

In attendance: Mark Zoran, Nicole Kinslow, Dennis Jansen, Maria Irene Moyna, Carmelita Pickett, David Reed, Nancy Duran, Doug Eckel, Bryan Maggard, Matthew Pariyothorn, Sandra Williams, Leslie Feigenbaum, Dick Haney, Leonard Bright, Patricia Hurley, Kimberly Vannesst, Brittany Bounds, Kristen Pullen, R. Saravanan, Joelle Muenich

1. Discussion Items

- a. Curricular Request Processing
 - i. A committee has been charged with reviewing procedures and bottlenecks associated with curricular request processing.
- b. Graduate Council Bylaws
 - i. Dr. Mark Zoran will draft bylaws and put on a future agenda for approval by Graduate Council.

2. New Course Requests:

The following new course requests were approved by Graduate Council:

- a. AGEC 639 Comparative Global Standard in Food Systems
- b. ANTH 608 Skills in Maritime Archaeology
- c. CVEN 612 Tools for Highway Materials and Pavement Design
- d. ECEN 764 Medical Imaging
- e. ECON 675 Capstone for Financial Economics/Financial Econometrics
- f. HISP 668 Modern Latin American Poetry from 1850-2010
- g. NUEN 640 Severe Accident Analysis of Nuclear Facilities
- h. PETE 658 Energy and Sustainability
- i. PHIL 624 Latin American Philosophy
- j. PLPA 604 Plant Bacterial Diseases
- k. PLPA 605 Molecular Plant Virology
- l. PLPA 606 Fungal Biology
- m. PLPA 607 Pathogen Strategies
- n. PLPA 608 Pathogen Perception and Signaling
- o. PLPA 609 Defense Hormone Signals
- p. PSAA 619 U.S. Urban Policy and Management
- q. SEFB 630 Practicum in Applied Behavior Analysis
- r. SEFB 631 Intensive Practicum in Applied Behavior Analysis

3. Course Change Requests:

The following course change requests were approved by Graduate Council:

- a. CVEN 601 Environmental Engineering Processes III
- b. CVEN 620 Environmental Engineering Processes II
- c. ECEN 681 Seminar
- d. ENGL 697 Pedagogy
- e. HISP 600 Introduction to Hispanic Studies
- f. HISP 601 Research Theory and Writing
- g. HISP 606 Spanish in the United States
- h. HISP 607 Seminar in Spanish Linguistics
- i. HISP 614 Spanish Dialectology
- j. HISP 618 Hispanic Folklore and Popular Culture
- k. HISP 620 Studies in Critical Thinking
- l. HISP 630 Studies in Latin American Literature
- m. HISP 640 History of Ideas in the Hispanic World

- n. HISP 646 Cultural Encounter and Borders from Baroque to the Present
- o. HISP 650 Methods of Study in Spanish Linguistics
- p. HISP 660 Reading and Research in Hispanic Cultural Studies
- q. HISP 664 Hispanic Theatre
- r. HISP 665 Studies in Spanish Literature
- s. HISP 667 Hispanic Genre Studies
- t. HISP 670 Studies in U.S. Hispanic Literature
- u. HISP 672 Hispanic Film and Performance Arts
- v. HISP 685 Directed Studies
- w. HISP 689 Special Topics in
- x. HISP 691 Research
- y. MARS 620 International Environmental Business Transactions
- z. MARS 675 Environmental Management Strategies for Scientist

4. Special Consideration Items:

The following special consideration items were approved by Graduate Council:

- a. Proposal for New MS in Maritime Archaeology and Conservation
- b. Joint Degree Program with Environmental Geosciences and Oceanography
- c. 5-Year BS/MS in Economics Degree Proposal
- d. 5-Year Degree Program MARA/MMAL
- e. Degree Proposal for Master of Maritime Administration and Logistics

5. Informational Items:

The following information was provided to Graduate Council:

- a. HISP Graduate Program Reform