

MINUTES
Graduate Studies Committee
September 27, 2023

Present: Registrar Rosario; Professors Bamshad-Alavi, DeSimone, McGovern, Samuel, and Seiger-Gardner

- 1) The meeting was called to order at 11 a.m.
- 2) The committee approved the minutes from the meeting on August 30, 2023.
- 3) The committee discussed and approved proposals from the following departments and decided to send them to the senate for final approval:

Department of Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences

- New course: SPE 759

Division of Enrollment Management

- New policy: *English Proficiency Requirements for Student Education Outside of the United States*
- Revised policy: *International Students*

- 4) The committee discussed proposals from the following departments and asked the departments to review and revise their proposals and submit them for review at the next grad studies meeting:

Department of Finance, Information Systems and Economics

- Course change: MSB 712 – needs to be submitted as a new course (ACC 712) instead

Department of Accounting

- Change in degree requirements: MS, Accounting
- Addition of distance education format: MS, Accounting

- 5) Prof. Samuel generously agreed to assume the role of grad studies chair for the spring 2024 semester while Prof. DeSimone is on fellowship. The committee members agreed to take turns presenting at the senate meeting each month if another volunteer cannot be found to present at each meeting.


- 6) The committee discussed and approved an informational item from the following department:

Department of Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences

- Experimental course: SPE 762

The meeting adjourned at 12 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,


Janet R. DeSimone, Chair