



Graduate Studies Committee

September 21, 2006

1:30PM to 2:30PM

Dean's Conference Room (4307, HPNP)

Members:

Dr. Ray Bergeron (MC), Dr. Jeff Hughes (PC), Dr. Joanna Peris (PD), Dr. Carole Kimberlin (PHCA), Dr. Reggie Frye (PP), Ms. Krista Wilson (GS), Dr. Bill Millard (ORGS), Ms. Deborah Stowell (ORGS)

AGENDA TOPICS

1. Meeting Overview

- ☞ Accept minutes from the August 24, 2006 meeting.

2. Informational Items

FYI TSE

FYI Research Showcase – February 22, 2007

3. Action Items



4. Discussion

- ☞ Updates on Progress for Self-study of Graduate Programs
- ☞ PharmD/PhD Program



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Minutes from September 21, 2006

Attendees: Drs. Bergeron (MC); Hughes (PC), Frye (PP), Peris (PD), Kimberlin (PHCA), Krista Wilson (GS); Millard and Stowell (ORGS).

1. Meeting Overview

Meeting was opened at 1:35pm in room 4307 with the minutes from the August 24, 2006 GSC meeting being approved as recorded.

2. Informational Items

Krista Wilson was introduced as the new president of the College of Pharmacy Graduate Student President. Ms. Wilson will be sitting in on the meetings with the GSC from now on to represent the graduate students.

TSE: The TSE is being done away with. All foreign students will have to take the SPEAK test either here or at another US university. An alternative to the SPEAK test is for the student to take the TOEFL-iBT which has a SPEAK test component in it.

Research Showcase: Dr. Millard announced to the committee that the 2007 Annual Research Showcase will be held on Thursday, February 22. If any committee member knows of a Key Note Speaker please forward the information on to Dr. Millard.

3. Action Items

4. Discussion

Graduate Programs Self-study: Dr. Millard reminded the committee that we are doing the self-study. Dr. Millard has already finished the faculty component and is now working on finalizing the graduate student component. Once he is done he will distribute the files to the committee. Dr. Millard asked that each faculty member track down any graduate student who we don't know the where-abouts of.

PharmD/PhD Program: Dr. Frye gave an update on the revision/review of the joint PharmD/PhD program. He asked each department to update their department description and courses offered. Dr. Millard will also verify if a total of 12 or 16 credits are transferable to the PhD program.

Meeting adjourned at 2:25pm