

19 May 2010

TO: Graduate Studies Council Members

Said AbuBakr	Bruce Ferrin	William Rantz
Michele Behr	Leigh Ford	Joel Raveloharimisy
Gary Bischof	Louann Bierlein Palmer	David Reinhold (for Provost Tim Greene)
Christine Byrd-Jacobs	Brandi Pritchett	David Smith
Amy Curtis	Lewis Pyenson	

FROM: Mark Wheeler, Chair, Graduate Studies Council

SUBJECT: Meeting Notice and Proposed Agenda

GRADUATE STUDIES COUNCIL
Thursday, 27 May 2010, 3 p.m.
Faculty Lounge, Bernhard Center

PROPOSED AGENDA

Procedural Items

1. Welcome and introduction of new members
2. Acceptance of the agenda
3. Approval of the minutes of 22 April 2010

Action Items

1. Election of Council Officers for 2010-11 – Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary
2. Curriculum Proposal: Deletion of M.S.E. in Materials Science and Engineering [CEAS-10-30-CEAS revised] – *Edmund Tsang, Associate Dean, College of Engineering and Applied Sciences*
3. Curriculum Proposal: Creation of Accelerated Bachelors/Masters Program in Computer Science [CEAS-10-03-CS revised] – *Donald Nelson, Chair, Department of Computer Science*
4. Curriculum Proposal: New degree and curriculum, Doctor of Philosophy in Engineering and Applied Sciences [CEAS-10-24-CEAS] – *Osama Abudayyeh, Associate Dean, College of Engineering and Applied Sciences*

Reports

1. Report of the Graduate Dean – *Lewis Pyenson*
2. Report of the Provost – *David Reinhold*
3. Report of the Council Chair – *Mark Wheeler*
4. Report of the Graduate Student Advisory Committee Chair – *Brandi Pritchett*

Discussion/Informational Items

1. Discussion of the Graduate Student Teaching Awards – *Louann Bierlein Palmer*
2. Discussion of the Graduate Student Research Awards – *Michele Behr*
3. Remarks of the Graduate Dean – *Lewis Pyenson*

Other Business

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.