

Minutes of the 4th meeting of
The Graduate Council
2022-2023

Date and Time: Thursday, December 1, 2022

Place: Zoom Meeting

Zoom Attendance: Dr. Deborah Carr, Dr. Jaclyn Cravens, Dr. Clifton Ellis, Dr. Melissa Gotlieb, Dr. Scott Longing, Dr. Babu Mariadoss, Dr. Jon McNaughtan, Dr. Jhones Sarturi, Dr. Devendra Shah, Dr. Andrew Stetson, Dr. Mark Webb, Dr. Changxu Xu

Ex-officio: Dr. Kristi Gaines, Dr. Heather Greenhalgh-Spencer, Dr. Louisa Hope-Weeks, Dr. Mark Sheridan

Visitors: Dr. Yong Chen, Dr. Theodore Cleveland, Dr. Deborah Fowler, Dr. Joshua Smith,

I. The Graduate Council minutes are available in the Graduate School office and on the Graduate School website at www.depts.ttu.edu/gradschool.

II. A motion was made by Mark Webb and seconded by Jon McNaughtan to approve the minutes 3rd meeting of the Graduate Council that was held on Thursday, November 3, 2022. The Graduate Council approved these minutes.

III. Students admitted to Doctoral Candidacy.

The following students were admitted to candidacy for the doctorate on the recommendation of their departments. A motion was made by Devendra Shah and seconded by Deborah Carr to approve the list. The Graduate Council approved the candidate list.

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| David | Vargas Arroyo | Animal Science |
| Mohd Isham Bin | Mohd Azhar | Biology |
| Sri Jyosthsna | Kancharlapalli | Biology |
| Hendra Freddy | Sihaloho | Biology |
| Pedro | Mallet Paula | Chemical Engineering |
| John | Ducilon | Chemistry |
| Lina | Delgado Cordoba | Chemistry |
| Tan | Nguyen | Chemistry |

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| Tariq | Hussain | Civil Engineering |
| Hyunjin | Shim | Curriculum and Instruction |
| Margarita | Flores-Sicich | Curriculum and Instruction |
| Lara | Alvarenga | Curriculum and Instruction |
| Allison | Garrett Navas | Educational Psychology |
| Gencie | Houy | Family and Consumer Sciences Education |
| Nicole | Wanago | Family and Consumer Sciences Education |
| Katherine | Sobel | Family and Consumer Sciences Education |
| Shelby | Poor | Fine Arts |
| Hillary | Russell | Fine Arts |
| Tahereh | Latifi | Hospitality, Tourism, and Retail Management |
| Seyedehnastaran | Hashemi | Interior and Environmental Design |
| Chaitra Aniruddha | Kulkarni | Media and Communication |
| Yifan | Tang | Music |
| Emily | Salas-Groves | Nutritional Sciences |

IV. Academic Requests

All of the following come with a motion of approval from the Academic Program sub-committee meeting held on November 17, 2022. A second was made by Scott Longing to approve all of the following proposals. The Graduate Council approved all proposals.

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

FSCI 5310: Forensic Biology (*Addition*)

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

CS 5385: Advanced Microbiological Applications in Environmental Engineering (change in *title* from Micro Applications in Environmental Engineering, *course prefix* from ENVE and *course description*)

CS 5331: Special Problems in Computer Science (*change in restrictions*)

CS 5342: Network Security (*change in restrictions*)

CS 6343: Crptography (*change in restrictions*)

CS 5352: Adv Operating Sys Design (*change in restrictions*)

CS 5363: Software Project Management (*change in restrictions*)

CS 5368: Intelligent Systems (*change in restrictions*)

CS 5374: Software Verification Validation (*change in restrictions*)

CS 5375: Computer Syst Org/Arch (*change in restrictions*)

CS 6378: Software Security (*change in restrictions*)

CS 5381: Analysis of Algorithms (*change in restrictions*)

CS 5383: Theory of Automata (*change in restrictions*)

CS 5392: Reinforcement Learning (*change in restrictions*)

HUMAN SCIENCES

RETL 6316: Advanced Retail Marketing (**Deletion**)
RETL 6325: Retail Management Research (**Deletion**)
RETL 6333: Data Analysis for Retail Management (**Deletion**)
RETL 6353: Retail Management Marketing Research (**Deletion**)
RETL 7000: Research (**Deletion**)
RHIM 5101: Colloquium in Hospitality Management (**Deletion**)
RHIM 5300: Perspectives in RHIM (**Deletion**)
RHIM 5316: Hospitality/Services Marketing(**Deletion**)
RHIM 5343: Advanced International Retail (**Deletion**)
RHIM 6300: Perspectives in Hospitality Administration (**Deletion**)
RHIM 6332: Financial Management in H A (**Deletion**)
RHIM 6340: Org Behavior in Hospitality (**Deletion**)
RHIM 6347: Hospitality Consumer Behavior (**Deletion**)
RHIM 6380: Grants and Project Funding (**Deletion**)
RHIM 6381: Community Action (**Deletion**)

V. Graduate Faculty

The following faculty applications come with a motion of approval from the Graduate Faculty subcommittee. A second was made by Babu Mariadoss to approve the following applications. The Graduate Council approved.

- a. Jeremy Davidson Bailoo – Cell Biology & Biochemistry
- b. Sonya Lutter – School of Financial Planning
- c. Chao Xu – Geosciences

VI. Old Business

None

VII. New Business

Dr. Kristi Gaines mentioned the draft TTU Guidelines for Embargo of Theses and Dissertations. A copy of the draft was sent to the full Graduate Council.

VIII. Announcements

Next meeting will be on February 2, 2023