Graduate Course and Program Review Committee Wednesday, August 27, 2014 2-3:30 P.M. Meeting Minutes

Present: Jason Baker, Caleb Corkery, Victor DeSantis, Leslie Gates, Heather Girvin, Claudia Haferkamp, Kim Heilshorn, Ojoma Edeh Herr, Clarence Maxwell, Jenny Monn, Becky Mowrey, Susanne Nimmrichter, Cynthia Taylor, Scott Warner, Tiffany Wright, Sepi Yalda

Meeting commenced at 2:08 p.m. by Becky Mowrey

- 1. Review of Minutes
- 2. Updates and Announcements
 - a. Jenny Monn is Nursing Program Coordinator
 - b. Jason Baker is School Counseling Program Coordinator
 - c. Agenda items need to be submitted by the Wednesday prior to the committee meeting
- 3. MU Commencement Regalia Policy
 - a. Dr. Mowrey reminded the committee that commencement is a University event and only approved regalia should be worn at commencement. If anyone would like to see this policy changed they would need to introduce it as an agenda item and then the next steps can be taken.
- 4. Doctoral Degree Academic Policies
 - a. Expectations of doctoral faculty-keep to minimum
 - b. Faculty recruitment
 - i. Graduate committees should be made up of qualified individuals to keep integrity of program
 - c. Salary differential based on fields of study
 - d. Time limit—7 year?
 - e. Residency requirements-Find new word
 - i. Are students allowed to start & stop?
 - ii. Allow one semester off?
 - f. Fees for all programs need to remain same
 - g. Baseline for 3 programs
 - h. Capstone piece?

Meeting adjourned at 3:25 p.m. by Becky Mowrey