



GRADUATE COUNCIL AGENDA

February 24th, 2025

To: Graduate Council

Dr. Terrance McAdoo, Chair; Mr. Hassan Anderson; Drs. Sourav Banerjee, John Doering-White, Lorie Donelle, Jing Fang, Ashley Gess, Edie Goldsmith, Andrew Graciano, Carolyn Harmon, Bill Hauk, Dan Kilpatrick, Haylee Mercado, Kirk Randazzo, Jill Stewart, Sanjib Sur, Sriram Venkataraman, Jing Wen, Rachel Williams, Mark Yancey, Lingyu Yu, and Md. Ariful Islam Sanim, GSA.

CC: President Michael Amiridis, Provost Donna Arnett, Trena Houpp, Deans, Department Chairs, Graduate Directors, and Graduate Program Administrators

From: Dr. Ann Vail, Dean of the Graduate School

The Graduate Council will meet in person on Monday, February 24, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. in Room #584 in the Close-Hipp Building.

1. **Call to Order and Approval of Agenda** (Terrance McAdoo, Chair)
2. **Approval of the Minutes from December 9, 2024.** Approved actions by Graduate Council become effective 30 days after posting. A copy is available on the Graduate School website at: <https://bit.ly/3SvPO0E>.
3. **Report of the Chair** (Terrance McAdoo)
4. **Report of the Dean of the Graduate School** (Ann Vail)
5. **Report of the Graduate Student Association** (Md. Ariful Islam Sanim)
6. **Report of the Academic Policy and Practices Committee** (Bill Hauk)
7. **Report of the 500/600 Level Courses** (Angelina Sylvain)

This report is presented to Council for informational purposes only; no action is necessary.

500/600 Courses for February 2025 Grad Council

(CCP = Course Change Proposal; NCP=New Course Proposal). Total: 7

EDEX 590 (3) Foundations to Support Youth & Young Adults with Disabilities through Applied Transition Coaching, (CCP: Fall 2026)

EDML 584 (3) Middle School Internship Seminar, (CCP: Fall 2026)

FINA 589 (3) Machine Learning and AI (3) Applications to Finance, (NCP: Summer 2025)
GEOG 552 (3) LiDARgrammetric and Photogrammetric Digital Surface Mapping, (CCP: Fall 2026)
PSYC 507 (3) Cognitive Neuroscience, (CCP: Summer 2025)
PSYC 521 (3) Psychology of Adolescence, (CCP: Summer 2025)
PSYC 576 (3) Psychology of Sleep Laboratory, (NCP: Summer 2025)

8. Associate Graduate Faculty Nominations. Total: 3 (Ann Vail)

Name: **Cyntrice Thomas (PhD)**
Program: Sport and Entertainment Management
Term: Spring 2025 – Fall 2030

Name: **Brandi Anderson, PhD**
Program: College of Social Work
Term: Fall 2024 – Fall 2030

Name: **Ann Gowdy, PhD**
Program: College of Social Work
Term: Fall 2024 – Fall 2026

9. Fellowships and Scholarships Committee (Edie Goldsmith)

10. Report of the Science, Math, and Related Professional Programs Committee (Sourav Banerjee)

Below is a list of proposals reviewed by the Committee. Total: 9

- **ATEP 735** (3) Contemporary Issues in Athletic Training, (CCP: Summer 2025)
- **Behavioral Health in Athletic Training, Certificate**, (Program Change Request: Fall 2026)
- **Critical Incident Management & Primary Care in Athletic Training, Certificate**, (Program Change Request: Fall 2026; Online Course Delivery Fall 2025)
- **Cyber Security Studies, Certificate**, (Program Change Request: Fall 2026; Online Course Delivery Fall 2025)
- **EXSC 776** (3) Ergogenic Aids: Science vs. Myth, (NCP: Summer 2025)
- **HSPM 810** (3) Fundamentals of Data Analysis, (NCP: Summer 2025)
- **HSPM 811** (3) Linear Regression Models, (CCP: Fall 2026). The course number is changing. It was formerly known as **HSPM 717**.
- **HSPM 812** (3) Panel Data Analysis, (CCP: Fall 2026). The course number is changing. It was formerly known as **HSPM 720**.
- **HSPM 813** (3) Categorical Data Analysis, (NCP: Summer 2025)

11. Report of the Humanities, Social Sciences, Education, and Related Professional Programs Committee (Andrew Graciano)

Below is a list of proposals reviewed by the Committee. Total: 13

- **Library and Information Science, S.L.I.S.**, (Program Inactivation Proposal: Fall 2025)

- **Health Care Compliance, Certificate**, (Program Change Request: Fall 2026)
- **ACCT 749** (3) Tax Issues for Tax Professionals, (NCP: Summer 2025)
- **ACCT 752** (3) Advanced Business Entity Tax Issues, (CCP: Fall 2026)
- **ACCT 753** (3) Advanced Individual Tax Issues, (CCP: Fall 2026)
- **ACCT 754** (3) Multijurisdictional Tax Issues, (CCP: Fall 2026)
- **EDUC 733** (3) Foundations of Teaching for Learning, (NCP: Summer 2025)
- **IBUS 741** (3) From Algorithms to Strategies: Mastering Artificial Intelligence for Business, (NCP: Summer 2025)
- **MGSC 896** (3) Business Intelligence Systems with AI Applications, (CCP: Fall 2026)
- **MKTG 722** (3) Machine Learning for Business Decision Making, (CCP: Fall 2026)
- **MKTG 725** (3) AI in Marketing, (NCP: Summer 2025)
- **Artificial Intelligence in Business, Certificate**, (New Program Proposal: Summer 2025)
- **Public Safety Executive Leadership, Certificate**, (Program Change Request: Fall 2025)

12. Report of the Grievances, Appeals and Petitions Committee (Sriram Venkataraman)
Grade Change Petition Case review.

13. Other Committee Reports

14. Old Business

15. New Business

16. Good of the Order

Reminder Dates:

March 24, 2025: The next scheduled meeting of the Graduate Council will be in person on Monday, March 24th, 2025, at 2:00 pm in Room 584 in Close-Hipp.

17. Adjournment

Graduate Council Curriculum Committee Proposals in Queue

As of 02/14/2025

Course Proposals in Review

Humanities, Social Sciences, Education, and Related Professional Programs

Course	Course Description
ARTE 701 (3) Seminar in Art Education, (CCP: Summer 2025)	Research methods used in art education and related areas.
ARTE 702 (3) Problems in the Teaching of Art, (CCP: Summer 2025)	Problems in teaching a discipline-based approach to art education; examination of the lives and works of famous artists and production of teaching materials.
ARTE 703 (3) Issues and Trends in Art Education, (CCP: Summer 2025)	Subject-centered approach to art history; the interrelationship of art and society, and the significance of art in social change.
ARTE 705 (3) Program Development in Art, (CCP: Summer 2025)	Comprehensive studies of curriculum designs and methods, methods and technologies from modernist to postmodernist assumptions in elementary and high school art education programs.
MART 781B (3) Research and Practice in New Media Art (3) Mobile Platforms, (CCP: Summer 2025)	Advanced study of new media art in one or more of the following topics: 781A Site- based and Installation Art; 781B Mobile Platforms; 781C Media Performance; 781D Video Game Design; 781E Sound Art. Course may be taken 2 times.
ARTE 701 (3) Seminar in Art Education, (CCP: Summer 2025)	Research methods used in art education and related areas.
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ARTE 703 (3) Issues and Trends in Art Education, (CCP: Summer 2025)	Subject-centered approach to art history; the interrelationship of art and society, and the significance of art in social change.

Program Proposals in Review

Humanities, Social Sciences, Education, and Related Professional Programs

Business Administration, P.M.B.A., (Program Change Request: Fall 2026)

Business Administration/Pharmacy, M.B.A. / Pharm.D., (Program Change Request: Fall 2026)
Business Administration, P.M.B.A., (Program Change Request: Fall 2026)