

The major issues addressed and accomplishments met of the Graduate Council this academic year follow.

- A Catalog Committee was created to ensure that all programs are up to date and include the appropriate information and to have a common format for all programs. Its members were the same as the previous Vision Committee, which began a review and revision of the Graduate Catalog. It was stressed that the catalog needs to be maintained up to date both online and in its print format. The committee was approved to be a standing committee in the bylaws.
- Many discussions were held regarding capstone archiving and binding, including digital storage. No overall adoption of requirements was achieved.
- Job descriptions for Graduate Program Coordinators were proposed and will be developed by Associate Provost.
- Web pages for graduate programs reviewed and work continues to standardize and streamline these.
- Several Transform 2020 issues were addressed, including graduate student research, recruitment – including international students, resolution similar to CUCAS sent to Senate in December (attached document).
- Curriculum revisions that were approved by the council:
  - New Courses:
    - ED 5xx – Curriculum, Learning and Assessment for Inclusive Settings, Birth through Grade 2
    - ED 5xx – Foundation of Early Childhood Education in Inclusive Settings
    - ENG XX – Teaching College English – required of graduate assistants
    - HIS 5xx – U.S. Urban History
    - HIS 5xx – U.S. Immigration History
    - MGT 5xx - Administrative Residency in Heath Services Management
    - MGT 5yy - Health Services Information Technology and Innovation
    - MKT 5xx – International Business Strategy
    - NUR 504 - Evidence Based Nursing Research revision
  - MAT admission was suspended in early fall.
  - MS in Nursing admission changes – students must have a minimum of 2 years clinical practice prior to entry; remove rolling admissions and institute a hard date for both fall and spring admissions
  - MHA Revision, including revisions to courses MGT 544, 547, 548, 580, 581, 582, 584, 585, 586, 587, 591, 595 and inclusion of new courses MGT 5xx and 5yy
  - MFA Program Concentration in Interdisciplinary Visual Arts