



**GEORGIA
COLLEGE**
& STATE UNIVERSITY

Graduate Council Meeting
Friday, April 12, 2024
1:00 p.m.
Library 302

Call to Order @ 1:06pm

Members: Holley Roberts (Grad School), Winston Tripp (CoAS), Tanya Goette (CoBT), Kim Muschaweck (CoEd), Diane Gregg (CoEd), Lisa Griffin (CoHS), Krystal Canady (CoHS), Max Harleman (CoAS), Al Mead (CoAS), Parris Story* (Grad Admissions), Grayson Miller (Student).

*non-voting

Additional: Nicolette Doyle, Kay Anderson, Rhonda Griffin, Eleni Bonner

Regrets: Joseph Peters (CoEd), Scott Cox (CoBT), Josie Doss (CoHS) Cassie Napier* (CoBT),

Guests:

Approval of Minutes – March 8, 2024

Motion to approve- TG

Second - MH

Approved unanimously.

Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve- TG

Second - MH

Approved unanimously – (amended Agenda)

Welcome and Graduate School Updates: Dr. Holley Roberts

-Thank you to all who attended the Graduate School Ceremony.

-Enrollment for all graduate programs was up 7% from last fall. Spring was up as well by approximately 2%.

-2 new graduate programs approved this academic year.

1) BSN to DNP

2) MAT in elementary education

-Improvement in rankings for News & World Reports this year

-We continue giving out more research funding every year

-Continued partnership with Writing Center

-Graduate Research continues to improve and increase among our students

-56 students participated in the Research Day

-10 Double Bobcat pathways

- Improved digital marketing this year, improved interest in our programs

- We continued with a deep dive into GA roles related to hours, equity, etc.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

- **Action Items:**

College of Arts & Sciences

- Master of Criminal Justice Program:
 - Substitution of CRJU 6970 for CRJU 6940 or CRJU 6960
- Explanation provided by Dr. Tripp
 - Small changes to allow more options for students were discussed/explained.

Motion- TG

Second- DG

Approved Unanimously

College of Business & Technology

- IS & CS MMIS:
 - Rename Certificate: IS Data Analytics changed to Analytics & Machine Learning Certificate
 - Rename Certificate: Web Developer changed to Applied Generative AI Certificate
 - Delete IT Auditing Certificate
 - Create - Enterprise Systems & AI Certificate
 - MMIS Program structure change
- Updates and further clarification provided by Tanya Goette
 - 3 certificates exist currently -they are changing names and are updating/included content with other courses that include the deleting a current certificate that has minimal numbers and creating a new certificate that is more sought after.
 - Currently MMIS has 6 required and 4 electives but are going to swap to 4 required and 6 electives.

Motion -LG

Second- MH

Approved unanimously.

- MLSCM- internship will now be a part of the program for spring cohort unless they get some sort of course substitution.

Questions brought forward by committee and answered by Tanya Goette.

Tuition was discussed by Kay Anderson

Motion - GM

Second- LG

Approved unanimously.

- MML:
 - MLSCM: Double Bobcats
- Updates and any further clarification again were provided by Tanya Goette as well regarding these changes. Committee discussion was had, questions brought forth and clarification was provided.

College of Education:

- none:

College of Health Sciences

- none:

- **Information Items:**

- CRJU 6960 change to letter grade
- NRSRG 5900 new course; NRSRG 8300 credit hour allocation changed to 4-0-4 and the clinical hour requirement removed
- MMIS 6391 name change; MMIS 6398 new course; MMIS 6298 new course; MMIS 6299 new course; MMIS 6392 new course; MMIS 6240 name change; MMIS 6395 new course; MMIS 6210 new course
- MMIS Double Bobcats modified classes.
 - MLSCM: Double Bobcats (only spring cohort)
- Overall updates provided by college representatives.

Update from Each College:

- College of Arts & Sciences
- College of Business & Technology
- College of Education
- College of Health Sciences

Overall updates provided by college representatives.

Announcements/Discussion:

A new hire Eleni B. (previous graduate from nursing department) was introduced, and she will be taking Shannon Garners pervious position.

Several people are coming off committee next year so committee members will need to elect a new chair/secretary.

Next Meeting:

Graduate Council: August ?, 2024 (1:00 PM) – TBA

Adjournment @ 1:32

Motion to adjourn: TG

Second: LG

Approved unanimously.

Graduate Council Meetings for 2023-2024

August 25, 2023 – Library 241

September 8, 2023 – Atkinson 202

October 13, 2023 – Atkinson 202

November 10, 2022 – Atkinson 202

January 12, 2024 – Atkinson 202

February 9, 2024 – Atkinson 202

March 8, 2024 – Atkinson 202

April 12, 2024 – Library 302