

**Graduate Programs Committee &
University Graduate Council Minutes
February 21, 2024**

Attendees: Paul Peluso, Chair, Mihaela Cardei, Art Sementelli, Danielle Groton, Rob Pinsker, Eric Berlatsky, Mahyar Shirai, Masoud Lashaki, David Newman, Marianne Porter, Dawn Froot, Tobin Hindle, Beth King, Lauri Rebar.

Guests: Robert Stackman, Marie Claire De Massi, Maria Jennings, Stephen Steppe, Jaquarius Pierre, Zhixiao Xie, Robin Larson, Len Trevino, Christine Kraft.

- I. Meeting called to order by Paul Peluso, Chair, at 2:02 pm.
- II. Announcements/discussion items.
- III. Minutes from the January 24, 2024 UGC Meeting were unanimously approved.
- IV. Curricula items submitted for review and approval by GPC.
- V. Curricula items approved by UGC.
- VI. Meeting adjourned by Paul Peluso, Chair, at 2:48 pm

Curriculum Document Type	Title	College (Department)	Action	Agenda
	Reviewers by College: Education, Engineering & Computer	Arts & Letters		
New Combined Degree Program	BA (Art History or Studio Art) to M.N.M Master of Nonprofit Management	Arts & Letters	A	Consent
Program Change	MA Center for Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies add 3 rd non-thesis option	Arts & Letters	A	Consent
	Reviewers by College: Nursing, Science	Business		
Program Change	PhD Traditional	Business	A	Consent
Course Change	HMG 6756 Meetings & Events Management	Business	A	Consent
New Combined Degree Program	BBA, BS/MS IB Combined Program	Business	A	Consent
	Reviewers by College: Engineering & Computer Science,	Education		
Program Change	Ph.D. Higher Education Leadership concentration, Research Methodology	Education	A	Consent
	Additional Items			
Program Change	Inactive Course Review	Registrar	A	
Form/Catalog Change	Update - Form 16	Graduate College	A	
	GPSA	Jaquarius Pierre	A	

A. Arts & Letters

1. New Combined Degree Program: BA Art History/Studio art to Master of Nonprofit Mgmt.
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.

2. Program Change: MA Center for Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
 - a) Motion and second to approve with changes.
 - b) Approved, with changes.

B. Business

3. Program Change: PhD Traditional
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.

4. Course Change: HMG 6756 Meetings and Events Management-Title change
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.

5. New Combined Degree Program: BBA, BS/MS IB Combined Program
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.

C. Education

6. Program Change: PhD Higher Education Leadership Concentration Research Methodology
 - a) Motion and second to approve, as is.
 - b) Approved, as is.

Catalog Changes: Two catalog changes were presented and unanimously approved.

The GPSA representative, Jaquarius Pierre, announced that Research Day will be by March 27th from 9:00am-1:00pm. Other events include a Networking Social.

Clarification of student travel funding was made.