Graduate Council
Columbus State University

Minutes of the December 9, 2011 Meeting

Members Present
Wayne Summers, Chair  Sallie Miller, Chair-Elect  Nancy Moore  Cheryl Smith
Andrew Zohn  Brenda May Ito  Warren Church  Kirk Heroit
Betty Hipps  Greg Domin  Tara Underwood  John Brown

Daniel Gullo (guest)

1. At 12:00 p.m. the meeting was called to order by Chair Wayne Summers.

2. The minutes for the previous meeting were reviewed and approved.

3. Greg Domin reported that Justin Finney had finished all requirements for his doctorate. The Council voted to allow Dr. Finney to be the first to graduate at the upcoming December graduation.

   Domin added that the recent Graduate Conference was well attended and made $3,300 for us with next year’s conference.

   March 22, 20112 had been designated as the date for a Graduate Exposition.

   February 16, 2012 was going to be Diversity Day.

   Guidelines for a Master’s in Science degree has just been submitted and may be put on the Board of Regents’ agenda for Spring or at the latest, Fall, 2012.

   Work is being done right now for an orientation for graduate students.

4. John Brown (CSU Registrar) talked about changes to the CSU Catalogue. He emphasized that most of the material was the same but more clearly stated in the new catalogue.

   Several members offered to work with John about further clarification of students on probation crossing over to other disciplines.

   Council moved to approve designated changes and modifications to the catalogue

5. A report was given by Wayne Summers about Curriculum Subcommittee.

   - Council approved.
Proposal for a combined 3+2 B.S. and M.S. program in Computer Science was approved.
Proposal for changes to the Master in Theatre Education was tabled until 2012.
Daniel spoke about changes in the history department curriculum:
  o Proposal for changes to the Master in History was approved
  o Proposal for a RACE Concentration to the Master in History was approved

6. The was no New Business

7. Next meeting: January 13, 2012 12:00 p.m., VPAA Conference Room

8. At 12:56 p.m. the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted – Nancy Moore