University Graduate Council Minutes

December 15, 2015
Sanger Hall, room 1-038

Members present:
Doug Boudinot, Chair    Simon Okoth
Herschell Emery    Mark Schaefermeyer
Sheryl Finucane    Laura Sim-Selley
Mary Ellen Huennekens    Patricia Slattum
Oonagh Loughran    Jennifer Stewart
Holly Morrison

Electronic vote: Ben Wier

Guests: Tomasz Arodz, Paul Brooks, James McMillan, Jana McQuaid, Damien Pitt, Joann Richardson and Jo Lynn Robins

I. UGC minutes from November 2015 meeting were approved electronically.

II. Action Items

College of Humanities & Sciences - APPROVED

New Post-bac graduate certificate and new courses
(PC 2015-1105-06; effective fall 2016) – Post-baccalaureate graduate certificate in Health Behavior Coaching
(PC 2015-1105-07; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 640 Health Care Organization and Delivery in the U.S.
(PC 2015-1105-08; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 641 Human Disease Prevention, Prevalence and Lifestyle Risk Factors
(PC 2015-1105-09; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 642 Theoretical Foundations of Health Behavior Change
(PC 2015-1105-10; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 643 Fundamentals of Motivational Interviewing
(PC 2015-1105-11; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 644 Advanced Motivational Interviewing
(PC 2015-1105-12; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 645 Application of Motivational Interviewing in Clinical Settings
(PC 2015-1105-13; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 646 Application of Motivational Interviewing in Community Settings
(PC 2015-1105-14; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 647 Concepts and Applications in Chronic Disease Self-Management
(PC 2015-1105-15; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 648 Health Behavior Change Counseling Techniques for Clinical Interventions
(PC 2015-1105-16; effective fall 2016) – HEMS 649 Planning, Implementation & Evaluating Group/Community-focused Health Behavior Change Interventions

Curriculum revision, course revisions and new courses
(PC 2015-1105-17; effective fall 2016) – Ph.D. Systems Modeling and Analysis
(PC 2015-1105-18; effective fall 2016) – STAT 725 Advanced Multivariate Statistical Methods
(PC 2015-1105-19; effective spring 2017) – STAT 746 Spatial Data Analysis

Temporary suspension of admissions
(PC 2015-1105-20; effective fall 2015) – Ph.D. Psychology, Biopsychology concentration [PHD-PSY-BP]

Closure of program code concentrations
(PC 2015-1105-21; effective fall 2007) – M.S. Clinical Psychology, Adult Psychopathology concentration [MS-PSY-CLAQ]

School of Business – APPROVED with one member voting not to accept

Curriculum revision, course revisions and new courses
(PC 2015-1105-01; effective fall 2016) – M.S. Business, Decision Analytics Professional concentration
(PC 2015-1105-02; effective spring 2016) – DAPT 613 Tools for Business Intelligence
  Change from 2 lecture for 2 credits to 1 lecture for 1 credit
(PC 2015-1105-03; effective spring 2016) – DAPT 615 Emerging Technologies – new course
(PC 2015-1105-04; effective spring 2016) – DAPT 622 Statistics for the Big World of Data II
  Change from 2 lecture for 2 credits to 3 lecture for 3 credits
(PC 2015-1105-05; effective fall 2016) – DAPT 670 Analytics Problem Formulation
  Change from 2 lecture for 2 credits to 1 lecture for 1 credit

Reactivate admissions
(PC 2015-1208-04; effective fall 2016) – M.S. Business, Decision Analytics concentration (MS-BUS-DL)
(PC 2015-1208-05; effective fall 2016) – M.S. Business, Decision Analytics professional concentration
  (MS-BUS-DLPR)

Curriculum revision - APPROVED
(Portion of text for curriculum revision)

School of Education - APPROVED
Curriculum revision
(Pre-existing curriculum revision)

Permanent suspension of admissions
(Pre-existing permanent suspension)

School of Engineering - APPROVED
New/spin-off program, new course and course revision
(Pre-existing new and revised courses)

School of Nursing - APPROVED
Curriculum revision, course revisions and new courses
(Pre-existing curriculum and course revisions)

Wilder School – APPROVED with one member voting not to accept
New certificate
(Pre-existing new certificate)

III. Committee Reports

A. Committee on Admissions and Academic Standards
  No report.

B. Committee on Internal Review
  No report.
C. Committee on Policies and Procedures
   No report.

D. Committee on Programs and Courses
   Graduate School
   Course revision
   (PC 2015-1105-62; effective spring 2016) – GRAD 602 Teaching, Learning, and Technology in Higher Education
   Change title to: Teaching and Learning in Higher Education
   Description change

   New course
   (PC 2015-1105-63; effective spring 2016) – GRAD 604 Teaching, Learning, Technology and the Future of Higher Education

   College of Humanities & Sciences
   M.S. Forensic Science, Forensic Biology concentration – update contact information
   M.S. Forensic Science, Forensic Chemistry Trace concentration – update contact information
   M.S. Forensic Science, Forensic Physical Analysis concentration – update contact information
   M.S. Forensic Science, Forensic Chemistry Drugs Toxicology concentration – update contact information

   School of Allied Health Professions
   Course revision
   (PC 2015-1105-52; effective spring 2016) – HADE 610 Health Care Management Decision Support Systems
   Change title to: Health Analytics and Decision Support
   Description change
   (PC 2015-1105-53; effective spring 2016) – HADM 610 Health Care Management Decision Support Systems
   Change title to: Health Analytics and Decision Support
   Description change

   School of the Arts
   Course deletion
   (PC 2015-1105-54; effective spring 2016) – DESI 603 Design and Visual Communication Education

   Non-curricular update
   MFA Theatre, Pedagogy Performance concentration – update admission deadlines

   School of Business
   Course revision
   (PC 2015-1208-09; effective summer 2016) – FIRE 520 Financial Concepts of Management
   Delete ACCT 507 as a pre- or corequisite

   Credit hour change
   (PC 2015-1105-55; effective spring 2016) – FMBA 602 Team Building and Leadership
   Change from 3 lecture for 3 credits to variable 1-3 lecture for 1-3 credits
   (PC 2015-1105-56; effective spring 2016) – FMBA 606 Analysis and Decisions
   Change from 9 lecture for 9 credits to variable 1-6 lecture for 1-6 credits

   School of Dentistry
   Grading change
   (PC 2015-1105-58; effective spring 2016) – DENS 513 Foundations of Effective Interpersonal Skills During Patient Interactions I
   Change to A/B/C/D/F
   (PC 2015-1105-59; effective spring 2016) – DENS 603 Foundations of Effective Interpersonal Skills During Patient Interactions II
   Change to CO in the fall and A/B/C/D/F in spring
   (PC 2015-1105-60; effective spring 2016) – DENS 703 Advanced Interpersonal Communications Part I
   Change to CO in the fall and A/B/C/D/F in spring
   (PC 2015-1105-61; effective spring 2016) – DENS 713 Advanced Interpersonal Communications Part II
   Change to CO in the fall and A/B/C/D/F in spring
ORSG 749 Clinical Oral Surgery IV – update grading style to CO for fall and P/F for spring

New courses
(PC 2015-1105-22; effective spring 2016) – DENS 651 Preclinical Gen Practice Dens Lab
(PC 2015-1105-23; effective spring 2016) – DENS 652 Preclinical Gen Practice Dens Lecture
(PC 2015-1105-24; effective spring 2016) – DENS 653 Clinical General Practice Dens Lecture
(PC 2015-1105-25; effective spring 2016) – DENS 654 Clinical General Practice Dens Lab

School of Education
Course description change
(PC 2015-1105-57; effective spring 2016) – SEDP 501 Characteristics of Students with High Incidence Disabilities

Curriculum revision
(PC 2015-1208-12; effective fall 2016) – M.Ed. Sport Leadership
(PC 2015-1208-13; effective fall 2016) – Ph.D. in Education, Educational Leadership concentration

New course
(PC 2015-1208-14; effective spring 2016) – SEDP 604 Characteristics of Students with Severe Disabilities
(PC 2015-1208-15; effective summer 2016) – TEDU 683 ESL Assessment and Trends

Course deletion
(PC 2015-1208-16; effective fall 2016) – SPTL 620 Issues in College Athletics
(PC 2015-1208-17; effective fall 2016) – SPTL 621 Global Sport Issues

Course revision
(PC 2015-1208-18; effective fall 2016) – SEDP 700 Externship
  Change from 3 lecture for 3 credit hours to 1-6 lecture for 1-6 credit hours
(PC 2015-1208-19; effective fall 2016) – SEDP 708 Designing, Funding and Conducting Research in Special Education
  Change title to: Grant Writing in Special Education and other Social Sciences
  Course description change
(PC 2015-1208-20; effective spring 2016) – SEDP 709 Directed Readings in Special Education
  Change title to: Literature Reviews in Special Education and other Social Sciences
  Course description update

School of Medicine
New Courses
(PC 2015-1105-46; effective summer 2016) – GMED 600 Research for Residents and Fellows

School of Nursing
Ph.D. Nursing – update admission requirements
Ph.D. Nursing – update contact information
Nursing accreditation information update
Nursing transfer credit update
Nursing administration information update
Nursing facilities and resources information update
Nursing programs information update
Nursing scholarship awards information update

School of Pharmacy
New course
(PC 2015-1105-51; effective fall 2016) – PHAR 673 Advanced Cardiovascular Pharmacotherapy

Office of Research
PHD-CTS-CMMD – update program contact
PHD-CTS-PBSG – update program contact

IV. Old Business
No old business.
V. New Business
   No new business.

VI. Chair’s Report
   Dr. Boudinot introduced Jennifer Tennison to University Graduate Council. Jennifer is the new
   administrative assistant to the Graduate School and will be taking over administrative functions of UGC and
   all sub-committees.

   Sherry Sandkam is working part-time for the Graduate School. Her duties will be to develop a
   communication strategy for the Graduate School.

   The University’s commencement was this past Saturday. At the main ceremony in the Siegel Center there
   were 34 doctoral students walking.

Adjourned: 3:40 p.m.