August 22, 2015

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 21, 2015, 3:00 p.m., 110 Chittenden Hall

AGENDA

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of April 6, 2015 Minutes (Attachment)
3. Remarks from the Chairperson (Goldstein)
   - Welcome and Introductions
   - Sub-committee chairs and committee rosters
   - Volunteer for UCGS voting member of University Council
   - UCGC Procedures
4. Remarks from the Dean of the Graduate School
   - Role of UCGS (By-Laws for Academic Governance)
   - Modes of participation
5. Remarks from the COGS Representative (Sankar)
6. *UCGS “Operating procedures” (Goldstein & Stoddart)
7. *Sub-committee Chairs/Officers Ballot (Vote)
8. University Committee on Graduate Studies Subcommittees
   - Curriculum and Program Review Committee
   - Academic Research Policy Subcommittee
   - Graduate Instruction, Employment, Mentoring Subcommittee
9. **Request to change the requirements for the Graduate Certificate in Digital Humanities in the College of Arts and Letters. (tabled from April 6, 2015)

*Action Items
10. *Request to change the requirements for the Master of Science degree in Biomedical Laboratory Operations in the Biomedical Laboratory Diagnostic Programs.

11. *Request to establish a Doctor of Philosophy degree in Biomedical Engineering in the College of Engineering.

12. *Request to establish a Master of Science degree in Biomedical Engineering in the College of Engineering.

13. *Request to change the requirements for the Master of Science degree in Entomology in the Department of Entomology.

14. *Request to change the requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy degree in Entomology in the Department of Entomology.

15. *Request to establish a Master of Science degree in International Business in the Eli Broad College of Business.

16. *Request to delete the curriculum and degree requirements for the Master of Arts degree in Interior Design and Facilities Management in the Department of Planning, Design and Construction.

17. *Request to change the requirements for the Master of Music degree in Jazz Studies in the College of Music.

18. *Request to change the requirements for the Graduate Certificate in Museum Studies in the College of Arts and Letters.

19. *Request to change the requirements for the Master of Science degree in Physics in the Department of Physics and Astronomy.

20. *Request to change the requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy degree in Physics in the Department of Physics and Astronomy.

21. *Request to change the requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy degree in Political Science in the Department of Political Science.

22. *Request to change the requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy degree in School Psychology in the Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology and Special Education.

23. Roundtable

24. Adjournment

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