. Acc. - new option proposal was unanimously approved.
- Arts and Sciences - Anthropology Sociocultural & Linguistics, Ph.D. - program requirement change was unanimously approved.
- Arts and Sciences - Health and Exercise Science Exercise Physiology, Ph.D. - program requirement change was unanimously approved.
- Arts and Sciences - Cellular & Behavioral Neurobiology Exercise Physiology, Ph.D. - program requirement change was unanimously approved.
- Arts and Sciences - History, M.A. - program requirement change was unanimously approved.
- Arts and Sciences - History, Ph.D. - program requirement change was unanimously approved.
- Education – Education Administration Curriculum Supervision, Ed.D. – program requirement change was tabled until February.

Discussion Items

A Member-at-large graduate faculty (RM3) appointment was approved for Dr. Harold R. Mortimer.

Reports

No guest from the OU Health Sciences Center Graduate Council attended the Norman Campus Graduate Council.

No Council members attended the Faculty Senate in December and no report was provided.

Ashtyn Davis volunteered to attend the February 12 Faculty Senate meeting.

Council members interested in volunteering should contact Francesca Giani.

The following course modifications and proposals have been approved by the Graduate Council and will be forwarded to the Provost's Office for further approval after the seven (7) day protest period. Only brief information regarding approved changes follows; however, original course change proposals will be on file in the Graduate College through the seven-day protest period if you have questions or concerns about any of the following. Please contact the Graduate Council Secretary, Francesca Giani, at 405-325-3811, if you wish to review any of these materials.

EDAH 5583. New course proposal.

EDSC 5523. Change in title, description.

EDUC 6223. Change in number, credit hours.

EMBA 5462. New course proposal.

EMBA 5471. New course proposal.

JMC 5513. New course proposal.

S WK 5563. New course proposal.

S WK 5883. New course proposal.

With no further business, the meeting adjourned at 3:19 p.m. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be February 7, 2024.

DISTRIBUTION DATE: January 19, 2024

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