

**COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
GRADUATE FACULTY COMMITTEE MEETING
MINUTES
October 19, 2018**

Immediately following Faculty Assembly

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- I. Approval of minutes** of Graduate Faculty
Committee meeting of August 31, 2018 Wendy Sellers
Unanimous Approval of minutes
- II. Introductory Remarks**..... Wendy Sellers
Approved Dr. Ephraim Sommers, English, as Graduate Faculty
- III. Report from CAS Committees**
a. Curriculum Committee Kathryn Kohl
All Curriculum proposals approved (see Appendix)
- IV. Graduate Director's Remarks** M. Gregory Oakes
Reminder about the Three Minute Thesis Competition, Dr. Oakes encourages faculty to reach out to graduate students who have done research to present their work
- V. Old Business**
none initiated
- VI. New Business**
no new business
- VII. Adjournment**

Note: Quorum (35% of graduate faculty) is 22 faculty members. The minimum attendance to do business (20% of graduate faculty) is 13 faculty members.

Respectfully submitted

Devon F. Ralston

CAS Curriculum Committee Report

October 9, 2018 meeting

1. The following course actions were approved:

- a. Modify course: NUTR 528, Dietetic Internship Supervised Practice Experience I
 - i. Suite number was incorrect – The address is no longer included.
- b. Modify course: NUTR 529, Dietetic Internship II: Supervised Practice Experience II
 - i. “Cleaning up errors.” Removed address because it is always changing.
- c. Modify course: NUTR 530, Dietetic Internship III: Supervised Practice Experience III
 - i. “Cleaning up errors.” Removed address because it is always changing.
- d. Modify course: NUTR 531, Dietetic Internship IV: Supervised Practice Experience IV
 - i. Shortened description. Changed required hours from 15-20. Only be offered in spring – not fall and spring.
- e. New course: NUTR 535, Introduction to Medical Lactation
 - i. Micro certificate: Meets the didactic criteria for taking the IBCLC certifying exam. Trying to increase the number of breast feeders in the state of South Carolina.
- f. New course: NUTR 536, Medical Lactation Therapy
 - i. Micro certificate: Continuation of NUTR 535
- g. Modify course: ANTH 540, Cultural Ecology
 - i. Changing course to look out how humans have modified and adapted instead of how the world has adapted. Changes to meet instructor’s strengths. Current instructor has taught this course at other universities.
- h. Modify course: SOCL 508, Global Migration and Immigration Policy
 - i. Changed name of X course and would like to offer it as part of the regular curriculum
- i. New course: SOCL 509, Masculinities
 - i. Popular X course
- j. Modify course: SOCL 525, Sociology of Law
 - i. Adding a prerequisite to promote proper sequencing
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2. The following program actions were approved

- i. Modify program: MS-NUTR

Currently have one masters in Nutrition but it appears that there are 3 masters in Nutrition. Will remove other 2 apparent options. In current Masters, removing one course and adding an elective.

- ii. Modify program: MLA-LART-PLCE

Students need to choose at least 2 designators beyond LART. Discussion of which courses should /are included. Suggested to add HIST 547 and 501. Remove of MasCom courses.