August 31, 2020

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 **September 14, 2020, 3:00 p.m., zoom Chittenden Hall**

**Zoom Meeting ID: 952 3724 5883 (**<https://msu.zoom.us/j/95237245883?pwd=VjhSQTVCMDRXY2wvUTdkMkxPdWNSQT09>)

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# AGENDA

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of April 13, 2020 Minutes (Attachment)
3. Election of Chairperson (Ben Van Dyke)
4. Remarks from the Chairperson (TBD)
* Welcome and Introductions
* Sub-committee chairs and committee rosters
* UCGS Procedures
1. Remarks from the Dean of the Graduate School

Role of UCGS (By-Laws for Academic Governance)

Modes of participation

1. Remarks from the COGS Representative (Abel)
2. \*UCGS “Operating procedures” (Jeitschko)
3. \*Sub-committee Chairs/Officers Ballot (Vote)
4. University Committee on Graduate Studies Subcommittees

**Curriculum and Program Review Committee**

**Academic Research Policy Subcommittee**

**Graduate Instruction, Employment, Mentoring Subcommittee**

1. \*Request for an extension on the Moratorium on Admission to the **Graduate Certificate** in **Public Health Informatics.**
2. **\***Request for an extension on the Moratorium on Admission to the **Graduate Certificate** in **Public Health Administration.**
3. **\***Request for an extension on the Moratorium on Admission to the **Graduate Certificate** in **International Public Health.**
4. **\***Request for an extension on the **Moratorium on Admission** to the **Graduate Certificate** in **Counterfeit Pharmaceuticals**
5. **\***Request for an Extension on the Moratorium on Admission to the **Graduate Certificate** in **Clinical Research Trials Management.**
6. **\***Request for an Extension on the Moratorium on Admission to the **Graduate Certificate** in **Applied Parasitology and Public Health**
7. \*Request to establish a **Graduate Certificate** in **Foreign Language Teaching** in theCollege of Arts and Letters.
8. \*Request to change the requirements for the **Master of Scienc**e degree in **Animal Science** in the Department of Animal Science.
9. \*Request to change the requirement for the **Master of Science** degree in **Forestry** in the Department of Forestry.
10. \*Request to Change the requirements for the **Doctor of Philosophy** degree in **Forestry** in the Department of Forestry.
11. \*Request to change the requirements for the **Doctor of Philosophy** degree in **Packaging** in the School of Packaging.
12. \*Request to change the requirements for the **Master of Science** degree in **Civil Engineering** in the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering.
13. \*Request to change the requirements for the **Master of Science** degree in **Environmental Engineering** in the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering.
14. \* Request to change the requirements for the **Master of Science** degree in **Materials Science and Engineering** in the Department of Chemical Engineering and Material Science**.**
15. \*Request to change the requirements for the **Doctor of Philosophy** degree in **Social Work**.
16. \*Request to change the requirements for the **Master of Social Work** degree with majors in **Clinical Social Work, Clinical Social Work-Advanced Standing, Organizational and Community Leadership,** and **Organization and community Leadership-Advanced Standing** in the School of Social Work.
17. \*Request to change the requirements for the **Master of Public Health** degree in **Public Health** in the College of Human Medicine.
18. \*Request to change the requirements for the **Doctor of Philosophy** degree in **Epidemiology** in the Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics.
19. Roundtable
20. Adjournment