

Graduate Studies Council AY2022-2023  
Minutes from October 14, 2022  
Meeting 2 via Microsoft Teams  
Approved: 11/18/2022

Members attending: Dr. Gerald Lucas (Council Chairperson), Dr. Kerry Garrett, Dr. James Hagler, Dr. Sumitra Himangshu-Pennybacker, Dr. Kempley Lingelbach, Dr. Monica Miller, Dr. Andre Nicholson, Dr. Vicky Sandoval, Dr. Ed Steigerwald, Dr. Traci Swartz (Recorder)

Absent: Dr. William Carty, Mr. Drew McIntosh

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Five courses fiction, poetry, screenwriting, narrative  
journalism, publishing and the creative writer  
Could be appropriate for vocational and avocational  
learners  
Has been most requested certificate, as students are  
interested in content creation  
Focused on developm

c. Graduate Student Award

Dr. Hagler is on Faculty Affairs Committee

Dr. Hagler suggested an ad hoc committee to discuss format of graduate student award and criteria

Currently not many recognitions for graduate students

Previous document in MS Teams with information about a potential graduate student award (includes eligibility, process, etc.)

Dr. Himangshu-Pennybacker suggested partnering with community and local organizations to potentially sponsor awards also

Motion requested for formation of a committee to discuss Graduate Student Awards. Motion charged by Dr. Himangshu-Pennybacker and seconded by Dr. Hagler

Action: Dr. Hagler, Dr. Himangshu-Pennybacker, Dr. Nicholson, and Dr. Lingelbach will serve on ad hoc committee to discuss and bring before Faculty Senate. Will report back to GSC at future meeting.

6. Announcements

Next meeting: November 11, 2022 (to be rescheduled?)

No other announcements

7. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 9:31a.m. by Dr. Swartz. Motion charged by Dr. Garrett and seconded by Dr. Lingelbach