Graduate Studies Council Report

The Graduate Studies Council was established to implement and foster a graduate studies culture and provide a forum and a process for developing policies and practices for Graduate Studies at Middle Georgia State University.

The Council met six times this academic year to evaluate and discuss graduate admissions, graduate student resources and assistantships, the graduate faculty handbook, and professional development for graduate course instructors.

Our Curriculum and Assessment Committee revised an instrument to evaluate graduate program proposals, our Student Resources Committee worked with a Graduate Student Advisory group, and our Faculty Development Committee reviewed qualifications, roles, and status for graduate course instructors.

The Graduate Studies Council continues to serve as an advisory group making recommendations to the President, the Provost, the Senate, and its standing committees.

Respectfully submitted to the MGA University Assembly on April 25, 2018. Dr. Randy Spaid, Chair