

GRADUATE COUNCIL MINUTES
Monday, November 3, 2003, at 1:30 p.m., 116 Polk

Members Present: B. Asrabadie, P. Balsmeier, D. Bardwell, R. Boopathy, B. Kleen, C. Mathias, D. Norris, K. Rodrigue, L. Rodrigue, J. B. Stroud, S. Welsh

Members Absent: M. Bennett

Also Present: Jackie Boudreaux - College of Education

1. Minutes.

Approved minutes of the October 6, 2003, meeting. (Boopathy/Asrabadie)

2. Extensions of Time.

(Names are on file in the Graduate Studies Office)

Considered a petition for an extension of time to complete a master's degree in Education.

Approved an extension through the spring 2004 semester with revalidation of EDCI 536. (Welsh/Norris)

#1 Student from Education

3. Mathematics Program.

Approved *Bulletin* changes to remove Applied Mathematics and add the Master of Science in Community/Technical College Mathematics. (Boopathy/Welsh)

Approved the following resolution:

In light of the new Mathematics degree program, and the increased stipend for graduate assistants, the Administration is encouraged to increase the overall budget for assistantships to help maintain the viability of student assistance in other graduate programs. (Welsh/L. Rodrigue)

4. *Bulletin Changes.*

Approved the following changes to the University *Bulletin*:

p. 269 EDAS 594 change to Spring only (Boopathy/Balsmeier)

p. 300 MNGT 502 change title and description (Boopathy/Welsh)

Add: BSAD 520 Special Topics in Business (Bardwell/Welsh)

5. *Admissions to Candidacy.*

(Names are on file in the Graduate Studies Office)

Approved the following Petitions for Admission to Candidacy: (L Rodrigue/Norris)

Business (10 students)

Education (26 students)

6. *Graduate Faculty.*

Dr. Boopathy presented the report of the sub-committee concerning Graduate Faculty.

Approved changes to the application form. (Boopathy/Bardwell)

Approved a motion that Graduate Faculty be posted on the University web site, archived in the Graduate Studies office, and referred to in the *Bulletin*. (Boopathy/Bardwell)

7. *Candidates for Graduation.*

(Names are on file in the Graduate Studies Office)

Approved the following candidate for graduation: (L Rodrigue/Norris) Mathematics (1 student)

8. *Next Meeting.*

November 17, 2003 at 1:30 p.m. in 116 Polk Hall.

AGENDA:

Graduate Faculty

Bulletin changes

Petitions for Candidacy

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Director of Graduate Studies

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