



February 5, 2015

In attendance: Mark Zoran, LaRhessa Johnson, Darcy McMaughan, Kristin Pullen, Robert Hetland, Charles Ridley, Leonard Bright, John Criscione, Leslie Feigenbaum, Patricia Hurley, Sandra Williams, Karen Butler-Purry, Jana Corely, Rosana Moreira, Nicole Kinslow, Larry Bellinger, Michael Wesson, Julie Olazabal

**1. Discussion Items**

- a. English language proficiency requirements – OGAPS will work on streamlining a process for programs that request a high number of waivers regularly. This will be handled on a case by case basis.
- b. Catalog review and approval

**2. New Course Requests:**

*The following new course requests were approved by Graduate Council:*

- a. AGEC 608 Economics of Foreign Intervention, Conflict, and Development
- b. AGEC 642 Dynamic Optimization in Agricultural and Applied Economics
- c. BICH 678 Metal Ions
- d. EPSY 633 Qualitative Research Design and Data Collection
- e. GEOG 634 Hydrology and Environment (*tabled at December GC meeting*)
- f. ISEN 665 Management of Engineering Systems
- g. ISEN 670 Theory of Socio- Technical Systems
- h. NUEN 657 Emergency Response Dose Assessment
- i. OCNG 655 Experimental Design and Analysis in Oceanography
- j. VSCS 697 Teaching Anatomy Lab (*tabled at December GC meeting*)

**3. Course Change Requests:**

*The following course change requests were approved by Graduate Council:*

- a. HPCH 670 Seminar in History and Context of Public Health
- b. HPCH 671 Seminar in Public Health Theory
- c. HPCH 672 Seminar in Public Health Interventions
- d. HPCH 673 Seminar in Public Health Evaluation
- e. HPCH 674 Seminar in Social and Behavior Health
- f. HPCH 685 Directed Study
- g. HPCH 686 Directed Research
- h. HPCH 689 Special Topics- Health Promotion & Community Health Science
- i. PHEB 685 Directed Study
- j. PHEB 686 Directed Research
- k. PHEB 689 Special Topics- Epidemiology and Biostatistics
- l. PHEO 685 Directed Study
- m. PHEO 686 Directed Research
- n. PHEO 689 Special Topics- Environmental and Occupational Health
- o. PHPM 685 Directed Study
- p. PHPM 686 Directed Research
- q. PHPM 689 Special Topics- Health Policy and Management
- r. WMHS 601 Applications and Problems in Hydrological Sciences (*tabled at December GC meeting*)

**4. Special Consideration Items**

*The following special consideration item was removed from the Graduate Council's agenda.*

- a. MS HRM Saudi Arabia Program – English Language Proficiency Waiver (*tabled at December GC Meeting*)

*The following special consideration item was disapproved by the Graduate Council.*

- b. Executive and Professional MBA Programs – English Language Proficiency Waiver (*tabled at December GC Meeting*)

**5. Informational Items:**

*The following informational items require no action from Graduate Council:*

- i. **New Course Request**
- ii. MEID            807    Internship Bootcamp