

University of Arkansas at Little Rock
Graduate Council Minutes
March 16, 2016

Members Present: Tansel Karabacak, Marjorie Williams-Smith, Brian Berry, Roger Dorsey, Jeff Hamm, LaVerne Bell-Tolliver, Jim Grover, Gail Hughes, Daniel Berleant, Mike DeAngelis, Mary Yang, Kwasi Boateng, Karen Kuralt, Jerry Stevenson, John Siegel

Members Absent: David Gilliam, Monica Davidson

Others Present: Dana Steele, Paula Casey

Meeting called to order at 3:02 p.m. by Dr. Brian Berry.

Old Business

Minutes from March 2, 2016, approved.

New Business

Report from Curriculum Committee

College of Education and Health Professions

16-1038 LSTE New Certificate Program

College of Social Sciences and Communication

16-1099 SPCH 5310 Description Change

16-1100 SPCH 5311 Description Change

16-1101 SPCH 5312 Description Change

16-1102 SPCH 5313 Description Change

16-1103 SPCH 5323 Description Change

16-1104 SPCH 5324 Title Change

16-1105 SPCH 5350 Description Change

16-1106 SPCH 5357 Multiple Changes

16-1114 PADM 7315 Multiple Changes (being changed to PADM 7362)

16-1115 PADM 7363 Title Change

16-1116 PADM 7332 Course Suspension

Clinton School of Public Service

16-1107 CSPS New Program (EMPS)

16-1108 CSPS 7314 New Course

16-1109 CSPS 7315 New Course

16-1110 CSPS 7324 New Course

16-1111 CSPS 7325 New Course

16-1112 CSPS 7321 New Course

16-1113 CSPS 7326 New Course

All Approved

Report from Personnel Committee

Graduate faculty status nominees for affiliate status

Nina Evans	Doctorate	University of South Australia	IFSC
Bruce Hall	Doctorate	UALR	HIST
Olaf Jacob	Doctorate	Neu-Ulm Univ	IFSC

Approved

Nominations for affiliate status for John Forbus and for full status for Jackson Lay Jr. were tabled to verify status desires.

Report from Policies Committee

- Admissions Policy
 - Review on language of admissions standards
 - Debate of how to report percentage of conditional admissions
 - Discussed a special conditional floor
 - Voted to set a floor
 - Considering approximately a 2.5 GPA
 - Possibility of adding graduate hours

Dean's Report

- Larry Beacher is moving to OIR

Open Forum

Meeting adjourned by Dr. Brian Berry at 4:15 p.m.