

GRADUATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES  
MARCH 30, 2017  
MEETING LOCATION: 3007 CONVERSE

Present: Jennifer Beal Alvarez, Luis Bejarano, Serey Bright, Maren Clegg-Hyer, Herb Fiester, Matthew Grant, Dixie Haggard, Carl Hand (for Anne Price), Kelly Heckaman, Lyle Indergaard, James LaPlant, Jim Loughry, Jerry Merwin, Linda Most, David Nelson, Mel Schnake. Guests: Shirley Andrews, Darrell Ross, Samantha Hartman, Rebecca Petrella, Teresa Williams

The meeting was called to order by Dr. James LaPlant at 2:03 pm.

Minutes from February 16, 2017 were approved.

Spring nominations for Full Graduate Faculty Status were approved.

Graduate School

Revised Catalog Copy (2): Motion was made to approve; seconded. The first proposal updated the language in the catalog regarding thesis and dissertation submission to a dedicated email address and included new instructions for optional binding of approved theses and dissertations. The second proposal added Accelerated (4 + 1) Program information for enrollment by undergraduates in graduate courses. Students will need to take at least 21 hours to be awarded the master's degree in this program. The proposals were approved.

College of Arts & Sciences

Curriculum Change; Revised Catalog Copy – BA in Sociology & Anthropology: These were

Curriculum Change – MED Early Childhood Education; Revised Course: ECED 7540: Motion was made to approve; seconded. Shirley Andrews said that the proposal corrected titles and added electives, including a Path Tier-1 elective. The proposals were approved.

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