UNIVERSITY OF
South Carolina
The Graduate School

GRADUATE COUNCIL AGENDA

May 9th, 2022

To: Graduate Council

         Dr. Nikki Wooten, Chair; Drs. Demetrius Abshire, Matt Boylan, Subra Bulusu, Jean
         Ellis, Shana Harrington, Elise Ince, Hippokratis Kiaris, Marketa Kubickova, William
         Matchin, Jim Mensch, Shrihari Nelakuditi, David Reisman, Stephen Shapiro, Sheryl
         Wiskur, Neal Woods, Songhua Xu, Christina Yao, Maggie Carson, GSA; Murray
         Mitchell (Secretary), Dale Moore (Graduate School: ex officio member).

CC: Interim President Harris Pastides, Interim Provost Stephen Cutler, Trena Houp, Deans,
         Department Chairs, Graduate Directors, and Graduate Program Administrators

From: Dr. Tracey Weldon, Dean of the Graduate School and Vice Provost for Graduate
         Education

The Graduate Council will meet virtually using Microsoft Teams on Monday, May 9, 2022, at
2:00P.M.

1. **Call to Order and Approval of Agenda** (Nikki Wooten, Chair)

2. **Approval of the Minutes from April 25, 2022**. Approved actions by Graduate Council become
    effective 30 days after posting. A copy is available on the Graduate School website at:
    http://app.gradschool.sc.edu/gradcouncil/minutes.asp .

3. **Report of the Chair** (Nikki Wooten)

4. **Report of the Dean of the Graduate School** (Tracey Weldon)

5. **Report of the Secretary of the Graduate Council** (Murray Mitchell)

6. **Report of the Interim Associate Dean for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, and Associate
    Director, Grace Jordan McFadden Professors Program** (Toby Jenkins)

7. **Report on Professional Development** (Wright Culpepper)

8. **Report of the Graduate Student Association** (Maggie Carson)

9. **Report of the Academic Policy and Practices Committee** (Stephen Shapiro)

10. **Report of the 500/600 Level Courses** (Murray Mitchell)

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

> **500/600 Courses for May 2022 Grad Council**
> (CCP = Course Change Proposal; NCP=New Course Proposal)
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> **EDEC 510** (3) Parent/Family Dynamics in Early Childhood Education (CCP: Fall 2023)
> **EDEC 591** (3) Seminar on Teaching in Early Childhood (CCP: Fall 2023)

11. **Associate Graduate Faculty Nominations** (Murray Mitchell)

> Name: **Elizabeth Regan** (PhD)
> Program: Exercise Science/DPT Program
> Term: Fall 2020 – Fall 2026
>
> Name: **Bridget McFadden** (PhD)
> Program: Exercise Science/DPT Program
> Term: Summer 2022 – Summer 2028

12. **Fellowships and Scholarships Committee** (Jean Ellis)

13. **Report of Science, Math, and Related Professional Programs Committee** (Hippokratis Kiaris)

Below is a list of proposals reviewed by the Committee. Each curricular action can be viewed at this Public Agenda review site:

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- **ITEC 766** (3) IT Project Management, Engineering and Computing, CCP: Summer 2022
- **ITEC 781** (3) Artificial intelligence and Informatics I, Engineering and Computing, CCP: Summer 2022

14. **Report of the Humanities, Social Sciences, Education, and Related Professional Programs Committee** (Jim Mensch)

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- **CRIM Major / Degree Program**, Criminology and Criminal Justice, Ph.D., Arts and Sciences, Change to Existing Program: Fall 2023
- **EDFI 731** (3) Qualitative Inquiry, Education, CCP: Summer 2022
- **INTE Major / Degree Program**, Language and Literacy Education, Education, Change to Existing Program: Fall 2023

15. **Report of the Grievances, Appeals and Petitions Committee** (Shana Harrington)

16. **Other Committee Reports**

17. **Old Business**

18. **New Business**

19. **Good of the Order**

20. **Adjournment**