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**MEMORANDUM**

To: University Committee on Graduate Studies

From: University Committee on Graduate Studies Agenda Committee

Subject: Agenda for the Meeting of the University Committee on Graduate Studies on February 8, 2021, 3:00-5:00 pm.

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**AGENDA**

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of January 11, 2020 Minutes (See D2L)
3. Remarks from the Chairperson (Denise Hershey)
4. Remarks from the Dean of the Graduate School (Kirsten Tollefson)
5. Remarks from the COGS Representative (Meagan Abel)
6. Dean Jeitschko's 5-year review (Suzanne Lang)
7. University Committee on Graduate Studies Subcommittees Reports
  - Curriculum and Program Review Committee
  - Academic Research Policy Subcommittee
  - Graduate Instruction, Employment, Mentoring Subcommittee
8. **\*\*Request for a *Moratorium* on Admission to *the Graduate Specialization in Business Concepts for Environmental Sustainability and Conservation* in the College of Business**
9. **\*\* Request to change the requirements for the *Graduate Certificate in K12 Computer Science Education* in the Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology, and Special Education.**
10. **\*\* Request to change the requirements for the *Master of Fine Arts* degree in *Theatre* in the Department of Theatre**

11. \*Request for a new **Master of Arts** degree in **Applied Behavior Analysis and Autism Spectrum Disorder** in the Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology, and Special Education (Matt Brodhead)
12. \*Request to establish a **Graduate Specialization in Education Policy and Social Sciences** in the Department of Educational Administration (Katharine Strunk)
13. \*Request for a new **Master of Arts** degree in **Criminal Justice** in the School of Criminal Justice (Chris Melde)
14. \*Request for a new **Master of Science** degree in **Cybercrime and Digital Investigation** in the School of Criminal Justice (Thomas Holt)
15. \*Request to change the requirements in the **Master of Arts** degree in **Linguistics** in the Department of Linguistics and Germanic, Slavic, Asian and African Languages (Suzanne Wagner)
16. \*Request to change the requirements in the **Doctor of Philosophy** degree in **Linguistics** in the Department of Linguistics and Germanic, Slavic, Asian and African Languages (Suzanne Wagner)
17. \*Request to change the requirements for the **Doctor of Philosophy** degree in **Plant Pathology** in the Department of Plant, Soil and Microbial Sciences (Ray Hammerschmidt)
18. Roundtable
19. Adjournment

**\*Action item**

**\*\* Being reviewed by the Curriculum and Program Review Subcommittee for a recommendation to the full committee.**