MINUTES OF A MEETING OF
THE COUNCIL COMMITTEE ON THE FACULTY OF GRADUATE STUDIES AND
RESEARCH
Tuesday, September 13, 2016


Guests: D Kikulwe, C Winter


1. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Stilling - Irwin

MOVED to approve the agenda as circulated. CARRIED

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES from May 2, 2016

Onder - Volodin

MOVED to approve the minutes as circulated. CARRIED

3. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

No business.

4. LIBRARY COPYRIGHT SERVICES PRESENTATION (Christina Winter)

Ares Reserves (Preferred Option)
A new tool, Ares Reserves, has been integrated into UR Courses starting this fall semester for distributing and reviewing course readings. Copies of copyright-protected readings distributed in UR Courses will need to be reviewed using this service or the option described below.
Instructions for using Ares Reserves are available here http://www.uregina.ca/urcourses/about/ares-reserves.html or http://uregina.libguides.com/ares-reserves.

Reading List Service (Alternative Option)
Faculty can submit their reading lists or course materials to copyright@uregina.ca for review. The copyright status of course readings will be assessed, persistent links to available Library licensed resources created, and any needed transactional licenses acquired. This service also aims to lower costs to students by leveraging existing Library licensed resources.
5. REPORT FROM THE VICE-PRESIDENT (RESEARCH)
   - Thank you to Thomas Bredohl for taking over the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research. He is the first humanities professor to assume a Dean position in FGSR.
   - The Strategic Research Plan has been approved by the Council Committee on Research and will proceed to the Executive of Council.

6. REPORTS FROM FGSR
   6.1 Dean's Report
      - Welcomed the new council committee members.
      - Report (Appendix A)

   6.2 Associate Dean Report – Dongyan Blachford
      No report

   6.3 Manager, Graduate Scholarships and Awards
      1. Tri-Council Competitions:
         1.1 CIHR Doctoral Awards – Students have to apply directly to CIHR with a deadline of October 4
         1.2 SSHRC Doctoral Awards – Launched in August. We have a quota of 5 this year, which was same as last year.
         1.3 Vanier Doctoral Awards – Students must apply directly to their academic unit by September 23. We have 1 NSERC and 1 SSHRC allocation this year. There will be no CIHR allocation for U of R this year, as we used it last year.

      2. Graduate Research Fellowships:
         We awarded 11 Masters and 16 Doctoral Research Fellowships this year.

      3. Line Faculty Scholarships announced in July:
         Must be allocated by the end of this fiscal year.

      4. 2016 Fall Saskatchewan Innovation Scholarships:
         Applications are due to faculties by October 31; then by November 18 to FGSR office.

   6.4 Faculty Administrator
      No report

   6.5 PhD Committee – Dr. Mark Brigham
      Meeting scheduled for September 15 to determine the new chair.
6.6 Scholarship and Awards Committee
No report

7. REPORTS FROM FACULTIES

7.1 Faculty of Science

MOTION 1: Course Change

Volodin – D’arcy

MOVED to apply a note to CS 600 (Co-op Placement Report) effective 201710.

CS 600 Co-op Placement Report
Students enrolled in a work study program will be required to complete a report on their Work Placement.
Note: Completion of CS 601 and CS 602 are required prior to registration in CS 600.

CARRIED

7.2 Faculty of Social Work

MOTION 1: Course Change

Daniel – Jeffery

MOVED to convert the following directed reading courses to regular courses effective 200710.

SW 817 Critical Issues in Addiction (3)
This course explores research, theory, and policy in addictions and examines individual, group and community levels interventions within the Canadian political and economic realities. The complex interactions of biological, psychological, and sociocultural factors will be examined to provide knowledge and skills in advanced social work practice in the field of addiction.

SW 852 Advanced Social Work Practice with Children and Youth (3)
This class will review child and adolescent development, ethical considerations in working with children and youth, diversity, group work and other theories of intervention. Students will be expected to focus on common problems for children and youth.

SW 867 Critical indigenous Analysis of Social Welfare Policy (3)
This course focuses on critical and theoretical analyses of historical and contemporary social welfare policies and practises affecting Indigenous people in Canada. A wide array of Indigenous theory writings and public policies are introduced and reviewed to facilitate understanding of Indigenous and decolonizing frameworks for social welfare policy analysis.

CARRIED
MOTION 2: Program Change

Daniel – Jeffery

MOVED to table Motion 2 until next council committee meeting. CARRIED

7. OTHER BUSINESS
Mark Brigham mentioned The Canada-Wide Science Fair to take place May 15 and 16, 2017. (Appendix B)

8. ADJOURNMENT (3:10PM)

NOTE:
The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 1, 2016 at 2:30PM.
Location – AH 527
(The deadline for submission of agenda items is Tuesday, October 18, 2016).

Prepared by: Rebecca Sparvier on behalf of Thomas Bredohl.
## Graduate Student Profile
### History of Graduate Enrolments

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Capers Reports – 2016 done on September 12

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2016 CGPSS (Canadian Graduate and Professional Student Survey) Results

Full-Time & Part-Time Graduate Students

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National survey responses ≈ 53,742 ; U of R responses ≈ 616
Increasing student population

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Graduate Students by Faculty

- Education: 459
- Engineering: 338
- Johnson-Shoyama Grad Sch PP: 306
- Science: 225
- Administration: 196
- Arts: 176
- Social Work: 119
- Nursing: 65
- Media, Art, and Performance: 42
- Kinesiology & Health Studies: 39
- La Cite universitaire franco: 18

Casper Reports - Sept 12, 2016
More Part-Time Students

- Part-Time: U of R 38%, Canada 17%
- Full-Time: U of R 83%, Canada 62%

More International Students

- International Students Population:
  - U of R: 43%
  - Canada: 30%

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Regina 2017
Judging Information Sheet

1) When is Judging for the CWSF?
Judging for the CWSF will take place on Tuesday May 16 2017 and will take a full day. Judges should also be available on the evening of Monday May 15 for the Judges’ orientation.

3) What kind of expertise is needed?
There are on the order of 400 projects at a CWSF and all aspects of science and technology are represented. We therefore need expertise in everything! While we cannot guarantee a project in your particular subfield, it is almost certain that there will be something related to your field. That being said, we particularly need engineers and health professional of all types including dentists and veterinarians.

2) Who is qualified to Judge at the CWSF?
The key requirement for a judge at CWSF is experience. The top projects at CWSF have, in the past, resulted in publications in high impact journals and patents being awarded. We need judges who can function at that level. The usual requirements are:

- A PhD, M.D. or an equivalent degree.
- A M.Sc. or equivalent degree with 4 years of experience in the field.
- A B.Sc. or equivalent degree with 6 years of experience in the field.

That being said, we encourage all interested parties to inquire.

4) How do I get involved?
Contact the local judging team! We are:

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