Graduate Council
April 14, 2016
Minutes

Members Present

Johnnie Sue Wijewardane    Scott Tollison
Marty Brock              Brian Anderson
Bridget Pieschel       Joy Townsend
Kendall Dunkelberg    Teresa Hamill
Lynn Dobbs             Irene Pintado

The Graduate Council met on April 14, 2016, in the Welty Boardroom. The minutes of the March meeting were approved by a unanimous vote.

Marty Brock led the meeting in Marty Hatton’s absence.

Old Business

• International Financial Backing Statement – Need to have Billy Simmons to advise how best to proceed on this form. Dr. Hatton will get with him for this clarification. Does each program need their own form or can it be fillable by program?”

• Fire Engine-RED Update – Kendall sent out the wrapper just before the meeting. The W with Graduate Studies under it. Is that acceptable to Marideth? Marty thanked Kendall for all his work with this project.

New Business

• Pass Grade for Theses/Other Courses – Kendall Dunkelberg advocates a pass grade rather than having a grading scale for thesis hours for his program.
Information Item:

- Guidelines for Thesis Writing for MFA in Physical Theatre – Peppy Biddy proposed that these guidelines (attached) be input into the next bulletin. Johnnie Sue moved to accept this item. Bridget Pieschel seconded it and it was approved by a unanimous vote.

Our next meeting will be September 8, 2016, at 3:00 p.m. Proposals will be due by noon September 6, 2016.