University Graduate Council Minutes

February 8, 2011
Ginter House, rm 221

Members present:
Douglas Boudinot, Chair             Christiana Lafazani
Anne Boyle                            Carrie LeCrom
Melanie Buffington                     Stephen Sawyer
Laurie Carter                           Patricia Slattum
Delores Dungee-Anderson                Leslie Stratton
Herschell Emery                        Ping Xu
Sheryl Finucane                        Yaoying Xu
Vojislav Keeman

Guests: Drs. Lisa Anderson and Humberto Fabelo

I. Committee Reports
   A. Committee on Admissions and Academic Standards
      No report.

   B. Committee on Internal Review
      No report.

   C. Committee on Programs and Courses
      The committee submitted the following report.

      Course/track/concentration deletion
      School of Social Work
      Combined MSW and Certificate in Gender Violence Intervention
      MSW and Master of Arts in Christian Education

      Revised bulletin copy
      School of Engineering
      Revised bulletin copy for the accelerated BS to MS in Computer Science

      Course title change
      School of Medicine
      IDAS 600 Introduction to Addiction
      Change title to: The Biological Basis of Addiction

      School of Pharmacy
      PCEU 624 Pharmacokinetics
      Change title to: Advanced Pharmacokinetics

      Grading change
      School of Pharmacy
      PSCI 607 Introduction to Pharmaceutical Sciences from Bench to Self
      Change to a PR grading style
Other
School of Nursing
NURS 501 Advanced Professionalization I
Course objective change

New Course
School of Medicine
EPID 650 Epidemiologic Methods for Research
EPID 651 Intermediate Epidemiologic Methods for Research

D. Committee on Policies and Procedures
Dr. Finucane reported that the committee will meet in March.

III. Action Items
Admission criteria change
School of Nursing - APPROVED
Doctoral program- change the GRE requirement to read “minimum total GRE score of 800 on verbal and quantitative.”
Master’s program – update to accredited schools and licensing.

New program
School of Social Work - APPROVED
A structured part-time program through the Distance Education Program for the MSW

Revised bulletin copy/program modification
School of Medicine - APPROVED
PhD in Epidemiology – revised bulletin copy
EPID 511 Industrial Hygiene: Hazard Identification and Evaluation – course deletion
EPID 512 Industrial Hygiene: Methods of Hazard Control – course deletion
EPID 571 Epidemiology I: Principles of Epidemiology
Change title to: Principles of Epidemiology
EPID 583 Industrial Ventilation – course deletion
EPID 604 Principles of Occupational and Environmental Health
Change title to: Principles of Environmental Health
Course description change
EPID 606 Epidemiology II: Epidemiological Methods
Change title to: Epidemiological Methods
Change prerequisite to: EPID 560 and 571 and BIOS 543
EPID 617 International Health – course deletion
EPID 622 Maternal and Child Health
Change prerequisite to: EPID 560 and 571
EPID 625 Epidemiology III: Advanced Methods and Data Analysis
Change title to: Advanced Epidemiologic Methods and Data Analysis
Change course number to: EPID 652

IV. Old Business
No old business reported.

V. New Business
No new business reported.

VI. Chair’s Report
No Chair’s report.

Adjourned at 3:15pm.