Graduate Council Meeting Minutes 140 Toomey Hall 12:00pm Wednesday, April 04, 2018

Present: S. Lauck for B. Bai, K. Perry for K. Awuah-Offei, G. Hilmas for M. Moats, S. Balakrishnan, S. Lauck for L. Gertsch, K. Perry, F. Nah, F. Nah for B. Flachsbart, J. Werner for C. Mendoza, J. Winiarz, S. Matson, N. Weidner, S. Lauck for W. Yang

Not Present: S. Raper, V.P. V. Allada, D. Oerther, C. Dagli, M. Insall, S. Corns, E. Malone, C. Kim, C. Hou, M. Davis, M. Meagher, W. Jiang, F. Liou, R. Landers, A. Alajo, M. Shulz, J. Newkirk, P. Bhowmik, P. B. Marley, R. Wlezien, K. Drowne,

Chair J. Winiarz called the meeting to order, 12:00 pm

Roll call-J. Winiarz

- 1. . Motion to approve the minutes from March 7 meeting: Weidner; second: Perry; approved
- 2. Committee Reports
 - a. Presidents Report
 - 1. Graduate Faculty Council's Spring Awards Banquet; 6-9 pm, April 27th at the Public House
- 3. Membership committee recommendations and subsequent vote
 - a. Six votes were received and the candidates were unanimously approved for reappointment
- 4. Ithenticate
 - a. The Special Committee on Rules and Forms makes a motion to not make such a requirement; approved
- 5. Forms: Ad Hoc committee meeting
 - a. Motion from the Forms and Rules Special Committee to change wording of the graduate catalog; motion passed to read as; A minimum of nine credit hours of the required coursework must come from the group of 5000 or 6000-level lecture courses, no credit hours from 1000/2000-level courses, and a maximum of six credit hours of 3000level coursework may be applied toward certain master's degree programs, although individual programs may further restrict 3000-level coursework and specific 4000-level courses counting towards their master's degree program. Please consult your department for specific details. Students are encouraged to take at least six credit hours of coursework outside their major department. Students are limited to a maximum of four six credit hours in courses numbered 5000, 5010, 6000, and/or 6010, and a maximum of three credit hours of 5099 and/or 6099 on their program of study and departments may impose further restrictions on these requirements. Non-thesis students are not allowed to include graduate research on a program of study.

Meeting adjourned by Chair Winiarz, 1:00pm