

THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MILWAUKEE

GRADUATE FACULTY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

Monday, May 7, 2018

3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

Jennifer Balogh	Peninnah Kako
John Boyland (<i>Vice Chair</i>)	Jenny Kehl
Michael Brondino	Elana Levine
Jennifer Clippert	Jason Puskar, <i>Chair</i>
Garry Davis	Mark Schwartz
Peter Dunn	Arijit Sen
Kyle Ebersole	Richard Smiraglia
Erin Fox, (<i>Ex Officio</i>)	Leigh Wallace
Marija Gajdardziska-Josifovska, (<i>Ex Officio</i>)	Stephen Wetzel
Craig Guilbault	Erin Winkler (<i>Secretary</i>)
Tracey Heatherington, (<i>Ex Officio</i>)	Lixia Zhang
Reed Heintzkill	Cheng Zheng

III. ANNOUNCEMENTS

IV. AUTOMATIC CONSENT

A. Minutes of the Graduate Faculty Committee Meeting of **April 16, 2018**

B. Program Changes

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| 1. Doctor of Nursing Practice (OPC #2540) | GFC Doc. No. 1525 |
| 2. Graduate Certificate in Interpreting (OPC #2535) | GFC Doc. No. 1526 |
| 3. Certificate in Geographic Information Systems (OPC #2547) | GFC Doc. No. 1527 |
| 4. Doctor of Philosophy in Africology (OPC #2545) | GFC Doc. No. 1528 |
| 5. Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health (Biostatistics Concentration) (OPC #2508) | GFC Doc. No. 1532 |
| 6. Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health (CBHP Concentration) (OPC #2508) | GFC Doc. No. 1533 |
| 7. Master of Public Health (OPC #2368) | GFC Doc. No. 1534 |
| 8. Doctor of Philosophy in Environmental Sciences (OPC #2531) | GFC Doc. No. 1535 |

C. New Degree, Certificate, or Concentration

- Request for Authorization to Implement a Doctor of Occupational Therapy Degree
(PLEASE NOTE: Feedback due from Deans on May 3, 2018. Will be pulled from agenda if objections are received from Deans.)
GFC Doc. No. 1529
- Proposal from the School of Education to Establish an Undergraduate Global Educator Certificate
GFC Doc. No. 1530
- Recommendation of the Helen Bader School of Social Welfare's Social Work Faculty to Establish an Academic Program Track Leading to Baccalaureate and Master's Degrees in Social Work

GFC Doc. No. 1536

D. Graduate Program Review

Film MFA

GFC Doc. No. 1524

E. Curricular Area Codes

1. African and African Diaspora Studies (AFRIC)

Description of curricular area and relationship to academic programs:

The curricular area contains all undergraduate and graduate courses under the soon to be renamed Department of African and African Diaspora Studies.

Reason for change:

Department name has changed.

Other departments and curricular areas that may be affected:

None.

F. Policy Updates

1. Review of Certificate Programs (GFC Doc. No. 1360)
2. Recommendation of the Graduate Curriculum Committee to Establish Transcript-Designated Degree Concentrations (GFC Doc. No. 878)

V. INFORMATION ONLY

Recommendation of the Department of Africology and the L&S Academic Planning and Governance Committee to Change the Name of the Africology Department to the Department of African and African Diaspora Studies

GFC Doc. No. 1531

VI. ELECTION OF CHAIR

VII. GFC BUSINESS DURING THE SUMMER

Consider a motion to permit the GFC Chair to conduct urgent business on behalf of the Committee related to minor GCC program approvals during the summer.

VIII. SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

The Graduate Faculty Committee recommends to the Board of Regents for the respective graduate degrees those students whose names are submitted by the Dean of the Graduate School as having completed degree requirements by the end of the Spring Term and Summer 2017 - 18.

IX. CONTINUING BUSINESS

- A. Graduate Faculty Governance Charters
- B. Integrated Bachelor's / Master's Program Policy

X. REPORTS

- A. Report from the Dean of the Graduate School
- B. Chair's Report
- C. GFC representatives on other standing committees
 - Physical Environment Committee
 - Academic Planning and Budget Committee
 - Academic Policy Committee
 - Research Policy and Advisory Committee
 - Graduate Assistant Appeals Panel

- Policy Working Group

XI. OTHER BUSINESS

XII. ADJOURNMENT