College of Education

Graduate Programs Committee

October 19, 2011

Minutes - DRAFT

Meeting convened: 1:00 PM

Present: Linda Webb, Patricia Willems (via phone), Mike Whitehurst, Dilys Schoorman, Valerie Bryan, Sharon Darling, Rangasamy Ramasamy, Ali Danesh, <u></u>Susannah Brown, Deenaz Patel

- 1. Linda Webb convened the meeting. The minutes from the last meeting (September 21st) were distributed. Approval was tabled.
- 2. Student Petition Committee Report Subcommittee Report was presented by Sharon Darling.

- 5. COE Graduate Governance Document Continued Review
 - Sharon Darling expressed concern regarding the conduct of the previous discussion of the revisions to the COE faulty status document. She believed the nature of the previous discussion to be inappropriate, as the changes were being treated as if they were initiated and were being proposed by the committee presenting the document.
 - Sharon Darling noted that all changes presented in the proposed revisions, were discussed and recommended by the GPC in March/April 2011.
 - changes into the existing
 - Valerie Bryan stated that the concern was more to do with the formatting rather than the substance.
 - Further discussion was tabled.
- 6. University Graduate Council/University Graduate Programs Committee Update
 - Valerie Bryan distributed FYI handout
 - Informed committee of discussion of the number of non-degree credits allowed for transfer into a program, and concerns about students enrolling for simultaneous degrees.

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