

UNIVERSITY COUNCIL FOR GRADUATE STUDIES

Meeting 481 Minutes

April 1, 2022

2:00 – 4:00 PM – Zoom

481.1 Vote to approve 480 meeting minutes – Appendix A

Colin Chapel C– voted to approve

Larry Weiss – 2nd

Motion Passed

Proxies: Roger Meier for Aaron Robinson and Lisa Mendel for Miriam Van Mersbergen

481.2 Student Research Forum Recap – LM – Appendix B

Lakeshia Moore – provided a recap of numbers of student participants and faculty judges.

481.3 Graduate School Open House Update (Feb 24 and upcoming March 29) - BM

Brian Meredith - discussed the Graduate School open house success.

481.4 UniCAS / Axiom through Spring 2023 and Slate starting Summer 2023

Brian Meredith – discussed the available information for upcoming Slate implementation. More information will be shared as it is available.

481.5 Graduate Education Week – Governor's Proclamation April 4 – 8, Appendix C - BM

Brian Meredith – discussed upcoming events for event. Graduate programs will host an event on Monday to invite all graduate students to FIT. First on ground event that has been done in the last couple of years. Want to what we can to support graduate students

481.6 Upcoming Deadlines [Graduate School Calendar](#) - BM

Brian Meredith – asked council members to review the calendar to become familiar with upcoming graduate items.

481.7 Driven by Giving April 5/6 [Annual Day of Giving Event](#) - BM

Brian Meredith – discussed upcoming day of giving.

481.8 Navigating Graduate Student Success – [Zoom Meeting URL](#) - BM

BM – encouraged everyone to join the Graduate Student success series.

Upcoming Sessions

- **April 8 (Friday) at 1:30-2:30 pm** Appreciating International Cultures and Diversity of our Graduate Students, Session Speaker – Dr. Annapoorna Mary
- **April 22 (Friday) at 1:30-2:30 pm** Tapping Talent: Identifying Future Graduate Students, Panelists - Melissa Pupa, Marie van der Merwe, Chryzanthé Presa, Max Paquette, Albert Okunade

Past Sessions

- **March 16 (Wednesday) at 1:30-2:30 pm** Best Practices in Mentoring Graduate Students, Session Speaker – Dr. Kurt Kraiger, Interim Associate Dean, Academic Programs & Research, Fogelman College [recorded – to be shared in the future]
- **March 25 (Friday) at 1:30-2:30 pm** Mental Health and Self Care for Graduate Students: How to Identify Issues and Help, Session Speaker – Dr. A Paige Pirkey, Research Scientist, Social Work

481.9 Other Business:

Brian Meredith- discussed process to submit catalog edits for items that were not added to the previous catalog.

Named new Recruitment – Retention person – Cindy Haynes

Brian Meredith - announced, the May UCGS meeting will be cancelled if there are no agenda items.

Meeting adjourned at 2:17.

Distribution Items:

APPENDIX A – 480 Meeting Minutes

APPENDIX B – 2022 Student Research Forum Recap

APPENDIX C - Governor's Proclamation