

November 22, 2011

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 9, 2012, 3:00 p.m., 113 Linton Hall**

**AGENDA**

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of November 7, 2011 Minutes (Attachment)
3. Remarks from the Chairperson (Goddeeris)  
**Advisory Committee Membership for the Search to Fill the Vacancy of the Position of Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies**

4. Remarks from the Dean of the Graduate School
5. Remarks from the COGS Representative
6. University Committee on Graduate Studies Subcommittees

**Curriculum and Program Review Committee**

**\*Request for a Moratorium Extension on Admission to the Master of Science Degree in Zoo and Aquarium Management**

**\*Request to change the requirements for the Master of Science Degree in Applied Statistics**

**\*Request to change the requirements for the Master of Arts Degree in African American and African Studies**

**\*Request to change the requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy Degree in African American and African Studies**

**\*Request to change the requirements for the Master of Arts Degree in Telecommunication, Information Studies and Media**

**\*Request to change the requirements for the Graduate Specialization in Management of Information Technology**

**\*Request to change the requirements for the Master of Arts Degree in Journalism**

**\*Request to change the requirements for the Master of Arts Degree in Communicative Sciences and Diseases**

\*Action Items

**\*Request for a new Linked Bachelor of Science Degree in Media and Information and Master of Arts Degree in Telecommunication, Information Studies and Media**

**\*Request for a new Linked Bachelor of Arts Degree in Media and Information and Master of Arts Degree in Telecommunication, Information Studies and Media**

**\*Request for a new Linked Bachelor of Arts Degree in Journalism and Master of Arts Degree in Journalism**

**Academic Research Policy Subcommittee**

**Graduate Instruction, Employment, Mentoring Subcommittee**

7. **\*Request for a new Graduate Certificate in Forest Carbon Science, Policy and Management**
8. **\*Request for a new Master of Science Degree in Biostatistics**
9. **\*Request for a new Graduate Certificate in Serious Game Design and Research**
10. **\*Request for a new Graduate Certificate in Journalism**
11. Confidential Report: University Research Organization Exploration Committee
12. Research Faculty Appointment Category
13. Report of the Ad Hoc Taskforce on Assessment
14. Proposal to change “Dual Enrollment by Undergraduates” Policy
15. Roundtable
16. Adjournment