

Graduate Council Overview 2002-2003

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I. Proposals

A. College of Education & Behavioral Sciences

1. Dept of Curriculum & Instruction

| One-Time Only | Item | Date |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| | ADED 510 Intro to Adult Education | 9/12/02 |
| | ADED 520 Methods for Teaching Adults | 9/12/02 |
| Courses | Item | Date |
| | +ADED 510 Intro to Adult Education | 12/6/02 |
| | +ADED 520 Methods for Teaching Adults | 12/6/02 |
| | +ADED 530 Program Developments-Adults | 12/6/02 |
| | +ADED 598 Adult Education Seminar | 12/6/02 |
| Programs | Item | Date |
| | *MAE Secondary Education #103/035 | 11/7/02 |
| | *MAE Middle Grades Education #139 | 11/7/02 |

2. Dept of Counseling & Student Affairs

| Courses | Item | Date |
|----------|---|---------|
| | *CNS 555 Social/Cultural Diversity in CNS | 12/6/02 |
| Programs | Item | Date |
| | *MAE Elementary Counseling #100 | 12/6/02 |
| | *MAE Secondary Counseling #101 | 12/6/02 |

3. Dept of Education Administration

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|---|---------|
| | *EDAD 630 Special Educ. Law & Finance | 12/6/02 |
| | *EDAD 594 Seminar in Leadership: Aux. Programs in Education | 12/6/02 |
| | *EDAD 677 School Law | 12/6/02 |
| | *EDAD 682 School Community Relations | 12/6/03 |
| | *EDAD 683 Seminar in Curriculum Dev. | 12/6/02 |
| | *EDAD 694 Seminar in Educ. Admin. | 12/6/02 |
| | *EDFN 500 Research Methods | 12/6/02 |
| | *EDFN 501 Educational Statistics | 12/6/02 |
| | +EDFN 603 Qualitative Research in Educ. | 1/9/03 |

4. Department of Psychology

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|---|---------|
| | *PSY 405G Cognitive PSY | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 410G PSY of Learning | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 411G PSY of Sensation /Perception | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 412G PSY of Motivation & Emotion | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 421G PSY of Early Adolescence | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 422G Adolescent PSY | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 423G PSY of Adult Life & Aging | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 440G Abnormal PSY | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 442G Beginning Skills in PSY Interviewing | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 443G Behavior Modification | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 455G Intro to Clinical Practice of PSY | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 480G Physiological PSY | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 485G PSY of Religion | 12/6/02 |
| | *PSY 490G Research, Readings of Special Projects in PSY | 12/6/02 |

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| *PSY 495G History/Systems of PSY | 12/6/02 |
| ^PSY 516 Advanced Study of Motivation | 12/6/02 |
| ^PSY 522 Advanced Adolescent PSY | 12/6/02 |
| ^PSY 661 Psychological Evaluation II | 12/6/02 |
| -PSY 460G Method/Research in Social PSY | 12/6/02 |
| +PSY 470G Psychology & Law | 12/6/02 |
| *PSY 560 Individual Assessment I | 1/9/03 |
| *PSY 561 Individual Assessment II | 1/9/03 |
| *PSY 641 Personality Theory & Psychotherapy | 1/9/03 |
| *PSY 660 Psychological Evaluation I | 1/9/03 |
| *PSY 441G Psychological Aspects of Alcoholism | 1/9/03 |
| *PSY 450G Intro. To Personality Theories | 1/9/03 |
| *PSY 499G Senior Seminar in PSY | 1/9/03 |
| *PSY 523 Cognitive Theory | 1/9/03 |
| *PSY 541 Intro. To Professional PSY | 1/9/03 |

| Programs | Item | Date |
|----------|--------------------------------|---------|
| | *EdS in School Psychology #147 | 12/6/02 |
| | *MA in Psychology #092 | 1/9/03 |

5. Department of Special Instructional Programs

| One-Time Only | Item | Date |
|---------------|--|---------|
| | +LTCY 695 Internship in LTCY Supervision | 4/10/03 |

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|--|--------|
| | *IECE 520 Organizing Programs for IECE | 1/9/03 |
| | *IECE 521 Assessment in IECE | 1/9/03 |
| | *IECE 522 Family-Centered Services | 1/9/03 |

| Programs | Item | Date |
|----------|----------------------------------|---------|
| | MAE Middle Grades Education #139 | 11/7/02 |

B. College of Health & Human Services

1. Dept of Communication Disorders

| One-Time Only | Item | Date |
|---------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| | Prefix EXC and EXED to CD Prefix | 12/6/02 |
| | CD 500 Research Methods in CD | 4/10/03 |

| Programs | Item | Date |
|----------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | *MS in Communication Disorders #114 | 12/6/02 |

2. Department of Consumer & Family Sciences

| One-Time Only | Item | Date |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| | SEC 540 Seminar in Home Economics Ed. | 12/6/02 |

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|---|---------|
| | *CFS 540 Seminar in Home Econ. Ed. | 12/6/02 |
| | *CFS 572 Curriculum Development in Family/Cons. Science Ed. | 12/6/02 |
| | *CFS 573 Evaluation in FCS Ed. | 12/6/02 |
| | *CFS 574 Supervision of FCS Ed | 12/6/02 |
| | *CFS 575 Individual Study of CFS | 12/6/02 |

| Programs | Item | Date |
|----------|-------------------------------|---------|
| | *Minor in Home Economics #018 | 12/6/02 |

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3. Department of Nursing

| Courses | Item | Date |
|----------|--|----------|
| | -NURS 516 Adv. Clinical Nursing II | 10/10/02 |
| | *NURS 500 Adv. Concepts | |
| | *NURS 508 Adv. Issues in Pro. NURS | 6/12/03 |
| Programs | Item | Date |
| | *Post-MSN Certificate Primary Care Nurse Practitioner #176 | 12/6/02 |

4. Department of Physical Education & Recreation

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|--|---------|
| | -PE 502 Philosophical Bases of PE & Athletics | 12/6/02 |
| | -PE 506 Psych. Aspects of Sport & Performance | 12/6/02 |
| | -PE 507 Sport in Culture | 12/6/02 |
| | -PE 510 Seminar: Facilities, Construction & Equipment | 12/6/02 |
| | -PE 511 Theory in Administration & Supervision of PE & Athletics | 12/6/02 |
| | -PE 512 Seminar: Admin. Probs. In PE & Athletics | 12/6/02 |
| | -PE 570 Workshop in Physical Education | 12/6/02 |
| | -REC 412G Adaptive Activity & Facilities for Recreation | 12/6/02 |
| | -REC 456G Adv. Studies in Recreation | 12/6/02 |
| | -REC 511 Recreation & Gerontology | 12/6/02 |

5. Department of Public Health

| One-Time Only | Item | Date |
|---------------|--|----------|
| | HCA 545 Managerial FIN in Health Svc. | 9/12/02 |
| | HCA 551 Health Care Jurisprudence | 10/10/02 |
| | HCA 564 Health Systems Management | 10/10/02 |
| | HCA 543 Health Care Quality & Accountability | 10/10/02 |
| | HCA 520 Graduate Statistics Lab | 10/10/02 |
| | HCA 565 Information Systems Lab | 10/10/02 |
| | HCA 572 Topics in Health Services | 10/10/02 |
| | PH 575 Program Planning | 10/10/02 |
| | EHS 577 Environmental Toxicology | 10/10/02 |
| Courses | Item | Date |
| | *HCA 565 Information Systems Lab | 10/10/02 |
| | -HCA 441G Legal Aspects of Health Care | 10/10/02 |
| | -HCA 445G Health Care Finance | 10/10/02 |
| | -HCA 446G Health Care Informatics | 10/10/02 |
| | -HCA 471G Managed Care | 10/10/02 |
| | +HCA 545 Managerial FIN in Health Svc. | 10/10/02 |
| | +HCA 551 Health Care Jurisprudence | 10/10/02 |
| | +HCA 564 Health Systems Management | 10/10/02 |
| | +HCA 571 Managed Care | 10/10/02 |
| | *HCA 544 Health Care Sys. Administration | 10/10/02 |
| | +PH 402G Worksite Health Promotion | 6/12/03 |
| Programs | Item | Date |
| | *Master of Health Administration #153 | 10/10/02 |

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6. Department of Social Work

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|--|----------|
| | +SWRK 500 Profession of Social Work | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 501 Cultural Competency in SW | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 510 Human Behavior in the Social Environment | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 511 Understanding the Rural Community | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 520 Generalist SW Practice | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 521 SW Clinical Assessment & Intervention | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 522 Group Dynamics in SW | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 530 Foundations of Social Welfare Policy | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 540 Foundations of SW Research Methods | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 560 Foundation Field Practicum I | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 561 Foundation Field Practicum II | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 610 SW Administration & Supervision | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 620 Adv. Psycho-Social Approaches for Rural Practice | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 621 Rural Community Organization & Development | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 630 Rural Social Welfare Policy | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 640 Applied Social Work Research | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 660 Advanced Field Practicum I | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 661 Advanced Field Practicum II | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 671 Social Work & the Law | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 672 Child Sexual Abuse | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 673 Grief & Loss: Issues & Intervention | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 695 Special Topics in SW | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 698 Selected Readings in SW | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 699 Selected Research in SW | 10/10/02 |
| | +SWRK 433G Ethical Issues & Dilemmas in Social Work | 4/10/03 |

| Programs | Item | Date |
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| | +Master of Social Work #157 | 10/10/02 |

C. Gordon Ford College of Business

1. Business Administration Courses

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|-------------------------------------|--------|
| | *BA 551 Investments & Portfolio MGT | 1/9/03 |

| Programs | Item | Date |
|----------|---|---------|
| | *Master of Business Administration #057 | 12/6/02 |
| | +MBA Finance Concentration #BFIN | 1/9/03 |
| | *Certificate in Leadership Studies #163 | 4/10/03 |

2. Dept of Economics & Marketing—None

3. Dept of Finance & Accounting—None

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4. Dept of Management & Information Systems

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| | -MGT 513 Management Dynamics | 12/6/02 |
| | -MGT 518 Management Science | 12/6/02 |
| | -MGT 535 Adv. Management Science | 12/6/02 |
| | -MGT 578 Admin. Policy & Strategy | 12/6/02 |
| | -MGT 579 Independent Study | 12/6/02 |
| | *MGT 519 Production Management | 12/6/02 |
| | *MGT 573 International Business | 12/6/02 |

D. Ogden College of Science & Engineering

1. Dept of Agriculture

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| | -AGRO 451G Soil Management | 12/6/02 |
| | -ANSC 533 Physiology of Lactation | 12/6/02 |

2. Dept of Biology

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|--|---------|
| | *BIOL 411G Cell Biology | 11/7/02 |
| | ^BIOL 401G Biology of Algae | 11/7/02 |
| | ^BIOL 799 Doctoral Research | 11/7/02 |
| | ^BIOL 800 Maintaining Matriculation | 11/7/02 |
| | *BIOL 402G Evolutionary History of Plants | 11/7/02 |
| | *BIOL 407G Virology | 11/7/02 |
| | *BIOL 450G Recombinant Gene Tech | 11/7/02 |
| | *BIOL 570 Advanced Immunology | 11/7/02 |
| | *BIOL 430G Evolution: Theory & Process | 11/7/02 |
| | *BIOL 524 Evolutionary & Ecological Genetics | 11/7/02 |
| | *BIOL 568 Advanced Microbiology | 11/7/02 |

3. Dept of Chemistry

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|--|---------|
| | -CHEM 432G Modern Methods of Chemical Analysis | 11/7/02 |
| | -CHEM 502 Fund. Of Modern Chem. Ana. | 11/7/02 |
| | -CHEM 503 Fund. Of Modern Chem. Lab | 11/7/02 |
| | +CHEM 490G Materials Chemistry | 11/7/02 |
| | +CHEM 440G Intro. To Synthetic Organic Methodology | 12/6/02 |
| | +CHEM 441G Adv. Organic Chemistry | 12/6/02 |

4. Dept of Computer Science

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|----------------------------------|---------|
| | *CS 443G Database MGT Systems | 4/10/03 |
| | *CS 450G Computer Networking | 4/10/03 |
| | *CS 543 CIS Design | 4/10/03 |
| | *CS 550 Adv. Computer Networking | 4/10/03 |

5. Dept of Geology & Geography

| Courses | Item | Date |
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| | *GEOG 510 Selected Topics in Geography | 12/6/02 |
| | *GEOG 595 Planning Practicum | 12/6/02 |

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6. Dept of Mathematics

| One-Time Only | Item | Date |
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| | MATH 540 Stochastic Processes | 10/10/02 |
| Courses | Item | Date |
| | *MATH 421G Prob. Solving for Secondary Teachers | 12/6/02 |
| | *MATH 413G Algebra & Computing for Elementary Teachers | 12/6/02 |
| | *MATH 411G Prob. Solving for Elem. & Middle School Teachers | 12/6/02 |
| | *MATH 509 History of Modern Math | 12/6/02 |
| | *MATH 409G History of Mathematics | 2/13/03 |
| Programs | Item | Date |
| | ^MAE Math Education #086 | 12/6/02 |

7. Dept of Physics & Astronomy

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|---|---------|
| | -PHYS 406G Solid State Physics Lab | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHYS 407G Nuclear Physics Lab | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHYS 443G Lasers/Modern Optics | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHYS 460G Solid States Physics | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHYS 470G Nuclear Physics | 11/7/02 |
| | -ASTR 414G Astrophysics | 11/7/02 |
| | +PHYS 402G Lab for Application of Modern Physics I | 11/7/02 |
| | +PHYS 403G Lab for Application of Modern Physics II | 11/7/02 |
| | +PHYS 420G Applications of Modern Physics I | 11/7/02 |
| | +PHYS 430G Applications of Modern Physics II | 11/7/02 |

E. Potter College of Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences

1. Dept of Art

| One-Time Only | Item | Date |
|---------------|---|---------|
| | ART 513 Digital Media for P-12 Teachers | 6/12/03 |

2. Dept of Communication

| One-Time Only | Item | Date |
|---------------|--|---------|
| | COMM 504 Ethnographic Methods | 9/12/02 |
| | COMM 580 Special Topics in Organizational Communication | 12/6/02 |
| | COMM 545 Seminar in Political Comm. | 3/13/03 |
| Courses | Item | Date |
| | +COMM 504 Ethnographic Methods of Communication Research | 9/12/02 |
| | +COMM 525 Interpersonal Support in the Workplace | 11/7/02 |
| | +COMM 587 Comm. In Intercultural Negotiation * Mediation | 11/7/02 |
| Programs | Item | Date |
| | *MA in Communication #109 | 9/12/02 |

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3. Dept of English

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|--|---------|
| | ^ENG 405G Phonetics | 11/7/02 |
| | ^ENG 406G Adv. Writing Workshop | 11/7/02 |
| | ^ENG 503 Linguistics | 11/7/02 |
| | ^ENG 581 Readings in Old English | 11/7/02 |
| | ^ENG 582 Middle English Literature | 11/7/02 |
| | ^ENG 589 Coop Education/English | 11/7/02 |
| | *ENG 482G Shakespeare I | 11/7/02 |
| | *ENG 496G Women's Poetry | 11/7/02 |
| | *ENG 510 Graduate Rhetoric/Writing | 11/7/02 |
| | *ENG 583 Shakespeare II | 11/7/02 |
| | *ENG 553 Restoration & 18 th C. Drama | 11/7/02 |

4. Dept of Government

| Courses | Item | Date |
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| | *GOVT 413G Policies of Social & Family Welfare | 9/12/02 |
| | ^GOVT 417G Local/Regional Government | 9/12/02 |
| | -GOVT 403G Field Studies in Politics | 9/12/02 |
| | -GOVT 410G Seminar in National GOVT | 9/12/02 |
| | -GOVT 411G Seminar in State GOVT | 9/12/02 |
| | -GOVT 413G Policies of Social/Family Welfare | 9/12/02 |

5. Dept of History

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|--|----------|
| | *HIST 440G Colonial History of the US | 10/10/02 |
| | *HIST 441G The Formative Pd, 1776-1815 | 10/10/02 |
| | *HIST 444G The US: 1870-1900 | 10/10/02 |
| | *HIST 453G Women in American History | 10/10/02 |
| | *HIST 457G The Old South | 10/10/02 |
| | *HIST 458G The New South | 10/10/02 |
| | *HIST 463G 1492 & Beyond: Intersection of Two Cultures | 10/10/02 |
| | *HIST 622 Seminar: Western US History | 10/10/02 |
| | ^HIST 452G American Urban History | 1/9/03 |
| | ^HIST 459G Immigrants in American Hist. | 1/9/03 |

6. Dept of Modern Languages & Intercultural Studies

| One-Time Only | Item | Date |
|---------------|---|---------|
| | FLK 434G Historic Preservation Planning | 9/12/02 |
| | ANTH 456G Archaeological Lab Methods | 1/9/03 |
| | FLK 448G Visual Anthropology | 2/13/03 |
| | MLIS 420G Technology Teaching for Foreign Languages | 3/13/03 |

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|--|---------|
| | +SPAN 490G Hispanic Cinema | 11/7/02 |
| | +ANTH 493G Archaeology Stewardship | 12/6/02 |
| | +ANTH 434G Graveyard Archaeology | 12/6/02 |
| | +ANTH 430G Archaeology of Kentucky | 12/6/02 |
| | +ANTH 436G Public Archaeology | 12/6/02 |
| | ^FREN 441G 16 th C. French Literature | 12/6/02 |
| | ^FREN 443G 18 th C. French Literature | 12/6/02 |
| | ^GERM 432G History of German Language | 12/6/02 |
| | ^GERM 438G German Lyric | 12/6/02 |
| | -FREN 422G History of French Literature | 12/6/02 |
| | -FREN 590 Comparative Romance Linguistics | 12/6/02 |

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| -FREN 601 Seminar: College Teaching | 12/6/02 |
| -SPAN 472G Background of Mod. Spanish | 12/6/02 |
| -SPAN 475G Spain: Golden Age to Age of Realism | 12/6/02 |
| -SPAN 477G Latin America: Colonial Period to Modernism | 12/6/02 |

7. Dept of Music

| Programs | Item | Date |
|----------|------------------------------|---------|
| | *MAE in Music Education #089 | 9/12/02 |

8. Dept of Philosophy & Religion

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|--|---------|
| | -RELS 405G Current Issues in New Testament Studies | 11/7/02 |
| | -RELS 475G Religions of South Asia | 11/7/02 |
| | -RELS 480G Religions of East Asia | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHIL 425G 20 th C. British Philosophy | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHIL 502 Seminar: Ancient/Medieval Phil. | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHIL 503 Seminar: Modern Philosophy | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHIL 504 Seminar: Contemporary Phil. | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHIL 600 Maintaining Matriculation | 11/7/02 |
| | -PHIL 402G Theory of Knowledge | 3/13/03 |
| | -PHIL 403G Metaphysics | 3/13/03 |

9. Dept of Sociology—None

10. Dept of Theatre & Dance

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|---|---------|
| | ^THEA 422G Stage Lighting Design | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 423G Theatre Management | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 424G Ind. Prob./Technical Theatre | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 431G Musical Theatre | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 441G Costume Design | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 442G Historic Décor | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 445G Research in Theatre & Dance | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 456G Elizabethan Drama | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 459G Modern Drama | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 461G Theatre Practicum | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 482G Shakespeare | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 455G American Drama | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 550 Seminar/Theatre | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 553 Restoration & 18 th C. Drama | 2/13/03 |
| | ^THEA 583 Shakespeare II | 2/13/03 |

F. Graduate Studies & Research

1. Women's Studies

| Courses | Item | Date |
|---------|------------------------------|---------|
| | +WOMN 421G Women and Science | 9/12/02 |

2. Interdisciplinary Administration—None

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II. Committee Reports

A. Electronic Thesis Committee (*ad hoc*)

Members: Dr. Doug Harper (Chair), Dr. Ted Hovet, Mr. Eric Wolfe—Network Specialist, Ms. Sue Lynn Stone—Archivist, Ms. Jue Wang—Libraries Coordinator for Electronic Information

The new server, which houses the electronic thesis software, etc., has been set up. Eric Wolfe will begin installing all necessary equipment and software; he said we could be doing pilot runs by the end of this summer. If all goes well, electronic thesis submission will be available to students this fall on a voluntary basis. Dr. Harper discussed training sessions with Mr. Jeff Jones who indicated that training would not be a problem. He provides classes on Microsoft Word for anyone who wants to attend, and these classes include creating a PDF file from a Word file. This is key in using the electronic thesis program.

The graduate student lab will also be a key element for the electronic thesis program. The committee is discussing the equipment available at the lab, and may need to provide a scanner for thesis students to use. This allows students to scan charts, graphs, photographs, etc. and upload them to their thesis. These documents can be converted to PDF images as well.

Maintenance on the server, equipment, etc. will be provided by IT. The Graduate Studies website will provide a link to the ETD page, which will be maintained by Graduate Studies. As the project gets underway more details will be shared with the Graduate Council, graduate students, and University community. As of July 31, 2003 the <http://etd.wku.edu> website is operational. Testing will begin in August and student use could occur for the fall semester.

B. Graduate Faculty Committee

Members: Dr. Beverly Siegrist (chair), Dr. Robert Dietle, Dr. Barbara Kacer

The committee developed a new application that replaces old forms 1 and 2.

August 2002-July 2003 Approved Graduate Faculty Members

| Faculty Member | Dept | Membership | Apptd | Expires |
|-----------------------|-----------|------------|----------|----------|
| Bartel, Tom | ART | Associate | 6/12/03 | 6/30/07 |
| Chalmers, James | ART | Regular | 6/12/03 | 6/30/09 |
| Lin, Muh Bi | SWRK | Regular | 6/12/03 | 6/30/09 |
| Owen, Ernest | PSY | Temporary | 6/12/03 | 6/30/05 |
| Phillips, Keith | BIOL | Associate | 6/12/03 | 6/30/07 |
| Snyder, Cindy | SWRK | Associate | 6/12/03 | 6/30/07 |
| Sung, Joon Gi | ART | Associate | 6/12/03 | 6/30/07 |
| May, J. Dean | SWRK | Regular | 4/10/03 | 4/30/09 |
| Smith, R. Dale | SWRK | Associate | 4/10/03 | 4/30/07 |
| Tice, Gerald | VPSACS | Associate | 4/10/03 | 4/30/07 |
| Wesley, Susan | SWRK | Associate | 4/10/03 | 4/30/07 |
| Womble, Phillip | PHYS/ASTR | Associate | 4/10/03 | 4/30/07 |
| Christian, Beth | SIP | Associate | 2/17/03 | 2/28/07 |
| Keyser, Richard | HIST | Associate | 2/17/03 | 2/28/07 |
| Menendez, Anthony | SIP | Associate | 2/17/03 | 2/28/07 |
| Myers, Daniel | ECON/MKT | Regular | 2/17/03 | 2/28/09 |
| Notheisin, Lauren | ART | Regular | 2/17/03 | 2/28/09 |
| Reames, Kelly | ENG | Associate | 2/17/03 | 2/28/07 |
| Reed, Eric | HIST | Associate | 2/17/03 | 2/28/07 |
| Wheeler-Atwell, Nedra | SIP | Associate | 2/17/03 | 2/28/07 |
| Evans, Sam | CURR/INST | Regular | 1/14/03 | 1/31/09 |
| Gelderman, Richard | PHYS/ASTR | Regular | 1/14/03 | 1/31/09 |
| Trainor, William | ACCT/FIN | Associate | 1/14/03 | 1/31/07 |
| Brown, Christopher | ACCT/FIN | Regular | 1/1/03 | 1/31/09 |
| All, John | GEOG/GEOL | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Cashwell, Suzie | SWRK | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Deal, Richard | GEOG/GEOL | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Hill, Paul | MATH | Regular | 11/18/02 | 11/30/08 |
| Mahmood, Rezaul | GEOG/GEOL | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Nguyen, Lan | MATH | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Petty, Pamela | SIP | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Schlinder, William | EALR | Regular | 11/18/02 | 11/30/08 |
| Scott, Marshall | MUS | Regular | 11/18/02 | 11/30/08 |

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| Smith, Robert | SIP | Regular | 11/18/02 | 11/30/08 |
| Spall, Sharon | EALR | Regular | 11/18/02 | 11/30/08 |
| Stroot, Scott | THEA | Regular | 11/18/02 | 11/30/08 |
| Tarrant, Wayne | MATH | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Woosley, Paul | AGRI | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Wulff, Andrew | GEOG/GEOL | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Young, Tracey | PH | Associate | 11/18/02 | 11/30/06 |
| Barnum, John | JOUR | Regular | 10/10/02 | 11/30/08 |
| Acree, Michelle | SWRK | Associate | 10/10/02 | 10/31/06 |
| Antonsen, Christopher | MLIS | Associate | 10/10/02 | 10/31/06 |
| Berger, Jim | SIP | Associate | 8/16/02 | 8/31/06 |
| Byrd, Robert | CS | Associate | 8/16/02 | 8/31/06 |
| White, Renee | PH | Adjunct | 07/10/03 | 07/31/05 |
| Heckman, Craig | PH | Adjunct | 07/10/03 | 07/31/05 |
| Ashley, Patricia | EALR | Adjunct | 07/10/03 | 07/31/05 |
| McMichael, Andrew | HIST | Associate | 07/10/03 | 07/31/07 |
| Algeo, Catherine | GEOG/GEOL | Associate | 07/10/03 | 07/31/07 |
| Paprocki, Deborah | MLIS | Associate | 07/10/03 | 07/31/07 |
| Gilfillen, Rebecca | AGRI | Associate | 07/10/03 | 07/31/07 |
| Howell, Karin | MLIS | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Noser, Thomas | ECON | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Crews, Thad R. | PE/REC | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Miller, Richard | PSY | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Pan, Wei-Ping | CHEM | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Norman, Antony | PSY | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Sheeley, Vernon | CNSA | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Minatrea, Neresa | CNSA | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Bilotta, Joseph | PSY | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Roenker, Daniel | PSY | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Willian, W. Todd | AGRI | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Hughey, Aaron | CNSA | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Mason, Cynthia | CNSA | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Sahi, Shivendra | BIOL | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Collins, Don | CURR/INST | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Slocum, D. W. | CHEM | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Pesterfield, Lester | CHEM | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Harper, Doug | PHYS/ASTR | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Antony, Robert J. | HIST | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Lemerise, Elizabeth | PSY | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Lu, Ning | PH | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |
| Richmond, Tom | MATH | Regular | 07/10/03 | 07/31/09 |

C. Graduate Student Research Committee

Members: Dr. Elizabeth Jones (Chair), Dr. Youn Kim, Ms. Jenna Harbaugh

| Student | Department | Amount Awarded |
|-------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| Shannon Cook | Psychology | \$500 |
| Marc Fields | Psychology | \$404 |
| Jennifer Howard | Psychology | \$350 |
| Christina Mayfield | Psychology | \$345 |
| Julie Nichols | Psychology | \$ 85 |
| Shanna Bowers/ Brooke Wootton | Psychology | \$300 |
| Brandy Cobb | Psychology | \$480 |
| Vijay Kolli | Biology | \$500 |
| John Starnes | Biology | \$500 |
| Zaccheus Compson | Biology | \$500 |
| Venkata Achanta | Biology | \$500 |
| Srikanth Aakula | Biology | \$500 |
| Thomas Ruley | Biology | \$500 |
| Ramadevi Bonthu | Biology | \$500 |
| Latha Kotha | Biology | \$500 |

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| David Nuckols | Physical Education | \$350 |
| Jonathan May | Sociology | \$500 |
| Paula Bowles | Sociology | \$500 |
| Amy Frazier | Nursing | \$500 |

D. Rules Committee

Members: Dr. Joan Krenzin (Chair), Dr. Charles Wainright, Mr. Thomas Carnahan

During the past year the Graduate Council and Graduate Studies have identified and referred several policy and procedural questions to the Rules Committee. Responses and recommendations are provided herein. It is expected that any changes in present policies would be included in the new Graduate Bulletin to become effective Fall 2004.

- I. Renaming of Graduate Studies and Research
 - A. Graduate College
- II. Graduate Council
 - A. Elect chair from Graduate Council faculty membership
 - B. Graduate Dean serves as ex-officio, non-voting member
 - C. College Deans may serve as ex-officio, non-voting members
- III. Credits Prior to Admission
 - A. Total number of credits students may apply to their degree program from credits earned prior to admission to the program (courses taken during the senior semester, unclassified status courses, transfer courses, previous master's courses, previous certificate courses) may not exceed twelve (12) hours.
- IV. Unclassified Admission
 - A. Change designation to "post-baccalaureate admission" (not a form of probationary admission to a degree-granting program)
 - B. Maximum of six (6) hours taken in the post-baccalaureate admission status may be transferred, if appropriate, to a degree program.
- V. Seniors Enrolling for Graduate Credit
 - A. Final semester Western seniors who lack no more than six (6) hours to complete a bachelor's degree may enroll in a maximum of six (6) hours of graduate credit. A student lacking no more than nine (9) hours may enroll in a maximum of three (3) hours of graduate credit.
 - B. Seniors enrolling in graduate courses must have met all admission requirements except completion of the bachelor's degree.
- VI. Transfer Credits
 - A. Maximum of nine credit hours may be transferred toward degree programs requiring fewer than 48 hours; maximum of twelve credit hours may be transferred toward degree programs with 48 or more hours.
 - B. In cooperative or joint programs with other universities, credits earned in the program at these institutions are not considered transfer credits.
- VII. Previous Master's Course Work
 - A. Maximum of nine hours of credit from a previous master's program may be accepted toward a second master's degree.
- VIII. Graduate Certificates
 - A. Admission to a graduate certificate is based upon a bachelor's degree and adequate preparation in the area of study.
 - B. Maximum of nine hours of certificate course work, if appropriate, may subsequently be applied toward graduate degree requirements.
 - C. Admission or completion of a graduate certificate does not guarantee admission to a graduate degree program.
- IX. GRE Analytical Writing Score
 - A. Minimum score for degree program admission is a 3.5.
 - B. Scores of 3.5 and 4.0 indicate competent analyses, relevant reasoning, adequate organization, satisfactory sentence structure, and reasonable clarity.
 - C. For ETS data, 14% of 213,284 examinees scored lower than 3.5; for WKU data, 13% of 386 examinees scored lower than 3.5.

- X. 400/400G Dual Level Courses
 - A. The use of 400G course credits on degree programs should be reduced, thereby providing further distinction between the graduate and undergraduate programs.
 - B. The 12 hours of 400G credits should be reduced to 9 hours by Fall 2004 and 6 hours by Fall 2005.
 - C. Programs for teacher certification will be exempt from the reduction in 400G level courses.
- XI. Residency
 - A. Graduate Studies does not have a residency requirement for master's or specialist degree students.
 - B. Western's courses offered by distance education are considered resident credit.
- XII. GRE Questions (not recommendations)
 - A. Should programs have the discretion to base GAP on the last 60 hours and require a higher score? To substitute other standardized test scores (GMAT, LSAT, MCAT, NTE, PRAXIS, etc.)? To accept a previous master's degree in lieu of the GRE requirement? Or not to require the GRE?
 - B. If the GRE is taken a second time because of low Analytical Writing score, is it permissible to base GAP on either the first or second set of verbal and quantitative scores?
 - C. Should there be remediation opportunities available to students who receive low scores on the GRE Analytical Writing test?

E. Student Representatives Committee

Members: Ms. Jenna Harbaugh, Mr. Phillip Shaw, Mr. Thomas Carnahan, Mr. Ariel Sarmiento, Dean Elmer Gray—Advisor

This committee was developed this year to assist student representatives in learning their role on the Graduate Council. While the committee only met once, the students provided insight into what questions, concerns, and ideas they had regarding graduate education at Western. The main issues the students discussed were to improve communication with graduate students and to provide open forums to answer questions and discuss concerns of students.

Meetings were held as needed, and this committee will remain a part of the Graduate Council.

III. Other Business

A. Graduate Council Election

For the first time the Graduate Council Election was held online. The election took place from 12 a.m. to 11:59 p.m., Tuesday, May 6, 2003. The pilot run for the election did not require nominations of faculty members; candidates included all who were eligible to vote, except those whose term had not yet expired. Voters included those who were currently on file in the Graduate Studies office as members of the Graduate Faculty. Voter turnout: 73

The next Graduate Council Election will include 3 days of voting and require nominations prior to the election. Tentative dates: Tuesday, April 27 to Thursday, April 29.

B. Student Representative Election

The student representative election for the Graduate Council will also take place online. The tentative month of voting is August, and nominations will be required prior to voting.