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TO: Graduate Studies Council Members

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GUESTS: Said AbuBakr, Chair, Department of Paper Engineering, Chemical Engineering, & Imaging
Magdalena Niewiadomska-Bugaj, Chair, Department of Statistics

FROM: Mark Wheeler, Chair, Graduate Studies Council

SUBJECT: Meeting Notice and Proposed Agenda

GRADUATE STUDIES COUNCIL
Thursday, 22 October 2009, 3 p.m.
Faculty Lounge, Bernhard Center

PROPOSED AGENDA

Procedural Items

1. Welcome and introductions
2. Acceptance of the agenda
3. Approval of the minutes of 24 September

Discussion/Action Items

1. Curriculum proposal: Department of Paper Engineering, Chemical Engineering, and Imaging – Accelerated Degree Program (ADP): Master of Science in Paper and Imaging Science and Engineering [CEAS-09-37-PCI] – *Said AbuBakr, Chair*
2. Curriculum proposal: Department of Statistics – Create new interdisciplinary graduate certificate in Applied Statistics [CAS 610] – *Magdalena Niewiadomska-Bugaj, Chair*
3. Discussion of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan

Informational Items

1. Report of the Graduate Dean – *Lewis Pyenson*
2. Report of the Provost – *Eileen Evans*
3. Report of the Council Chair – *Mark Wheeler*
4. Report of the Graduate Student Advisory Committee Chair – *Brandi Pritchett*
5. Report of GSC Committee Chairs

Adjournment

Elected council members who cannot attend a meeting of the Graduate Studies Council are asked to send a substitute of their choice who also represents their respective college. Non-elected members are not restricted as to whom they may designate to substitute for them.