Graduate Council Meeting Minutes
140 Toomey Hall
12:00pm Wednesday, January 20, 2016


President Steven Corns called the meeting to order, 12:00 pm

1. Roll call-J. Winiarz

2. Approval of minutes from December 2nd meeting. Motion to approve as written: Stanley; second: Insall; approved

3. Stipend X Presentation
   a. President Corns will present a summary of Stipend X to various administration on Monday, Jan 25, 2016

4. Ph.D. students with 2nd MS interests
   a. Wording for a proposed change in graduate catalog will be prepared and presented to the GFC at the next meeting

5. Award Committee
   a. Consisting of; Kelly Homan (Mechanical & Aerospace), Barbara Hale (Physics), Mark Fitch (Civil, Arch & Environ. Eng.), Matt Thimgan (Biological), and Amanda Kossuth (Graduate Studies)
   b. Motion to approve: Corns; second: Elmore; approved

6. Title IX
   a. The Graduate Faculty does not recommend any particular verbiage in all syllabi
   b. Motion to approve: Weidner; second: Stanley; approved

7. Graduate Coordinator Guidelines
   a. V.P. Allada will be asked to prepare this document

8. Review Rules and Regulations for Graduate Council / Faculty
   a. Volunteers were solicited to form a committee to address this issue

Meeting adjourned by President Corns, 1pm.