In attendance: Jessica Alvarado, Jeff Hatala, Warren Zimmer, Jane Walsh, Sandra Williams, Arwen Meador, Eric Rigg, Jess Fitzsimmon, Beverly Irby, Dr. Karen Butler–Purry, Rachel Krolczyk, Russell Ramirez, Marisa Biordi, Mark Zoran, George Cunningham, Patricia Klein, Rosana Moreira, Leslie Feigenbaum, Steve Riechman, Paula Sullenger, Leonard Bright

1. Discussion Items
   The following discussion items require no action by the May 2016 Graduate Council.
   a. Deadline for 2016-2017 Catalog – November

   Consent Agenda
   The following discussion items are approved by the May 2016 Graduate Council.

   New Course Requests
   b. ANSC 651 Current Issues in Animal Agriculture
   c. ANTH 666 The Neanderthals
   d. BAEN 623 Nanotechnology in Food Processing
   e. PETE 647 Petroleum Thermodynamics

   Course Change Requests
   a. ALEC 621 Methods of Online Survey Research in Agricultural Science
   b. PHPM 624 Health Care Management II
   c. PHPM 640 Health Policy Politics
   d. PHPM 645 Critical Issues in Health Policy
   e. PHPM 654 Health Insurance and Managed Care
   f. PHPM 668 Applied Health Services Research I
   g. PHPM 669 Applied Health Services Research II
   h. PHPM 674 Secondary Analysis of Health Data
   i. PHPM 680 Health Systems Leadership
   j. PHPM 684 Practicum

2. New Course Requests:
   The following new course request items were approved by the May 2016 Graduate Council:
   a. FILM 694 Gender & Genre
   b. NRSC 690 Theory of Research (Tabled from April 2016 Meeting)
   c. PHPM 681 Seminar
   d. PSYC 675 Clinical Psychology and the Legal System
   e. WGST 694 Gender & Genre

   The following new course request items were tabled by the May 2016 Graduate Council
   a. BIOL 683 Experimental Design in Biology
   b. BMEN 658 Motion Biomechanics
   c. EDCI 715 Academic Writing for International Graduate Students
   d. EDCI 752 21st Century Integration of Theory in Educational Settings
   e. FSTC 623 Nanotechnology in Food Processing
   f. PETE 651 Probabilistic Reserves Evaluation
g. PETE 652  Deterministic Reserves Evaluation

The following new course request items were sent back to GIC for review
a. FINC 606  Options, Future, and Other Derivatives (Tabled from April 2016 Meeting)
b. FINC 651  Financial Valuation (Tabled from April 2016 Meeting)

3. Course Change Requests:
The following course change request items were approved by the May 2016 Graduate Council
a. SCMT 610  Business Analytics

The following course change request items were tabled by the May 2016 Graduate Council
a. CVEN 684  Professional Internship
b. GENE 608  Critical Analysis of GENE Literature

4. Curriculum Change Requests
The following curriculum change request items were approved by the May 2016 Graduate Council
a. INFO  Certificate in Supply Chain Management

5. Special Consideration Requests:
The following special consideration item were approved by the May 2016 Graduate Council:
b. CLEN- Industrial Engineering- Industrial Data Analytics Certificate Proposal
c. COALS-M.S. and Ph.D. in Horticulture Science- CIP Code Change
d. School of Law- Approval of New Graduate Courses for New Graduate Programs
e. CLGE- Master of Science in Geology and Geophysics and Master of Geoscience- Distance Education
f. M.S. in Kinesiology & M.S. in Nutrition- Proposal for Simultaneous Two-Degree Program (Tabled from April 2016 Meeting)

6. Informational Items:
The following informational items require no action from the May 2016 Graduate Council:

a. TAMU School of Law- Inactivation of Law School Courses
b. TAMU School of Law-First Professional Programs – CLSL- Courses- April 2016
   i. Course Changes
   1. LAW 7104  Advanced Torts
   2. LAW 7108  Accounting for Lawyer
   3. LAW 7112  The Art of Lawyering
   4. LAW 7114  Adoption Law
   5. LAW 7154  Children and the Law
   6. LAW 7174  Trusts and Fiduciary Responsibility
   7. LAW 7179  Complex Litigation
   8. LAW 7187  Conflict of Laws
   9. LAW 7205  Art Law
   10. LAW 7290  Estate and Gift Tax
   11. LAW 7302  Federal Courts
   12. LAW 7310  Non-Profit Organizations
   13. LAW 7371  International Business Transactions
   14. LAW 7383  Juvenile Justice
15. LAW 7401  Land Use  
16. LAW 7408  Energy Law  
17. LAW 7416  Legislation  
18. LAW 7435  Mergers & Acquisitions  
19. LAW 7438  Natural Resources Law  
20. LAW 7440  Insurance Law  
21. LAW 7458  Preparing for the Bar  
22. LAW 7484  Remedies  
23. LAW 7533  Texas Real Property  
24. LAW 7550  Trademark & Unfair Competition Law  
25. LAW 7557  Sales and Leases  
26. LAW 7588  Elder Law  
27. LAW 7725  Texas Criminal Law Practicum  
28. LAW 7865S  Family Law and Benefits Clinic  

7. Returned from Faculty Senate  
a. CSCE 651  Software Reverse Engineering – additional explanation needed for difference in the 451 and 651 versions of the course