

Attendees: Art Sementelli – Chair, James Wainberg, Lisa Finnegan, Danielle Groton, Raquel Assis, Patricia Fiorillo, Beth King, Marianne Porter, Lynn Palma, Ajay Bommareddy, Eric Berlatsky, Masoud Jahand Lashaki
Guests: Bob Stackman, Cristobal Salinas, Marie Claire DeMassi, Marc Decker, Viktor Kharlamov, Diane Tinker Hurst, Zhixiao Xio, Stephen Steppe, Carla Maria Thomas, Angela Adriatico
Absent: Ceylan Isgor (GPC, MED), Lincoln Sloas, Audri Pabustan, Deenah Ilario

- 1) Meeting was called to order at 2:05pm by Dr. Sementelli (UGPC Chair).
- 2) Minutes from the [Sept 30, 2025](#) meeting were reviewed and then unanimously approved.
- 3) Curriculum proposals were reviewed by UGPC.
- 4) GPC meeting adjourned at 3:37pm by Dr. Sementelli, Chair.
- 5) UGC called to order at 3:37pm. Slate of GPC items approved at 3:52pm.
- 6) UGC meeting adjourned at 3:52pm by Dr. Sementelli, Chair.

Curriculum Document Type	Title	College (Department)	Action	Forward (to UFS) agenda
Reviewers by College: Education, Engineering & Computer Science				
Course Change	LIT 6066 Introduction to Comparative Literature Study	Arts & Letters	A	Consent
Course Change	MUO 6505 Opera Workshop 1	Arts & Letters	A	Consent
Course Change	MUO 6507 Opera Workshop 2	Arts & Letters	A	Consent
Program Change	Master of Arts – Center for Women, Gender, & Sexuality Studies	Arts & Letters	A	Consent
Reviewers by College: Nursing, Science				
Program Change	Executive Ph.D. in Business Administration	Business	Aa	Consent
New Course Proposal	MAR 7622 Methods in Marketing Research	Business	Aa	Consent
Course Change	MAR 7936 Seminar in Marketing 1 and 2	Business	Aa	Consent
Program Change	Master of Business Administration – AI Concentration	Business	A	Consent
Program Change	Master of Business Administration – AI Concentration - 2	Business	A	Consent

Course Change	ACG 6496 Advanced Accounting Applications of Data Analytics	Business	A	Consent
Reviewers by College: Engineering & Computer Science, Business				
	None	Education		
Reviewers by College: Nursing, Science				
New Combined Degree Program	B.S. in Biomedical Engineering to M.S. in Artificial Intelligence	Engineering	A	Action
New Course Proposal	CAP 6769 Advanced Data Science & Engineering	Engineering	Aa	Consent
Program Change	Ph.D. in Computer Engineering	Engineering	Aa	CRC
Program Change	Ph.D. in Computer Science	Engineering	Aa	CRC
Program Change	Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering	Engineering	Aa	CRC
Program Change	Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering	Engineering	Aa	CRC
Program Change	Ph.D. in Ocean Engineering	Engineering	Aa	CRC
Program Change	Ph.D. in Transportation & Environmental Engineering (#1)	Engineering	A	Consent
Program Change	Ph.D. in Transportation & Environmental Engineering (#2)	Engineering	Aa	CRC
Reviewers by College: Nursing				
	None	Medicine		
Reviewers by College: Arts & Letters, Medicine/Biomedical Science				
Course Change	NGR 6200L Primary Care 1 Practicum: Foundations Adv. Nursing Practice	Nursing	Aa	Consent
Course Change	NGR 6200 Primary Care 1: Foundations Advanced Nursing Practice	Nursing	Aa	Consent
Course Change	NGR 6507L Psychiatric Mental Health: Diagnosis and Management	Nursing	Aa	Consent
Course Change	NGR 6605L Primary Care 2 Practicum: Foundations Advanced Nursing Practice	Nursing	Aa	Consent
Course Change	NGR 6605 Primary Care 2: Foundations Advanced Nursing Practice	Nursing	Aa	Consent

Reviewers by College: SWCJ, Medicine/Biomedical Science				
New Course Proposal	URP 6439 Disasters, Hazard Mitigation & Recovery	Science	A	Consent
Program Change	M.S. in Marine Science and Oceanography	Science	A	Consent
Reviewers by College: Arts & Letters, Education				
	None	Social Work & Criminal Justice		
	Additional Items			
GPSA	None			

a. Arts & Letters

- a. Course Change Request: LIT 6066 Introduction to Comparative Literature Study - change title, admissions requirement and catalogue description.
 - i. Motion and second to approve as is.
 - ii. Approved as is
- b. Motion and second to bundle: Course Change Request - MUO 6505 Opera Workshop 1 and MUO 6507 Workshop 2.
 - i. Bundle motion approved.
 - ii. Motion and second to approve as is.
 - iii. Approved as is
- c. Program Change Request from Master of Arts, Center for Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies: Change required credit hours of coursework from 36 to 30.
 - i. Motion and second to approve as is.
 - ii. Approved as is

b. Business

- a. Motion and second to bundle: Program change request: Executive Ph.D. Bus Admin, change course title & delete existing information and add new course MAR 7622; New Course Proposal: MAR 7622 Methods in Marketing Research *no book required use journal articles* and Course Change Request: MAR 7936 Seminar in Marketing 1 and 2 change description and prerequisites *need brief list of articles*
 - i. Motion and second to approve as amended.
 - ii. Approved as amended
- b. Motion and second to bundle: Program Change Request: Master of Business Administration AI Concentration *Create new concentration in AI effective Spring 2026 & include existing ACG 6496 to the concentration as an elective & AI Concentration 2 add newly approved course MAR 6746 as an elective course for MBA Concentration in AI*; Course Change Request: ACG 6496 Advanced Accounting Applications of Data Analytics *change prerequisites*.
 - i. Bundle motion approved.
 - ii. Approved as is

c. Engineering

- a. New Combined Degree Program Request: B.S. in Biomedical Engineering to M.S. in Artificial Intelligence
 - i. Motion and second to approve as is.
 - ii. Approved as is
- b. New Course Proposal: CAP 6769 Advanced Data Science & Engineering
 - i. Motion and second to approve as amended: *list literature, consider non-degree seeking students, short list of articles with links.*
 - ii. Approved as amended
- c. Motion and second to bundle: Program Change Request to change application deadlines and eliminate separate deadlines for international students: Ph.D. in Computer Engineering, Ph.D. in Computer Science, Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering, Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering, Ph.D. in Ocean Engineering, Ph.D. in Transportation & Environmental Engineering (#2)
 - i. Motion and second to approve as amended: *remove domestic vs. international language.*
 - ii. Approved as amended
- d. Program Change Request: Ph.D. in Transportation & Environmental Engineering (#1): *Clarifying publication requirement prior to dissertation defense.*
 - i. Motion and second to approve as is.
 - ii. Approved as is

d. Nursing

- a. Motion and second to bundle: Course Change Request: NGR 6200L Primary Care 1 Practicum Foundations Adv Nursing Practice, NGR 6200 Primary Care 1 Foundations Advanced Nursing Practice, NGR 6507L Psychiatric Mental Health Diagnosis and Management, NGR 6605L Primary Care 2 Practicum Foundations Advanced Nursing Practice, NGR 6605 Primary Care 2 Foundations Advanced Nursing Practice
 - i. Motion and second to approve as amended *make additions to course in red and include entire syllabus.*
 - ii. Approved as amended

e. Science

- a. New Course Proposal: URP 6439 Disasters, Hazard Mitigation & Recovery
 - i. Motion and second to approve as is.
 - ii. Approved as is
- b. Program Change Request: M.S. in Marine Science and Oceanography: *Edited catalogue language to include more courses for students to complete their elective courses and catalogue language change.*
 - i. Motion and second to approve as is.
 - ii. Approved as is

f. UGPC adjourned; UGC convened at 3:37 PM

g. UGC approved slate of UGPC items

h. Business for the good of UGC: a discussion of BoG metric on degree productivity over 3 years (was 5 years).

i. UGC adjourned at 3:52 PM