

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK
Graduate Council Minutes
February 28, 2007

Members Present: D. McAlpine, C. Nahrwold, A. Hunter, J. Bailey, R. Oliva, R. Syler, G. Anderson, S. Minsker, S. Jennings, A. Lindsay, B. Wood, A. Thombre, S. Grace, J. Darsey

Members Absent: I. Duyar, M. James-Barnes, D. Kelly, S. Moak, S. Robison

Others Present: I. Nisanci, R. Sikes, N. Rego

Approval of February 14, 2007 minutes *Approved*

Old Business: *none*

New Business:

Report of Curriculum Sub-Committee

College Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

RHET 4304/5304 Technical Style and Editing – Prerequisites *Approved*

College of Business

ACCT 7368 Advanced Governmental Accounting – New Course *Tabled*

ACCT 7369 International Taxation – New Course *Tabled*

ACCT 7370 Federal Estate and Gift Taxation – New Course *Tabled*

ACCT 7371 Federal Tax Accounting – New Course *Tabled*

ACCT 7372 Federal Tax Practice and Procedure – New Course *Tabled*

CCF II Graduate Certificate in Information Systems Leadership – Other *Approved*

CCF II Graduate Certificate in Management – Other *Approved*

CCF II Graduate Certificate in Management Information Systems – Other *Approved*

MGMT 4365/5365 Small Business Consulting – Title, number, prerequisites, dual-listing *Tabled*

Report of Personnel Sub-Committee

Full

Barnes, Amy O. MA Assistant Professor, School of Mass Communication (CPS) *Tabled*

Boateng, Kwasi PhD Assistant Professor, School of Mass Communication (CPS) *Sent back*

Minnick, J. Bradley PhD Assistant Professor, English (AHSS) *Approved*

Moore, E. Patrick PhD Associated Professor, English (AHSS) *Approved*

Zacher, Dale E. PhD Assistant Professor, School of Mass Communication (CPS) *Approved*

Adjunct

Nagarajan, Radhakrishnan PhD Assistant Professor, Biostatistics (UAMS) *Approved*

Sumpter, Bobby G. PhD Senior Research Scientist, Chemistry (CSAM) *Approved*

Topaloglu, Umit PhD Lead Software Architect, Computer Science (DCISSE) *Approved*

Special

Fellone, Frank MA Deputy Editor, AR Democrat-Gazette, School of Mass Communication (CPS) *Approved*

Motion from the Personnel Committee to revise Graduate Faculty Status:

This motion created considerable discussion. No decision was made and the motion was tabled to allow the Personnel Committee time to consider concerns voiced in the discussion and to revise the draft.

Report of Program Review Sub-Committee *none*

Other Business: *none*

Dean's Report:

There has been a resignation in graduate admissions. We have not been authorized to fill this position at this time. Dr. Sikes and Dean Nisanci are taking over these programs. There will be limited funding available for summer Graduate Assistants. We need to know how many people are interested so we can determine how far the money will go.