Graduate Council Meeting Minutes
E-Vote
August 2017

1. **New Course Request:**
The following new course requests were approved by Graduate Council:
   a. SPSY 627 Culturally Responsive Interventions: Models for Making Cultural Adaptations to Interventions
   b. VIBS 642 Histological Research Methods
   c. VIBS 676 Speciation Biology and Genetics
   d. VPAT 654 Fundamentals in Laboratory Animal Medicine
   e. VPAT 655 Contemporary Topics in Laboratory Animal Medicine

   The following new course requests were tabled by Graduate Council:
   a. ASTRO 600 Order-of-Magnitude Astrophysics
   b. CHEN 645 Fundamentals of Catalysis with Applications (*tabled by July GC; Rolledback*)
   c. STAT 624 Databases and Computational Tools Used in Big Data

2. **Course Change Requests:**
The following course change request was approved by Graduate Council:
   a. MARB 607 Research and Conservation in Greece; Dolphins, Fisheries and Cultural Heritage

   The following course change request was tabled by Graduate Council:
   b. WFSC 627 Ecological Risk Assessment (*tabled by July GC; Rolledback*)

3. **Miscellaneous Request**
The following miscellaneous request was approved by Graduate Council:
   a. Prefix Change Request: UG/GR Courses NUTR/FSTC to NFSC

4. **Special Consideration Items**
The following special consideration item was approved by Graduate Council:
   a. Request to Remove the GRE/GMAT Requirement from the METM Admission Requirement