

*Elizabeth Bifuh, Ramanpreet Kaur, Saira Latif, Jeff Moore, Suzanne Moore, Nese Orbey, Neil Shortland (absent), Noah Van Dam (absent), Kevin Petersen**, Mai Nguyen¹, Nancy Ludwig¹, Deborah White¹ Mubarak Ayinla², E. Shakira Fedna² ** Ex-officio, ¹non-voting, ²student representative*

MINUTES

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September 23, 2024 at 3:30-5:00 PM in Saab ETIC Perry Atrium

1. Introductions (*Kevin Petersen*)
2. **Election of Committee Chair** (*Kevin Petersen*)
 1. Self-nominations from Noah Van Dam and Saira Latif
 2. Noah Van Dam elected Chair
3. Onboarding (*Kevin Petersen or Chair*)
4. **Executive Session – Graduate Student Petitions** (*Kevin Petersen or Chair*) [Motion to move the Executive Session to the end of today's agenda. Approved.](#)
5. **Minutes from the April 19, 2024 Meeting** (*Kevin Petersen or Chair*)
<https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:2040/form> Due to time limitations, approved via email after the meeting.
6. **Policy Proposals** (*Kevin Petersen or Chair*) None
7. **Program Proposals** (*Kevin Petersen or Chair*) None
8. **Course Proposals** (*Kevin Petersen or Chair*)
 1. **ATMO.5350 Hydrology of the Atmosphere** (*Lori Weeden*) – New Course
<https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1987/form> The committee questioned how a graduate course can have an undergraduate pre-requisite course. Discussion included: moving the pre-requisite to the syllabus, as we cannot enforce these pre-requisites; whether a matriculated student would have the undergraduate pre-requisite courses; matriculated students can enroll, non-matriculated students need permission number. Moved to discuss other courses before voting. Due to time limitations did not vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting, and a discussion regarding course syllabi will added to that agenda.

2. **BIOL.5995L Host-Pathogen Interactions Lab** (*Natalie Steinel, Jeff Moore*) – New Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:2023/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
3. **CRIM.6420 Sex Crimes and Offenders** (*Ryan Shields*) – Change Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1944/form> Ryan Shields stuck at airport; Table proposal to the next GPAC meeting.
4. **EDUC.6911 Applied Research Design** (*Michelle Scribner*) – Change Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1943/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
5. **EDUC.6940 Systems Leadership 1** (*Michelle Scribner*) – Change Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1942/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
6. **ENTR.6800 Capstone I New Venture Planning** (*Michael Ciuchta*) – Change Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1839/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
7. **ENVI.6000 Data Analysis in Earth System Science** (*Mathew Barlow*) – New Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:2017/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
8. **FINA.6310 Empirical Methods in Finance** (*Steven Freund*) – Change Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1958/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
9. **FINA.6350 Programming for Finance** (*Steven Freund*) – Change Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1959/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
10. **FINA.6410 Cryptocurrency** (*Steven Freund*) – Change Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1960/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
11. **MATH.5640 Applied Linear Algebra** (*Bobbie Wu*) – Change Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1952/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
12. **MATH.5800 Mathematical methods for Quantum error correction** (*Shiwen Zhang*) – New Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1904/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.
13. **Nursing Courses** (*Lisa Marchand*) – Change Course <https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1961/form> Due to time limitations did not discuss or vote. Proposal will be considered at the next GPAC meeting.

1. **NURS.6510 Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning**
 2. **NURS.6511 APRN Practicum I**
 3. **NURS.6512 APRN Practicum II**
 4. **NURS.6513 APRN Practicum III**
 5. **NURS.6520 APRN Care of Adults**
 6. **NURS.6521 APRN Care of Children and Adolescents**
 7. **NURS.6522 APRN Women's Health Across the Lifespan**
 8. **NURS.6523 APRN Care of Older Adults**
 9. **NURS.6524 APRN Role Transition**
 10. **NURS.7700 Evidence Appraisal**
 11. **NURS.7710 Advanced Nursing Leadership and Management**
 12. **NURS.7720 Scholarly Project Implementation**
 13. **NURS.7730 Evidence Dissemination, Advocacy & Policy**
 14. **NURS.7740 Scholarly Project Design**
14. **PHYS.5660 Fluid Mechanics** (*Viktor Podolskiy*) – New Course
<https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:1997/form> The committee removed the undergraduate pre-requisite courses per discussion with Ofer Cohen. The committee noted that this course has a potential conflict with a course taught by Noah Van Dam; Ofer noted that Physics students can benefit from the Engineering course, but there is background information missing from that course. The ENGN course has about 50% of what the PHYS students need; added an enrollment requirement “Matriculated students in the program only”. Motion by Elizabeth Bifuh to table the proposal until the impacted committee member can provide input, second by Jeff Moore. Motion to table approved.
15. **PLAS.5800 Polymer Science I** (*Carol Barry*) – Inactivate Course
<https://uml.curriculog.com/proposal:2026/form> Motion to approve by Jeff Moore, second by Suzanne Moore. Approved.

Meeting adjourned 5:07pm

Next GPAC Meeting: Monday October 21, 2024 at 3:30-5:00pm in Saab ETIC Perry Atrium