

In attendance: Arnold Vedlitz, Jane Welsh, LaRhesa Johnson, Dawn Jourdan, Rosana Moreira, Russell Ramirez, Karen Butler-Purry, Larry Bellinger, Kathie Smith, Juan Rodriguez, Leonard Bright, Sandra Williams, George Cunningham, Angela Allensworth, Jeff Hatala, Warren Zimmer, Chrissy Wederouhl, Mark Zoran, Sharon Dormire, Mike Shaub, Dave Potter, Nicole Kinslow, Paula Sullenger, Kirsten Pullen, Angel Carrizales,

1. New Course Requests:

The following new course requests were approved by the September 2016 Graduate Council

- a. MARS 656 Coastal Water Policy

The following new course requests were tabled by the September 2016 Graduate council

- a. CHEN 656 Advanced Process Chemical Optimization (*Tabled from July and August 2016 Meeting*)
- b. CHEN 676 Sustainable Design through Process Integration (*Tabled from July, August, & Sept. 2016 Meeting*)
- c. ICPE 681 Seminar (*Tabled from July and August 2016 Meeting*)
- d. MGMT 627 Developing Leadership Talent (*Tabled from August 2016 Meeting*)

2. Course Change Requests:

The following course change requests were approved by September 2016 Graduate Council

- a. ANTH 680 Teaching Anthropology
- b. CVEN 604 Engineering Analysis of Treatment Systems
- c. ECEN 762 Ultrasound Imaging Techniques

3. Curriculum Change Requests:

The following curriculum change requests were approved by September 2016 Graduate Council

- a. MMAL – B.S. in Maritime Administration and Masters in Maritime Administration and Logistics 3+2 Non Thesis
- b. MMAL – B.S. in Maritime Administration and Masters in Maritime Administration and Logistics 3+2 Thesis

4. Special Consideration Requests:

The following special consideration items were approved by the September 2016 Graduate Council

- a. CLDN – Request Name Change of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Certificate
- b. ALEC – Certificate in Extension Education
- c. ALEC – Certificate in Advance Pedagogy in Agriculture.
- d. CLEN – Distance Education Master of Engineering in Systems Engineering (SYEN) (*Tabled until September 2016 by the June 2016 Graduate Council*)
- e. CLBA – Proposal for Change in Course Prefix Designation (*Tabled until September 2016 by the June 2016 Graduate Council*)
- f. COALS – Request to change RPTS Existing Degree Program CIP Code (*Tabled until September 2016 Meeting by August 2016 Graduate Council*)
- g. CLEN – Request for a Waiver for GRE scores for Texas A&M Degree Holders in Engineering (*Tabled until September 2016 by the June 2016 Graduate Council*)
- h. CLEN – Request to Waive Final Exam Requirement for select Master of Engineering Programs (*Tabled until September 2016 Meeting by August 2016 Graduate Council*)

- i. CLEN – The Master of Computer Science program request approval to allow students to be exempt from the final exam *(Tabled until September 2016 Meeting by August 2016 Graduate Council)*

The following special consideration items were tabled by the September 2016 Graduate Council

- a. Department of Nuclear Engineering – Certificate in Nuclear Security
- b. CLGE – Fast Track Dual Degree Program for the B.S. in Geophysics and the non-thesis Master of Ocean Science and Technology (MOST) *(Tabled until September 2016 by the June 2016 Graduate Council)*
- c. COALS – Request to Include Zero Credit Hours in Existing Courses *(Tabled until September 2016 by the June 2016 Graduate Council)*
- d. CLLA & BUSH – Joint Certification in International Communication and Public Diplomacy *(Tabled until September 2016 Meeting by August 2016 Graduate Council)*