

Graduate Council Minutes
January 28, 2015

Call to Order: Dr. Barry Bequette called the meeting to order at 3:00 p.m. Other members in attendance were Dr. Kwabena Agyepong, Dr. Sandra Barnes, Ms. LaWanda Baskin, Dr. Malinda B. Butler, Dr. Daniel Collins, Dr. Akash Dania, Dr. S. Lynn Etheridge, Dr. Dickson Idusuyi, Dr. Larry Konecky, Dr. Ivory Lyles, Dr. Keith McGee, Ms. Julia Odom, Dr. Babu Patlolla, Dr. Bettaiya Rajanna, Ms. Lula Russell, and Dr. Lixin Yu.

Reading and Approval of Minutes: The Graduate Council minutes were not available for review and approval.

New Business

- a) **Review of Graduate Faculty Criteria and Appointment Procedures:** Dr. Barry Bequette discussed the Graduate Faculty Criteria and Appointment procedures and distributed copies to member of the Graduate Council. Dr. Bequette passed out a list of Non-Member Graduate Faculty who are listed to teach for the spring semester 2015 and asked department chairs to submit applications for approval by the next Graduate Council meeting.
- b) **Graduate Faculty** – Listed below are names of applicants who applied for graduate faculty membership and were approved by Graduate Council members:

School of AREAS

Dr. Masound M. Beitollahi, Advanced Technologies DepartmentASU Professional Affiliate

School of Arts and Sciences

Dr. Yolanda K. Jones, Chemistry Department ASU Full Member

Dr. David Goldblatt, Fine Arts Department..... ASU Associate Member

Dr. Byron Johnson, Fine Arts Department ASU Associate Member

Dr. Lawrence Konecky, Fine Arts Department ASU Full Member

Dr. David Miller, Fine Arts Department..... ASU Full Member

Dr. Renardo Murray, Fine Arts Department..... ASU Associate Member

School of Business

Dr. Akash Dania, School of Business..... ASU Full Member

Dr. Zulfiqar Dogar, School of Business..... ASU Professional Affiliate

Department of Education and Psychology

Dr. Cenovia Burnes, Department of Education and Psychology.....ASU Professional Affiliate

Dr. S. Lynn Etheridge, Department of Education and Psychology ASU Associate Member

Dr. Sarai M. Johnson, Department of Education and Psychology.....ASU Professional Affiliate

Dr. Cheryl Kariuki, Department of Education and Psychology ASU Associate Member

Dr. Tracy K. Lackey, Department of Education and Psychology ASU Full Member

Dr. Ethel Lassiter, Department of Education and PsychologyASU Professional Affiliate

Dr. Sophia S. L. Marshall, Department of Education and Psychology ASU Full Member

Mr. Joey J. Mitchell, Department of Education and PsychologyASU Professional Affiliate

Dr. John Walls, Department of Education and Psychology.....ASU Professional Affiliate

School of Nursing

- Dr. Janelle R. Baker, School of Nursing ASU Full Member
- Ms. LaWanda Baskin, School of NursingASU Professional Affiliate
- Ms. Natalie Royal, School of NursingASU Professional Affiliate
- Dr. Geraldine Q. Young, School of Nursing ASU Associate Member

The Graduate Council recommended the following changes to the Application for Membership on the Graduate Faculty:

- Adjunct under Academic Rank
 - Highest Degree Earned
- c) Graduate Formula for Master of Science in Secondary Education – Non-Teaching Athletic Administration & Coaching. **Item tabled until next meeting.**
- d) Writing Proficiency.....Dr. Johnny Thomas – **Item tabled until next meeting.**
- e) Writing Proficiency for Master of Science in Secondary Education – School Counseling & Clinical Mental Health Counseling.....Dr. S. Lynn Etheridge

Dr. Etheridge presented an online course, English 099, to the Graduate Council members to be used by Department of Education to satisfy the Writing Proficiency requirement. The Graduate Council members approved the online writing course, English 099.

- f) Specialist ProgramDr. Malinda Butler
The Department of Education and Psychology is requesting that when a National Board Certified teacher is accepted into the Specialist program that student take six hours of 600 level elective courses instead of completing a thesis. The Graduate Council members approved the request.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 3:50 p.m.