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 January 24, 3:00-5:00 pm.

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AGENDA

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of Minutes from November 15, 2021 (See D2L)
3. Remarks from the Chairperson (Denise Hershey)
4. Remarks from the Dean of the Graduate School (Eric Tornq/Kirsten Tollefson)
5. Remarks from the COGS President (Sara Hugentobler)
6. Graduate Semi-Annual Enrollment (Denise Hershey. See D2L for docs.)
7. Update from the task force on Graduate Academic Dishonesty Policies (Anne-Lise Halvorsen)
8. University Committee on Graduate Studies Subcommittees Reports
   - Academic Research Policy Subcommittee (Anne-Lise Halvorsen & Lorraine Weatherspoon)
   - Graduate Instruction, Employment, & Mentoring Subcommittee (Bruno Takahashi & Tomas Hult)
   - Curriculum and Program Review Committee (Thomas Sharkey)
9. **Request to Phase Out and Discontinue the Master of Art Degree in Critical Studies in Literature and Pedagogy**
10. **Request to Phase Out and Discontinue the Master of Art Degree in Digital Rhetoric and Professional Writing**
11. **Request to Change the Requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy Degree in English**
12. **Request to **Change the Requirements for the **Master of Social Work Degree** [Clinical Social Work; Clinical Social Work-Advanced Standing; Organization and Community Leadership; and Organization and Community Leadership-Advanced Standing]

13. **Request to **Change the Requirements for the **Master of Science Degree in Plant Biology**

14. **Request to **Change the Requirements of the **Graduate Specialization in Security Management**

15. **Request for a **Moratorium on Admission to the **Graduate Specialization in Animal Studies: Social Science and Humanities Perspective**

16. *Request to **Change the Admission Requirements for the **Professional Program in Veterinary Medicine** (Hilda Mejia Abreu & Bo Norby)

17. *Request for a **New Graduate Certificate in Computational Plant Science** (Jyothi Kumar & Shinhan Shiu)

18. *Request for a **New Graduate Certificate in Sports Analytics** (Albert Cohen, Vince Melfi, & Keith Promislow)

19. Roundtable

20. Adjournment

*Action item

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