

Graduate Committee Meeting

Agenda

December 2, 2016

10:00 am – 12:00 pm

A. CALL TO ORDER

Attendance:

The following committee members and support were present in Harlingen:

Michael Abebe, COBE

Alley Butler, CECS

David Fisher, CLA

Sandra Hansmann, CHA

Laura Jewett, CEP16

Jerzy Mogilski, COS

Dave Jackson, Graduate College-Ex Officio

Sylvia Saenz, Graduate College

Donna Jackson, Office of Deputy Provost

Rosie Peña, Office of Deputy Provost

Andrew Portner, University Library

The following visitors were present in Harlingen:

Ben Brown, CLA

Audrey Jones, CHA

Thomas White, CLA

The following visitors were present in Brownsville:

Veronica Ramirez, Graduate College

Selma Yznaga, CEP

The following visitors were present in Edinburg:

Gerald Hughes, COBE

Bill Zwering, CFA

B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

C. REVIEW OF TABLED SUBMISSIONS

a. College of Liberal Arts

1. Criminal Justice

- Revise Admission Requirements

Notes:	Presenter Dr. White
Motion:	Approved with 2 abstentions Dr. Fisher & Dr. Jewett
1st and 2nd:	Dr. Abebe Dr. Mogilski

- Revise Degree Plan
- **Add: CRWT 6353**
DELETE CRIJ 6300

Notes:	Presenter Dr. White
Motion:	Approved with
1st and 2nd:	Dr. Butler Mr. Portner

D. REVIEW OF NEW SUBMISSIONS

a. College of Education and P-16 Integration

1. Counseling and Guidance

- Change Specialization Name
- REVISE COUN 6367

Notes:	Presenter Dr. Yznaga
Motion:	Unanimously Approved
1st and 2nd:	Dr. Jewett Dr. Abebe

2. Human Development and School Services-Tabled

- REVISE EPSY 6320

Notes:	
Motion:	
1st and 2nd:	

b. College of Fine Arts

1. Creative Writing Program

- Change course prefix from CRWT to ENGL

Notes:	Presenter Dr. Zwerling
Motion:	Unanimously Approved
1st and 2nd:	Dr. Butler Mr. Portner

c. College of Health Affairs

1. Physician Assistant Studies

- Revise Application Deadline-Does not need committee approval
- Revise Admission Requirements
- Revise Grading Policy-removed for today

Notes:	Presenter Dr. Audrey Jones
Motion:	Unanimously Approved
1st and 2nd:	Dr. Butler Dr. Abebe

d. College of Business and Entrepreneurship

1. Business Administration (MBA)

- New Specialization in Business Analytics
- New Graduate Certificate in Business Analytics

Notes:	Presenter Dr. Hughes
Motion:	Unanimously Approved
1st and 2nd:	Dr. Abebe Dr. Butler

- ADD: INFS 6351, INFS 6352, QUMT 6350
- REVISE: INFS 6350

Notes:	Presenter Dr. Hughes
Motion:	Unanimously Approved
1st and 2nd:	Dr. Butler Dr. Mogilski

E. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

- The chair's signature signifies s/he has reviewed the proposal. A proposal can proceed to the Graduate

Committee for review without a chair's signature. However, it is recommended that a memo explaining the lack of signature be attached to the proposal. The fundamental point is that administration is not in support of one individual blocking a proposal voted on by faculty from consideration.

- Meetings in Spring 1st Friday of month. No January meeting.