

# School of Graduate Studies

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## Graduate Council Minutes

April 21, 2011

UC Program Lounge 8:30am

**Members Present:** McGowan, presiding; Ahmed, Bertrand, Caldwell, Eaton, Freshwater, Fulkerson, Gunn, Heath, Heischmidt, Jackson, Judd, Roberts, Taylor, Veneziano, Wang, Welter, Zen. **Visitors:** Branscum, Haims, Ray.

The Excellence in Teaching Award was presented to Dr. Branscum on behalf of Emily Ligon and the Excellence in Research Award was presented to Dr. Haims on behalf of Ashley Dyer.

### Reports:

Dean: McGowan has enjoyed his role as interim Graduate Dean and thanked Marsha Arant for her excellent support.

Academic Standards (Taylor): No report.

Assessment (Judd): No report.

Curriculum (Heischmidt): The committee has been reviewing documents.

### Action Items **approved:**

- Minutes of March 24, 2011. (Taylor/Freshwater)
- M.S.: Criminal Justice Revisions [as amended] (Taylor/Welter)
- M.A.: Elementary Education Revisions (Roberts/Bertrand)
- M.A.: Exceptional Child Education Revisions (Taylor/Roberts)

### Courses **Approved** via Electronic Vote:

CJ699	Internship
EX507	Parent and the Exceptional Child
GM525	Virtuality in Gaming
GM580	Motion Capture Technology
GM585	Computer Special Effects
GM680	Stereoscopic Imaging
GR604	Brief Seminar on College Teaching
MG575	Information Technology Management

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 a.m.