

School of Graduate Studies

Graduate Council Minutes March 26, 2009

Members Present: Janzow, presiding; Bertrand, Branscum, Chamberlain, Gunn, Heischmidt, Jackson, Judd, Kiehne, Koch, Pruett, Roberts, Taylor. Visitors: Drs. Buchanan, Dowdy, Noe.

Minutes of February 19, 2009 were **deferred** to April meeting.

Dean's Report:

- Janzow urged members to pay special attention to budget issues and how the university is planning for the state's allocation of stimulus money.

GSAC Report (Pruett):

- Pruett noted that participation is dismal and those who did attend had questions about the graduate assistant allocations and job descriptions being available to students.

Academic Standards Committee Report (Taylor):

- Taylor announced that the committee would have its recommendations ready next month.

Assessment Committee Report (Judd):

- Judd said his committee was reading the last packet and would have a report ready for the April meeting.

Curriculum Committee Report (Branscum):

- Branscum stated the items on the agenda were approved by her committee.

Action Items:

- Master of Arts in Teacher Leadership **approved**. (Roberts/Bertrand)
- Michele Tanz from the Department of Nursing was chosen as recipient of Excellence in Teaching Award.

Information Items:

Courses Approved Via Electronic Vote:

- CF531 - Basic Principles of Applied Behavior Analysis
- CF532 - Behavioral Assessment & Data Analysis
- CF533 - Strategies for Behavioral Intervention & Change
- CF534 - Supervised Field Experience I (as amended)
- CF535 - Supervised Field Experience II (as amended)
- EA653 - Curriculum For Leaders In Education

The meeting adjourned at 9:50 a.m.